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18 August 2025

Crosscare Appeal

Saturday 20th / Sunday 21st September 2025

Dear Parishioners,

This weekend, the Annual Church collection for Crosscare will replace the Share collection at all Masses.

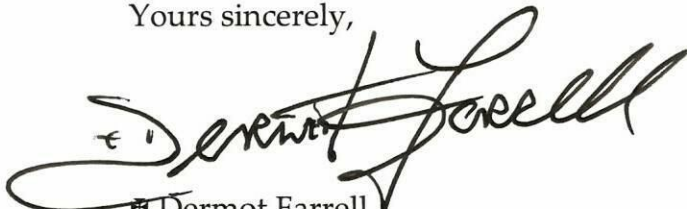
Inspired by their values of love, respect, and excellence, Crosscare works with those most in need in our communities: families with children and individuals trapped in homeless services amidst a housing crisis and families struggling to provide enough nutritious food as the cost of living spirals. They work with young people finding their way at a critical time in their lives, when widespread drug use and often criminality threaten to entrap them.

Increasingly, Crosscare support hundreds of migrants and asylum seekers who have come here fleeing conflict or to make a better life for themselves. Sadly, at this time, this group of people are being harassed by some in our communities, who forget our own nation's history of emigration.

Demand for all these critical services continues to increase in our society, and Crosscare relies on your generosity to reach as many people as possible who need help.

Your support in the second collection today will make a significant difference in the lives of those in need.

Yours sincerely,



✠ Dermot Farrell
Archbishop of Dublin