



NEWSLETTER THIRTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME YEAR A

DULEEK PARISH WITH DONORE PARISH

PARISHES OF THE DULEEK DEANERY

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SCAN ME

2ND JULY 2023

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

PETER'S PENCE COLLECTION for the support of Pope Francis' pastoral activity in Rome and throughout the Universal Church will be taken up at Mass this weekend. This collection especially enables the Pope's outreach to the poor and most neglected in our world. Please check out www.peterspence.va to understand more about this long held annual collection.



MASS INTENTIONS

ST. CIANÁN'S, DULEEK

Saturday 7:30pm Lillian Bruce; Owen Curley; Rosaleen McGinley; Peggy & Jack McCormack.

Sunday 9am Missa pro populo

Sunday 12noon Kevin, Rena, Eamonn & Patrick Andrews; Nicky, Evelyn & Brian Connor & dec family; Martin, Mary & Eugene Durkin.

Tuesday 9.30am *Miraculous Medal Novena – Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament 6-7pm*

No Mass on Wednesday (9.30am Bellewstown)

Thursday 9.30am Missa pro populo

First Friday 9.30am Missa pro populo

Saturday 7:30pm Missa pro populo

Sunday 9am Michael (Mick) Moore M.M

Sunday 12noon Jimmy, Joey & Daisy Cudden; Eddie O'Connor; Margaret Murray; Tony Wall.

Confessions on Saturdays 6.30pm-7pm

FIRST FRIDAY

COMMUNION CALLS

On Thursday Fr. Mark & Fr. Anthony will call to parishioners who are sick and housebound.

ST. THÉRÈSE'S, BELLEWSTOWN

Sunday 10am Peter & Kathleen Moore; Bobby & Mary Power.

Wednesday 9.30am *No Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament*

Wednesday 7pm Mass will be celebrated at Bellewstown racecourse.

Sunday 10am Missa pro populo.



MASS OFFERTORY COLLECTION (Basket collection): € 780
PARISH DEVELOPMENT FUND (Weekly envelopes): € 537
Duleek Parish Development Fund Account Number:
IBAN IE26 AIBK 9323 9604 1618 61



If you have no cash you can just scan your phone over this QR code to contribute to the basket collection

TO ASSIST NEXT WEEKEND

ST. CIANÁN'S MINISTERS OF THE WORD FOR 2ND & 9TH JULY

Sat 7:30pm Sinead Boylan & Geraldine Little **Sun. 9am** Noel Heeney & Alice White **Sun 12 noon** Maria Nestor & Kate McGuinness

ST. CIANÁN'S MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION 8TH & 9TH JULY TEAM A

Sat Vigil 7.30pm Frank McKeon; Damian Quinn; Susan Gleeson **Sun. 9am** John McWeeney; Richard Bowden; Keith McDonald.

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

ST. THÉRÈSE'S MINISTER OF THE WORD 9TH JULY Bernadette McGuinness MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION Monica Cross & Una McGuinness

All kindly check in at the sacristy before Mass



THROUGH BAPTISM WE WELCOME INTO OUR FAITH

COMMUNITY; Fionnán Gerard Townley; Enya Máire Fitzsimons; Cody Blake Bissett; Cillian Jonathan Lynch; Alexander Robert Andrews.

COMMUNITY NOTICES

The Annual St Oliver Plunkett Procession takes place on Sunday 2nd July at 3pm from Holy Family Church, Ballsgrove and proceeds to St Peter's Church where Mass will be celebrated by Bishop Tom Deenihan at 4pm. Everyone welcome.

The Alzheimer's Society Drogheda branch would like to thank everyone who contributed at their recent church gate collection. A total of €1,000 was raised.

SOCIETY OF ST. VINCENT DE PAUL

Helpline 1800 677 777 or contact 087-0931068

ACCORD

For Marriage Preparation Courses or for marriage and relationship counselling www.accord.ie

CHILD SAFEGUARDING

See the church notice boards and diocesan website

VOCATIONS

Ever think about becoming a priest for the Diocese of Meath? Contact Fr. Mark

RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS (R.C.I.A.)

