

# SHARE

## NEWSLETTER

November 11/12, 2023

### *A message from Archbishop Dermot Farrell*

I am writing to you today about Share, the Diocesan Development Fund, the second collection at Sunday Masses, which depends on the generosity of parishioners across the Archdiocese.

Building on the wisdom in parishes throughout the world, guided by the Holy Spirit, the Synod in Rome last month grappled with the challenge of renewing the Church worldwide as the listening, participative, active community of the followers of Jesus.

We are acutely aware of the need in the Archdiocese to encourage and support all our people wisely, and to share our resources for the good of all. Through the work of the Dublin Diocesan Offices, Share provides a range of essential services to our partnerships of parishes and to our schools, including pastoral, administrative, financial, strategic, governance, legal, data protection, property, health and safety, communications, education and safeguarding support. In their day-to-day work, priests, deacons, parish pastoral workers and parish offices are resourced by the Diocesan Offices. Planning for the future is also taking place. Training is being provided in order to develop and resource lay pastoral ministry and leadership roles – for example, parish pastoral councils, catechists and lay funeral leaders.

The *Building Hope* initiative this year is asking us to engage with social justice and the transformation of our world, ‘as constitutive dimensions of the preaching of the Gospel’ (Synod of Bishops, 1971, 6). Promoting pastoral renewal and partnership between parishes can help us focus on the social needs of people



locally and face together the challenge of attending to catastrophic humanitarian and environmental concerns.

Share continues to provide much-needed financial support to disadvantaged parishes where alternative funding cannot be secured, and for the Travelling Community. It is important for all of us to become more aware of the challenges faced in different parishes in our diocese, and find ways to reach out sustainably and creatively to each other.

While the purposes of the Share collection have evolved over the years, it is an essential source of funding in the Archdiocese, supporting parish life and ministry. Thank you for your response over the years. Please give as generously as you can on this Share Appeal Sunday, and continue to support Share every Sunday throughout the year.

Like St Paul, we are people of hope, we believe that Jesus died and rose again, and that it will be the same for those who

live and die in Jesus... we shall stay with the Lord forever (see 1 Thessalonians 4:13-18). Let us also stay close to each other in the Christian family, and do all we can to resource the mission of Christ handed on to us; wise, sensible, awake to people's needs, with the door held open to all, full of Christian hope (see Matthew 25:1-13).

Gratefully yours, with every blessing,

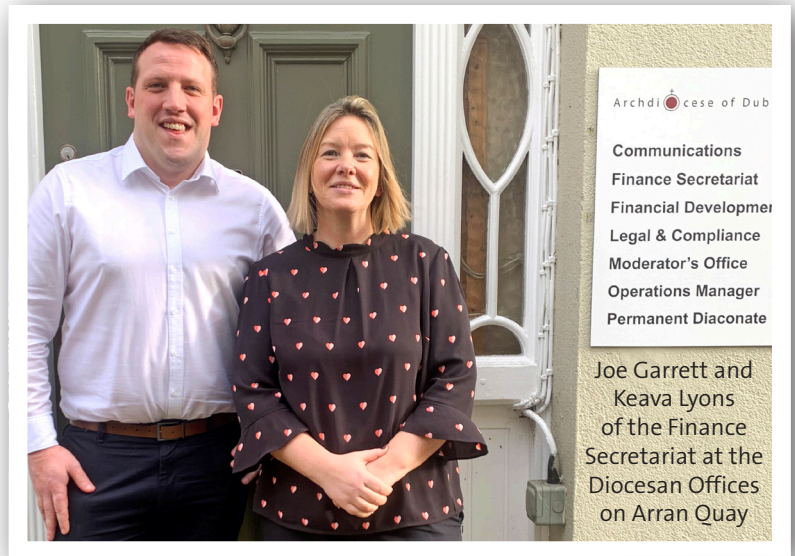
A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Dermot Farrell'.

