



# NEWSLETTER SIXTEENTH SUNDAY YEAR C

**DULEEK PARISH** WITH DONORE PARISH

PARISHES OF THE DULEEK DEANERY

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17<sup>TH</sup> JULY 2022

Caroline Doyle  
The Parish Office  
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Tuesday to Thursday  
10am-5pm

## MASS INTENTIONS

### ST. CIANÁN'S, DULEEK

**Saturday 7:30pm** Lilly Collins 1<sup>st</sup> Ann. & John Collins; Martin, Mary & Eugene Durkin; James Lee; Maureen Weymes.

**Sunday 9am** Patrick & Rosaleen Callaghan.

**12noon** Tony Coleman; Joey & Daisy Cudden; Chris Powderly; Tom & Mary Sullivan; Tony Wall.

**Tuesday 10am Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament 10- 12noon & 6-7pm**

**Wednesday 10am** Brendan & May Clarke & dec. family.

**Thursday 10am** Donors Intention.

**Friday 10am**

**Saturday 7:30pm** Mary Curley 1<sup>st</sup> Ann; Jason Kavanagh.

**Sunday 9am** Kenneth & Kathleen Woods.

**Sunday 12noon** Mark & Annie McGuinness.

Confessions on Saturdays 6:30pm - 7pm

### ST. THÉRÉSE'S, BELLEWSTOWN

**Sunday 10am** Peter & Kathleen Moore.

**Wednesday 9am**

**Sunday 10am** Pat Ludlow.

### THE NATIVITY OF OUR LADY, DONORE

**Sunday 11am Tuesday/Thursday/Friday 9:15am**

### THE NATIVITY OF OUR LADY, ROSSNAREE

**Saturday 6:30pm.**



MASS OFFERTORY COLLECTION (Basket collection): € 773.12

PARISH DEVELOPMENT FUND (Weekly envelopes): € 859.15

Duleek Parish Development Fund Account Number: IBAN IE26 AIBK 9323 9604 1618 61

### TO ASSIST NEXT WEEKEND

ST. CIANÁN'S MINISTERS OF THE WORD FOR 24<sup>TH</sup> & 31<sup>ST</sup> JULY

**Sat 7:30pm** Patricia McGlone **Sun. 9am** James McKenna & Frank Ryan **Sun 12 noon** Mary Lyons & Billy Doyle

ST. CIANÁN'S MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION 23<sup>RD</sup> & 24<sup>TH</sup> JULY TEAM C

**Sat Vigil 7.30pm** Fergal White; Rosemary Reilly; Jackie Lyons; Debbie O'Sullivan **Sun 9am** Billy Doyle; William Maguire; Pat Shanley;

**Sun 12noon** Colm Heeney; Liz Lynch; Mairead Cromwell.

ST. THÉRÉSE'S MINISTER OF THE WORD 24<sup>TH</sup> JULY Brian Quinn MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION Monica Cross & Una McGuinness

*All kindly check in at the sacristy before Mass*

### COMMUNITY NOTICES

Duleek Bellewstown GFC Gaelic4 Mothers and Others are hosting a charity blitz on the 16th July in aid of Muscular Dystrophy Ireland and The Gary Kelly Cancer Support Centre. They will also be hosting a charity cycle, The Tour D'Towns. Donations through GoFundMe page >> <https://gofund.me/28d59fe0> Duleek Senior Citizens Outing Committee will hold their sponsored walk on Sunday 31st July starting from the village green. Refreshments will be served on route and all proceeds will go to the Senior Citizens Christmas Party. Sponsor cards are available from the following: Paddy McConnon 0872782925, Paddy Cudden 086 2570441 or Alan Andrews 086 3106282. Thank you for your continued support. Duleek Heritage Group in partnership with Duleek Development Association are hosting an art Exhibition to commemorate the 25th Anniversary of Simon Coleman's RHA passing. Members of the public who have any of Simon Coleman's works and would like to loan them as part of this exhibition can contact Duleek Heritage Group at [andrew1956wright@gmail.com](mailto:andrew1956wright@gmail.com) Trip to Knock on Thursday the 11th August will depend on numbers going. Due to increase in the cost of fuel, the return fare could be between €30/€35. If interested, contact Ann 086-3131708.



### INTO YOUR HANDS O LORD, WE COMMEND:

Joe Kavanagh, Caulstown, Duleek

### WORLD DAY OF GRANDPARENTS & THE ELDERLY 24<sup>TH</sup> JULY 2022

This is the second year of the newest celebration in the liturgical calendar for us Catholics. Think of how your family might mark this special occasion! As grandparents and grandchildren enjoy their summer holidays, savouring the precious gift of life and love shared together let us come before God giving thanks with a small gesture of faith, hope and love. Every Friday for the summer we invite grandparents to bring their grandchildren to the morning 10am Mass in our parish. There is plenty of space in church so don't let covid issues discourage! Over the coming Fridays Fr. Mark and Fr. Anthony will focus upon this sacred bond between the generations.

