



NEWSLETTER TWENTY-SEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME YEAR B 6TH OCTOBER 2024

DULEEK PARISH WITH DONORE PARISH

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SCAN ME

Caroline Doyle
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Tuesday to Thursday
9.30am-4.30pm

MASS INTENTIONS

ST. CIANÁN'S, DULEEK

Saturday 7:30pm Patricia, Billy, Aine & Mary Rose O'Connor; Luke, Mona & Anthony Sharkey.

Sunday 9am Missa pro populo

Sunday 12noon T.S Ealyamma; Bartle (Buddy) McAuley; Michael Reid.

Tuesday 9:30am Miraculous Medal Novena followed by Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament 6-7pm

No Mass on Wednesday (9:30am Bellewstown)

Thursday 9.30am Missa pro populo.

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Saturday 7:30pm May & Joe Bird; Nicko Coleman; Christina Clinton & dec family; Margaret Molloy; John O'Brien.

Sunday 9am Missa pro populo.

Sunday 12noon Michael Curran; Francis & Jim O'Neill.

Every Saturday Holy Hour of Adoration & Benediction in St. Cianan's Duleek 5-6pm. Confessions from 6-6:30pm

ST. THÉRÈSE'S, BELLEWSTOWN

Sunday 10am Robbie Carr; Michael O'Sullivan.

Wednesday 9:30am Adoration will recommence from 8.30am-9.30am

Sunday 10am Terry Kearns.



MASS OFFERTORY COLLECTION (Basket Collection): € 1,178.39
PARISH DEVELOPMENT FUND (Envelope Collection): € 811.55
Duleek Parish Development Fund Account Number:
IBAN IE26 AIBK 9323 9604 1618 61



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TO ASSIST AT THE MASSES

ST. CIANÁN'S MINISTERS OF THE WORD 6TH & 13TH OCT

Sat 7:30pm Rosemary Reilly & Lorraine Noone Sun. 9am Emma McQuaile & Richard Bowden Sun 12noon David McGuinness & Majella Armstrong

ST. CIANÁN'S MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION 12TH & 13TH OCT TEAM A

Sat 7.30pm Damian Quinn; Susan Gleeson; Paul Ryan Sun. 9am John McWeeney; Richard Bowden; Keith Mc Donald

Sun 12noon Joe Martin; Bryan O'Sullivan; Stephen McKee

ST. THÉRÈSE'S MINISTER OF THE WORD SUNDAY 13TH OCT Brian Quinn

MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION SUNDAY 13TH OCT Rose Forbes & Joe Collins.

All kindly check in at the sacristy before Mass

Prayers of the Faithful available for Ministers of the Word in the Sacristy.



THROUGH BAPTISM WE WELCOME INTO OUR FAITH COMMUNITY; Emma Grace McGuinness.



An extract from the homily of Pope Francis at Mass on Wednesday 2nd October 2024 the Feast of Guardian Angels: This approach is not just a technique for "facilitating" dialogue and group communication dynamics. In the Synod there are "facilitators", but they are here to help us move forward better. Embracing, protecting and caring are in fact part of the very nature of the Church. Embracing, protecting and caring. The Church, by its very vocation, is a welcoming place of gathering, where "collegial charity demands perfect harmony, which leads to moral strength, spiritual beauty and ideal expression". Harmony: it is a very important word. It is not about majorities and minorities; that could be a first step.

What is important, what is fundamental, is harmony, the harmony that only the Holy Spirit can achieve. The Holy Spirit is the master of harmony and is capable of creating one voice among so many different voices. Consider how the Spirit created harmony among differences on the morning of Pentecost. The Church needs "peaceful and open places" to be created first of all in our hearts, where each person feels welcomed, like an infant in a mother's arms and as a child lifted up to a father's cheek." Please follow all the events via the diocesan website www.dioceseofmeath.ie and the Vatican website www.vatican.va