+Dermot Farrell  
Archbishop of Dublin

# Archdiocese of Dublin

## YOUR WEEKLY SUPPORT FOR SHARE HELPS TO SUSTAIN THE LIFE AND MISSION OF THE CHURCH HERE IN THE ARCHDIOCESE OF DUBLIN

- Share contributes to the advice, guidance and administrative support given to parishes regarding employment and legal matters
- Share supports the vital work of our Child Safeguarding & Protection Service, ensuring that our parishes are safe places for children and vulnerable adults
- Share supports our Education Secretariat, which works to strengthen the bonds of faith between our schools, families and parishes
- Share supports the Archdiocese's Finance Secretariat, which provides essential financial advice and support to parishes
- Your contribution to the Share collection helps to support our lay Parish Pastoral Workers and Faith Development Workers
- Share continues to provide much needed financial support to disadvantaged parishes where alternative funding cannot be secured
- The Communications Office, supported by Share, gives advice and training, manages internal communications and liaises with national media
- Share supports adult faith development initiatives through programmes like *Pathways*



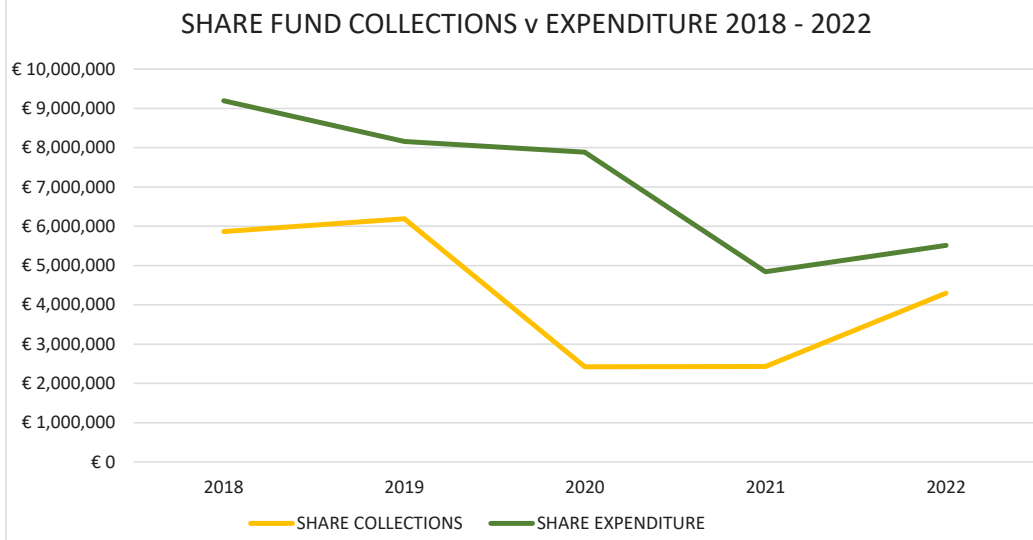
Archbishop Farrell and Mgr Eoin Thynne with parishioners after the 30th anniversary Mass in St Luke's, Mulhuddart, in October this year



Rihanna McDonnell, Molly Joyce, Julie Anna Collins, Rebecca Collins, Rachel Collins and Rebecca Collins at the Dublin Diocesan Pilgrimage to Knock this year

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## SHARE HELPS PARISHES, PRIESTS, DEACONS AND LAY PEOPLE WORKING TOGETHER ON THEIR SHARED MISSION



*To learn more about how collections, gifts, donations and bequests support the work of the Church in the Archdiocese of Dublin, contact Patricia Clifford at the Office for Financial Development at 01 8087527 or [patricia.clifford@dublindiocese.ie](mailto:patricia.clifford@dublindiocese.ie)*

SHARE FUND COLLECTIONS v EXPENDITURE 2018 - 2022						
Year	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	% DECREASE 2018 - 2022
SHARE COLLECTIONS	€ 5,863,968	€ 6,191,367	€ 2,421,222	€ 2,428,717	€ 4,295,536	-27%
SHARE EXPENDITURE	€ 9,193,929	€ 8,160,079	€ 7,887,678	€ 4,842,618	€ 5,510,374	-40%

### SHARE FUND FINANCIAL STATEMENT

#### **INCOME & EXPENDITURE FOR THE 12-MONTH PERIOD ENDING DECEMBER 31, 2022**

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<b>INCOME</b>		
COLLECTIONS (Note 1)		4,296
DONATIONS AND LEGACIES		767
TRANSFER BETWEEN FUNDS		385
BANK INTEREST & OTHER INCOME		63
		<b>5,511</b>
<b>EXPENDITURE</b>		
ASSISTANCE TO PARISHES (Note 2)	-883	
CENTRAL DIOCESAN ADMINISTRATION SUPPORT SERVICES	-2,572	
PARISH PASTORAL WORKERS	-705	
MAINTANCE EXPENSES ON SHARE PROPERTIES & DEPRECIATION	-400	
CONTRIBUTION TO NATIONAL INITIATIVES	-540	
CONTRIBUTION TO THIRD PARTY INITIATIVES	-234	
BANK CHARGES	-75	
OTHER EXPENSES	-102	-5,510
<b>PROFIT FOR THE FINANCIAL YEAR</b>		<b>1</b>