**ORDINATION FOR OUR DIOCESE** It is with great joy that the Diocese of Meath celebrates the ordination as priest of Deacon Barry White this Sunday July 17th at 3 pm in the Cathedral of Christ the King, Mullingar by Bishop Tom Deenihan. Barry, who happens to have many relatives in our parish, is from the parish of Rathkenny and will offer his First Mass of Thanksgiving there in the Church of St. Mary & St. Louis at 7pm on Monday evening. We hold Rev. Barry in our prayers and seek the grace of the Holy Spirit to inspire and guide the two seminarians currently in their formation studies in Rome and Maynooth. We pray too for others discerning a vocation to be a priest in the diocese.



**CROAGH PATRICK 20<sup>TH</sup> AUGUST** Join with Fr. Mark & Fr. Anthony on pilgrimage from Duleek & Donore Parishes to Croagh Patrick on Saturday 20<sup>th</sup> August! Please book your seat on the bus by contacting Caroline at the Parish office as soon as possible. Even if you may not be able to do much climbing you are welcome to come along and join with us. Children up to 18 years of age will need to be accompanied by a parent, grandparent or guardian to comply with our Safe-guarding policy.



**THE YOUTH 2000 SUMMER FESTIVAL** is taking place in Clongowes Wood College, Clane from the 11th - 14th of August. Join over 1000 young people between 16 and 35. For more information and to book your place go to [www.youth2000.ie](http://www.youth2000.ie). Please let Fr. Mark or Caroline at the Parish Office know if you are interested in participating. Some young parishioners have taken part in Youth 2000 events before and really enjoyed the experience.

On the Feast of St. Peter & St. Paul 29<sup>th</sup> June 2022 Pope Francis published a new Apostolic Letter for all Catholics, extracts of which we will reflect upon over the coming weeks.

### APOSTOLIC LETTER *DESIDERIO DESIDERAVI* "I have earnestly desired" OF THE HOLY FATHER POPE FRANCIS ON THE LITURGICAL FORMATION OF THE PEOPLE OF GOD

*Desiderio desideravi hoc Pascha manducare vobiscum, antequam patiar* (Lk 22:15)

1. My dearest brothers and sisters, with this letter I desire to reach you all and I write to share with you some reflections on the liturgy, a dimension fundamental for the life of the Church. The theme is vast and always deserves an attentive consideration in every one of its aspects. Even so, with this letter I do not intend to treat the question in an exhaustive way. I simply desire to offer some prompts or cues for reflections that can aid in the contemplation of the beauty and truth of Christian celebration. *The Liturgy: the "today" of salvation history* 2. "I have earnestly desired to eat this Passover with you before I suffer." (Lk 22:15) These words of Jesus, with which the account of the Last Supper opens, are the crevice through which we are given the surprising possibility of intuiting the depth of the love of the persons of the Most Holy Trinity for us. 3. Peter and John were sent to make preparations to eat that Passover, but in actual fact, all of creation, all of history — which at last was on the verge of revealing itself as the history of salvation — was a huge preparation for that Supper. Peter and the others are present at that table, unaware and yet necessary. Necessary because every gift, to be gift, must have someone disposed to receive it. In this case, the disproportion between the immensity of the gift and the smallness of the one who receives it is infinite, and it cannot fail to surprise us. Nonetheless, through the mercy of the Lord, the gift is entrusted to the Apostles so that it might be carried to every man and woman. 4. No one had earned a place at that Supper. All had been invited. Or better said: all had been drawn there by the burning desire that Jesus had to eat that Passover with them. He knows that he is the Lamb of that Passover meal; he knows that he is the Passover. This is the absolute newness, the absolute originality, of that Supper, the only truly new thing in history, which renders that Supper unique and for this reason "the Last Supper," unrepeatable. Nonetheless, his infinite desire to re-establish that communion with us that was and remains his original design, will not be satisfied until every man and woman, *from every tribe, tongue, people and nation* (Re 5:9), shall have eaten his Body and drunk his Blood. And for this reason that same Supper will be made present in the celebration of the Eucharist until he returns again. 5. The world still does not know it, but everyone is *invited to the supper of the wedding of the Lamb* (Re 19:9). To be admitted to the feast all that is required is the wedding garment of faith which comes from the hearing of his Word (cf. Ro 10:17). The Church tailors such a garment to fit each one with the whiteness of a garment *bathed in the blood of the Lamb*. (Re 7:14). We must not allow ourselves even a moment of rest, knowing that still not everyone has received an invitation to this Supper or knowing that others have forgotten it or have got lost along the way in the twists and turns of human living. This is what I spoke of when I said, "I dream of a 'missionary option', that is, a missionary impulse capable of transforming everything, so that the Church's customs, ways of doing things, times and schedules, language and structures can be suitably channelled for the evangelization of today's world rather than for her self-preservation." (*Evangelii gaudium*, n. 27). I want this so that all can be seated at the Supper of the sacrifice of the Lamb and live from Him. See [www.vatican.va](http://www.vatican.va) for full text.