OCTOBER is the Month dedicated to the Holy Rosary and also to the Mission of the Church. Despite everything, we know how blessed we are to live in this part of the world. So let us count our blessings and pray for those who live in parts of the world crippled with great distress. We especially hold in our prayers all who serve as missionaries giving gospel solidarity to the poorest of the poor in the world. We pray too for the Synod throughout this holy month. Together let us renew the mission entrusted to each one of us to share our faith and to pray as a family. In offering the few minutes for the daily rosary we simply, yet powerfully, use the blessed beads to mediate upon the mysteries of life and seek the intercession of Our Heavenly Mother. 'We fly to Thy protection, O Holy Mother of God. Do not despise our petitions in our necessities, but deliver us always from all dangers, O Glorious and Blessed Virgin'.



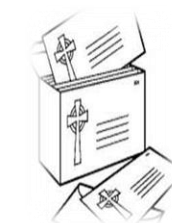
CONFIRMATION AND FIRST HOLY COMMUNION 2025 This weekend the children set out on their spiritual journey in preparation for these Sacraments to be celebrated next year. On the day of their baptism, parents, guardians & godparents presented these children and "promised to bring them up in the practice of the faith." Now as they return their enrolment forms they will receive a sacramental passport which they will carry to Mass in the months ahead, marking various stops on the journey at which they will get a stamp or sticker to reflect and pray upon special Faith moments with their families and the whole faith community gathered for Mass. Let us support and encourage our youngest parishioners with joy and prayer.

ST. BERNADETTE'S RELICS TO VISIT IRELAND 'Go in procession'

The relics of Saint Bernadette will journey on pilgrimage to Ireland for the very first time, visiting every diocese in the country. This provides an opportunity for people to experience the special gifts and charisms of Lourdes in their diocese. The visitation of the holy relics is an opportunity to have Lourdes come to your diocese so that we can all experience the pilgrimage in Lourdes at home in Ireland. The tour runs from 4 September to 5 November 2024 including Cathedral of Christ the King, Mullingar 21/22nd October For more information www.stbernadette.ie The parish will be providing a bus on Monday 21st October leaving Duleek church at 4.30pm. To book a seat please contact the parish office before Thursday 17th October.



PARISH ENVELOPE BOXES 2024/25 The new Parish Envelope Boxes have been distributed. If you haven't yet received a box for your household please contact the Parish Office. If you are new to our parish and would like to register then please also contact the Parish Office at your convenience and arrangements can be made to issue a Parish Envelope Box for your home. Again a huge thanks to everyone for your constant support to both the Development Fund and the Mass Offertory (basket) Collection. Our Parish Bank details are **IBAN IE26 AIBK 9323 9604 1618 61** if you wish to set up your weekly, monthly or annual contribution by using banking online facilities. Every person's or family's contribution makes a huge difference to paying the bills and ensuring the best facilities we can provide for the celebration of public worship and the support of the priest and staff of the parish. Sincere thanks again to everyone.



SCHOOL ENROLMENT It is the time of year for families to enrol their children for the following academic year 2025/26. We draw your attention to this period and especially for those who will have their first child starting 'big school'! The parish schools, Duleek Boys & Girls, Mounthanover, Bellewstown and Cushenstown, will commence accepting applications for admission from Monday 7th October until Monday 4th November. Please see the school websites www.duleekbns.ie, www.duleekgns.ie, www.mounthanoverns.ie, www.bellewstownns.com and www.cushinstownns.com or contact the school offices directly for more information.

COMMUNITY NOTICES

Thank you to everyone who donated or gave prizes to the National Hospice Coffee Morning in Bellewstown, €3,887 was raised. These funds have gone directly to East Meath Hospice.

Duleek Bridge Club lessons for Beginners and Improvers. Lessons will commence in Duleek Community Facility on Thursday 3rd October 11am-12.30pm. If you wish to register for classes please contact 086 8533979 or email joemartininst@gmail.com

Meath Careers Expo 9th October in The Ardboyne Hotel Navan 12 – 7pm 100's of jobs on offer. Meet the employers, Onsite interviews and CV clinics. Check out the jobs and register for FREE at www.careersexpo.ie