### ASSISTANCE TO PARISHES

PARISH	AMOUNT €
AVOCA	10,000
BALLYFERMOT	31,913
BALLYFERMOT UPPER	25,000
CORDUFF	140,000
HARTSTOWN	1,845
INCHICORE ST MICHAEL'S	6,176
JAMES'S STREET	54,000
JOBSTOWN	12,000
KILMORE ROAD WEST	10,000
MEATH STREET	1,500
MULHUDDART	25,200
NEILSTOWN	12,000
PRO-CATHEDRAL	152,000
ROWLAGH	48,000
SAGGART	59,136
SALLYNOGGIN	23,144
SEVILLE PLACE	86,000
ST AUDOEN'S, HIGH STREET	25,860
TRAVELLING PEOPLE	102,500
WESTLAND ROW	56,760
	<b>883,035</b>

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## AMOUNTS COLLECTED IN PARISHES AND OTHER CHURCHES IN 2022

ARDLEA	16,603	CLONDALKIN	41,684	HOWTH	15,517	PALMERSTOWN	15,561
ARKLOW	29,063	CLONSKEAGH	11,158	HUNTSTOWN	12,063	PHIBSBORO	12,257
ARTANE	10,113	CLONTARF ST ANTHONY	27,261	INCHICORE M.I.	4,705	PIERCE B H	200
ASHFORD	14,344	CLONTARF ST JOHN	17,326	INCHICORE ST M.	11,067	PORTERSTOWN	13,401
ATHY	35,112	COISTE TREADACH	5,193	IONA ROAD	24,583	PORTMARNOCK	42,512
AUGHRIM	5,351	CONFEE	15,638	JAMES'S STREET	9,026	PRIORSWOOD	5,918
AUGHRIM STREET	17,360	COOLOCK	30,664	JOBSTOWN	2,259	PRO CATHEDRAL	22,638
AVOCA	10,735	CORDUFF	9,265	JOHNSTOWN	34,486	RAHENY	46,098
AYRFIELD	13,595	CROSS CHAPEL (BLESSINGTON)	4,520	KILBARRACK/ FOXFIELD	30,437	RATHDRUM	17,294
BALALLY	28,667	CRUMLIN	59,303	KILBRIDE-BARNDARRIG	9,947	RATHFARNHAM	44,382
BALBRIGGAN	46,346	DALKEY	25,239	KILCULLEN	14,359	RATHGAR	29,434
BALDOYLE	20,437	DARNDALE	3,679	KILL O' THE GRANGE	32,675	RATHMINES	29,068
BALLINTEER	48,134	DEANSRATH	3,569	KILLESTER	18,630	RIALTO	1,874
BALLYBODEN	17,321	Diocesan Website Donations	7,522	KILLINARDEN	5,039	RINGSEND	20,178
BALLYBRACK	17,766	DOLLYMOUNT	32,094	KILMACUD	58,321	RIVERMOUNT	4,335
BALLYFERMOT	11,816	DOLPHIN'S BARN	4,988	KILMEADE (NARRAGHMORE)	2,356	RIVERVALLEY	15,043
BALLYFERMOT UPPER	18,553	DOMINICK STREET	1,000	KILMORE ROAD WEST	10,594	ROLESTOWN	11,150
BALLYGALL	38,228	DONABATE	16,426	KILNAMANAGH	16,848	ROUNDWOOD	14,972
BALLYMORE EUSTACE	11,269	DONAGHMEDE	27,231	KILQUADE	34,032	ROWLAGH	8,385
BALLYMUN ST PAPPIN'S	18,901	DONARD (DUNLAVIN)	3,850	KIMMAGE	13,255	RUSH	26,230
BALLYMUN ROAD	26,939	DONNYBROOK	71,089	KINSEALY	9,208	SAGGART	22,639
BALLYROAN	47,063	DONNYCARNEY	31,370	KNOCKLYON	33,605	SALLYNOGGIN	40,361
BALLYWALTRIM	21,876	DONORE AVENUE	8,604	LARKHILL/ WHITEHALL	22,760	SANDYFORD	32,846
BAWNOGUE	5,305	DRUMCONDRA	22,578	LAUREL LODGE	32,587	SANDYMOUNT	46,998
