

Parish Notices

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CONGRATULATIONS TO TALLAGHT & DISTRICT CREDIT UNION LTD.

On their 50th Anniversary and on the major refurbishment of their premises on Main Street. Two Dominicans, Fr Paul Hynes, OP and Fr Pius Doherty, OP were prominent in establishing the Credit Union in Tallaght. On of the eight founder members was Mr Jack Ennis - still with us thank God.

Week of Prayer for Christian Unity 2019
ONLY JUSTICE



Cyfiawnder yn Unig / Ceartas amháin

18-25 January

www.ctbi.org.uk/weekofprayer



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How to be a Student?
How to be a Master?
Questions to Aquinas



AQUINAS LECTURE 2019, FR MICHAŁ PALUCH OP

The Aquinas Lecture 2019 will be given by Michał Paluch OP on Monday 28th January at 8.00pm at St. Mary's Priory

Michał Paluch OP was confirmed in April 2017 by the Congregation for Catholic Education as rector of the Angelicum University in Rome.



Fun activities & hear real life stories
Senior Students, 4th to 6th year

FaithFest

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"OPEN HEART OPEN MIND"

THE PRIORY, TALLAGHT
JANUARY 30TH 2019
6.30-9.30PM
COST €5

An evening of
Friendship Music Refreshments & Meditation

For booking and information:
Sinead 0879540091

Faith

PRIORY NEWSLETTER

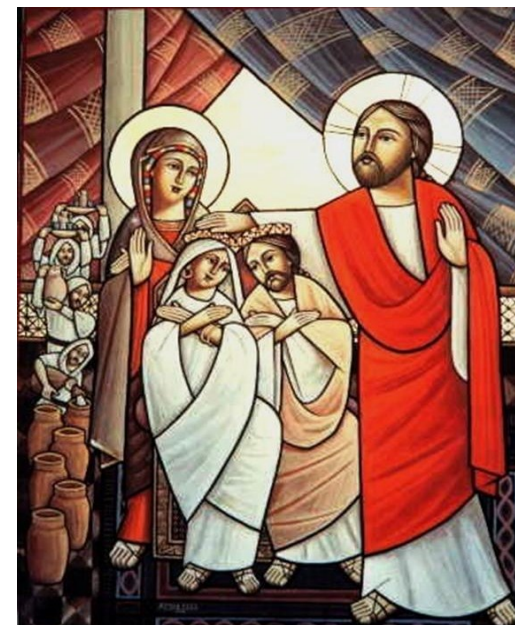
St. Mary's Dominican Priory - Tallaght, 2nd Sunday of the Year (C), 20th JAN 2019

MARY, ADVOCATE, MEDIATRIX

Today's Gospel alerts us to the fact that many of the words have deeper meanings than might at first appear. For example, wedding feast, wine, water, glory, hour, mother of Jesus, Woman are but some of the words that need to be interpreted as used by John in this passage. Four times Mary is called "the mother of Jesus". We are already fully aware of that title. What is added is that as his mother Mary has a unique role as she brings requests to him, which she did on behalf of the bridegroom.

John does not call "the mother of Jesus" by her name Mary at any time. But he does have Jesus address her as "Woman", here at Cana and again at the foot of the Cross where both terms are used. There is an obvious link with Eve, "the mother of all the living". Mary is the new Eve, the mother of all Jesus' family of new life. The first Eve encouraged Adam to give way to temptation and death; the second Eve encouraged her son to obtain everlasting life for people. It is consoling that Mary intercedes for us as our mother, given specially as his last bequest on the Cross and she approaches him not as a servant but as his mother.

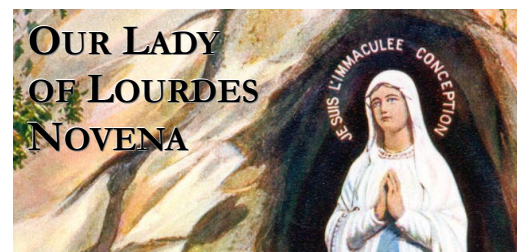
Next, Mary gave advice to the servants who represent us. She said, "Do whatever he tells you". There is no better



guideline we could receive. As St. Thomas says, "perfect holiness is obeying Christ in all things".

+Fr. Paschal Tiernan OP

Read full commentary at www.stmarys-tallaght.ie



3rd – 11th February 2018 (Sun – Mon)

Preacher: Fr John Littleton

(Director of the Priory Institute)

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