

NEWSLETTER EASTER SUNDAY YEAR C

DULEEK PARISH WITH DONORE PARISH

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Caroline Doyle The Parish Office Parochial House Tuesday to Thursday 9:30 am-4:30pm

Parish Office will be closed

Tuesday 22nd April.

20TH APRIL 2025

MASS INTENTIONS

ST. CIANÁN'S, DULEEK

Holy Saturday 9pm Missa pro populo (Mass for the people)

Easter Sunday 9am Missa pro populo Easter Sunday 12noon Missa pro populo

No Mass on Easter Monday

Easter Tuesday 10am John Lenehan; Thomas Walsh followed by Miraculous Medal Novena – Adoration 6-7pm

No Mass on Easter Wednesday (10am Bellewstown)

No Mass on Easter Thursday (10am Donore)

Easter Friday 10am Missa pro populo

Easter Saturday 7pm Peter Cain; Olive Joyce; Patrick, Mary, Caroline, Carmel & Charlotte McGuinness;

Dec McQuaile family

Divine Mercy Sunday 9am Harry Moss; William Ryan.

Divine Mercy Sunday12noon Patricia Curley; Sylvia Maguire; Walter & May Reilly & dec family.

ST. THÉRÉSE'S, BELLEWSTOWN

Easter Sunday 10am Missa pro populo

Easter Wednesday 10am No Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

Divine Mercy Sunday 10am Audrey Gallagher; Jackie Tallon.



MASS OFFERTORY COLLECTION (Basket Collection): \in 1,052 PARISH DEVELOPMENT FUND (Weekly Envelopes): \in 1,049

Duleek Parish Development Fund Account Number:

IBAN IE26 AIBK 9323 9604 1618 61



If you prefer to use this QR code instead of the basket collection just scan your phone over it and follow the guide.

TO ASSIST AT THE MASSES

All kindly check in at the sacristy before Mass

ST. CIANÁN'S MINISTERS OF THE WORD 20TH & 27TH APRIL Prayers of the Faithful available for Ministers of the Word in the Sacristy. Saturday Vigil Sam Power & Geraldine Little Sun. 9am Ann McWeeney & Shane Hartford Sun 12 noon Billy Doyle & Olivia Woods

ST. CIANÁN'S MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION 26TH & 27TH APRIL TEAM B

Sat Vigil 7pm Ann Marie Dardis; Marina Nolan; Frank Ryan Sun. 9am Monina McAlister; Ann McDonnell; Gillian Duffy Sun 12noon Henry Clifford; Una McGuinness; Olga Hunt.

ST. THÉRÉSE'S MINISTER OF THE WORD SUNDAY 27TH APRIL Aoife Harris

MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION SUNDAY 27TH APRIL Rose Forbes & Una McGuinness



THROUGH BAPTISM WE WELCOME INTO OUR FAITH COMMUNITY: Aoife Áine Lenehan.



INTO YOUR HANDS O LORD, WE COMMEND; Alice Murphy, Shalvey's Lane, Duleek: Patsy Caffrey, Galway, brother of Gerry Caffrey, Duleek.

TRÓCAIRE BOXES can be returned at any ceremony during Holy Week or at Mass the following week. Please place them in the basket in front of the Ambo.

COMMUNITY NOTICES

Only 1 week to the annual **Duleek CF 10K Remembrance Run** 27/04/2025 @ 2:00pm. Looking forward to seeing you there and to your continued support. **Pro Life Campaign** church gate collection at all massed on 26th & 27th April 2025.



THE REGINA COELI Queen of Heaven, rejoice, alleluia. For he whom you were worthy to bear, alleluia. Has risen as he said, alleluia. Pray for us to God, alleluia. Let us pray: O God, who through the resurrection of your Son Jesus Christ gave rejoicing to the world, grant we pray, that through his Mother, the Virgin Mary, we may obtain the joys of everlasting life. Through Christ our Lord. Amen. (The Regina Coeli is recited in place of the Angelus during the Easter season, from Easter Sunday until Pentecost)

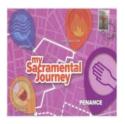


Celebrating this Eastertide, we wish you and your families every blessing as we share in the great joy, peace and hope of Our Risen Saviour Jesus Christ - Fr. Mark & Fr. Declan

Thank you to everyone for joining with us in commemorating the sacred days of Holy Week. To Jim and Bridie and all who have helped them in St. Cianán's and St. Therese's; to all involved in cleaning, decorating and flower arranging the churches; to the choirs, and all involved with providing the beautiful music and singing which always enhances our liturgies; to the Ministers of the Holy Communion, Ministers of the Word for their dedicated help; to the basket collectors and the team of counters; to all who attend to the grounds around our churches and cemeteries; to Caroline in the Parish Office and to the Parish Finance Committee and Parish Pastoral Assembly; to those involved in our parish schools and everyone who so generously and tirelessly participate in making our parish vibrant and joyfully witnessing to the Faith, Hope and Love we hold in God the Almighty and Merciful One. May this Season of Eastertide continue to encourage us to gladly pray, reflect and tell the Good News of Jesus Christ, Our Risen Saviour. Enjoy the Easter Eggs! For Christians the egg is a symbol of Jesus' resurrection, as when they are cracked open they stand for the empty tomb. Eggs were always thought to be special because although they do not seem alive, they have life within them when chickens hatch out!

The Holy Water of Easter is available from the churches for taking home.

"Brothers and sisters, Jesus is our Pasch. He is the One who brings us from darkness into light, who is bound to us forever, who rescues us from the abyss of sin and death, and draws us into the radiant realm of forgiveness and eternal life. Brothers and sisters, let us look up to him! Let us welcome Jesus, the God of life, into our lives, and today once again say "yes" to him. Then no stone will block the way to our hearts, no tomb will suppress the joy of life, no failure will doom us to despair. Brothers and sisters, let us lift our eyes to him and ask that the power of his resurrection may roll away the heavy stones that weigh down our souls. Let us lift our eyes to him, the Risen Lord, and press forward in the certainty that, against the obscure backdrop of our failed hopes and our deaths, the eternal life that he came to bring is even now present in our midst." *Pope Francis, Homily, Easter Vigil 2024*



CONFIRMATION & FIRST HOLY COMMUNION As families and local faith communities we continue to encourage our parents as they support the children along the journey of preparing for the celebrations of these sacraments in 2025. Next weekend the children preparing for First Holy Communion and the recently Confirmed will receive another sticker in their Sacramental Passport for The Easter Season, let us think about the joy of being a young Christian in the world today!



Come as Pilgrims of Hope on a Parish Pilgrimage this October 2025. We are planning to walk the Celtic Camino (25km on the Boyne Valley Camino and 75km from A Coruna to Santiago de Compostella). Think about doing this with friends and fellow parishioners more details to follow.



Please note Adoration in St.Therese's Bellewstown has ceased and will recommence on Wednesday 7th May from 8.30am-9.30am.