BAYSIDE	35,485	DUBLIN AIRPORT, SWORDS	4,486	LEIXLIP	53,345	SEAN MCDERMOTT STREET	8,035
BEAUMONT	28,087	DUN LAOGHAIRE	39,485	LOUGHLINSTOWN	11,959	SEVILLE PLACE	7,468
BEECHWOOD AVENUE	27,492	DUNDRUM	46,430	LUCAN	60,505	SHANKILL	35,754
BELFIELD CHURCH	5,125	DUNLAVIN	5,311	LUCAN SOUTH	8,881	SKERRIES	43,343
BERKELEY ROAD	10,442	EADESTOWN	7,170	LUSK	19,794	SPRINGFIELD	26,539
BLACKROCK	40,498	EAST WALL	6,055	MALAHIDE	55,294	SRULEEN	8,663
BLANCHARDSTOWN	29,304	EDENMORE	14,862	MANOR KILBRIDE (BLESSINGTON)	3,385	ST ALPHONSUS MONASTERY	1,304
BLESSINGTON	12,513	ENNISKERRY	13,855	MARINO	38,347	ST AUDOEN'S, HIGH STREET	12,628
BLUEBELL	8,339	ESKER/DODSBORO	31,361	MARLEY GRANGE	14,888	SUTTON	37,824
BOHERNABREENA	14,114	FAIRVIEW	19,746	MAYNOOTH	38,862	SWARDS	21,040
BONNYBROOK	11,329	FINGLAS	33,382	MEADOWBROOK	10,145	TALLAGHT ST AENGUS	11,903
BOOTERSTOWN	24,956	FINGLAS WEST	10,414	MEATH STREET	7,530	TALLAGHT ST DOMINIC	8,614
BRACKENSTOWN	38,922	FIRHOUSE	14,008	MERRION ROAD	36,877	TALLAGHT ST MARTIN	14,911
BRAY (HOLY REDEEMER)	35,129	FOXROCK	69,720	MILLTOWN	34,191	TALLAGHT ST MARY	16,752
BRAY (PUTLAND ROAD)	26,078	FRANCIS STREET	1,659	MONKSTOWN	16,559	TEMPLEOGUE	26,329
BRAY (ST PETER'S )	14,903	GARDINER STREET	10,353	MOONE	7,104	TERENURE	36,788
BROOKFIELD	3,734	GARRISTOWN	3,320	MOUNT ARGUS	9,510	THOMAS STREET (OSA) (JOHN'S LANE)	7,770
CABINTEELY	20,035	GLASNEVIN	18,498	MOUNT MERRION	57,753	UNIVERSITY CHURCH	9,677
CABRA	20,957	GLASTHULE	22,058	MOUNTVIEW	22,799	VALLEYMOUNT	6,835
CABRA WEST	19,072	GLENDALOUGH	6,062	MOURNE ROAD	23,980	WALKINSTOWN	18,882
CASTLEDERMOT	12,835	GRANGE PARK	13,255	MULHUDDART	5,398	WESTLAND ROW	13,617
CASTLEKNOCK	44,119	GREENHILLS	28,044	OTHER	2,681	WHITEFRIAR STREET	14,642
CASTLETOWN	5,405	GREYSTONES	41,824	NARRAGHMORE	12,311	WICKLOW	27,574
CELBRIDGE	24,084	HADDINGTON ROAD	40,401	NAUL	5,385	WILLINGTON	33,290
CHAPELIZOD	12,893	HALSTON STREET	1,570	NAVAN ROAD	36,477	YELLOW WALLS	33,783
CHERRY ORCHARD	6,819	HAROLD'S CROSS	8,776	NEILSTOWN	5,220	TOTAL	4,295,536
CHURCHTOWN	22,699	HARRINGTON STREET	39,407	NEWCASTLE	9,065		
CITY QUAY	1,515	HARTSTOWN	9,194	NEWTOWNPARK	55,241		
CLARENDON STREET	4,389	HOLLYWOOD (BALLYMORE EUSTACE)	5,595	NORTH WILLIAM ST	6,092		
CLOGHER ROAD	17,869			OUR LADY'S MANOR	2,270		

*Thank you for your generous contributions each weekend*