For anyone enquiring about becoming a Catholic and for those baptised who never celebrated the Sacraments of Holy Communion or Confirmation.

More info on all the above on www.dioseseofmeath.ie



THE SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM "With joy the Christian Community welcomes you." These are words from the opening gestures of the Rite of Baptism. Yes, baptism involves the whole faith community and together we share the journey of following Christ in this world leading to Heaven, with the child, with the parents and the godparents. As the wider circle of family and community we pray and support one another in seeking the grace of God to enable us be what we are baptised for; evangelisers! Worshiping and celebrating the mercy and love of God at home and in church, so as to spread the Good News to all around us as we live

out the joys and sorrows, the highs and the lows that are part and parcel of being individuals and couples, family and neighbours, friends and strangers. Together let us continue to create an awareness of how close at hand the Kingdom of God is! *The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults* is also available for those who seek to become a Catholic. To make arrangements for the Sacrament of Baptism please contact the Parish Office. The completed Sacrament of Baptism Booking Form is then returned at the weekend Mass, after which the priest will bless the family in preparation for the Baptism. Pre-Baptism Courses will take place on the last Thursday of every month and parents (godparents may also attend) attend one before the intended Baptism date. Please keep those being presented for baptism in your daily prayers. A Pregnancy Blessing can be requested at any time from the priests either after Mass or by contacting the Parish Office.



THE SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE "This was the first of the signs given by Jesus: it was given at Cana in Galilee. He let his glory be seen, and his disciples believed in him." The sacraments are signs of Jesus with us still! We think of that couple at Cana and how the Lord was so close to them. We invite couples to allow Jesus to be as close them and despite all that can happen in the years ahead, even running out of the wine of love, to trust in how Jesus can turn water into wine! Such is the dept of Christ's love as couples strive to

become unison in mind, body, heart and soul. To make arrangements for the Sacrament of Marriage please contact the Parish Office. The completed Sacrament of Marriage Booking Form is then returned at the weekend Mass, after which the priest will bless the couple as they begin the spiritual journey to their wedding day. At least six month's notice must be given before the intended date. The Sacrament of Marriage can be celebrated simply with the Liturgy of the Word or also with the Liturgy of the Eucharist. Please keep all engaged couples in prayer as they prepare for the Sacrament of Marriage and living it 'for better or worse, for richer or poorer, in sickness and health, all the days of their lives'.

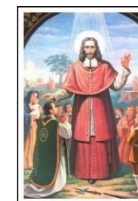
MEATH DIOCESAN PILGRIMAGE TO KNOCK takes place on Sunday 13th August. Anyone interested in going can book their free seat on the Parish Bus, please contact Caroline in Duleek Parish Office on 041-9823205 or email duleekparish@gmail.com. The bus will be leaving the village green at 7.30am and will stop for food at The Richmond Inn, Cloon Dara on the way home.



St. Oliver Plunkett Annual Diocesan Mass in Loughcrew, Oldcastle next Sunday 9th July at 3 pm.

PRAYER TO ST. OLIVER PLUNKETT

Glorious Martyr, St. Oliver, who willingly gave your life for your faith, help us also to be strong in faith. May we be loyal like you to the see of Peter. By your intercession and example may all hatred and bitterness be banished from the hearts of Irish men and women. May the peace of Christ reign in our hearts, as it did in your heart, even at the moment of your death. Pray for us and for Ireland. Amen.



FEAST DAY 1ST JULY

DULEEK & DONORE PARISHES PILGRIMAGE 2023 Last year we climbed Croagh Patrick! This year we again follow St. Patrick as we make the Pilgrim Path along the lake shore overlooking the Station Island of Lough Derg, Co. Donegal. The Lough Derg Pilgrim Path in 2014 became part of Pilgrim Paths Ireland, a network of 12 traditional pilgrim routes scattered across the island of Ireland. It is a 12k route which follows a pilgrim way that was used in the Middle Ages by pilgrims to St Patrick's Purgatory. It might also be possible for our group to visit the Island while we are there. If interested in participating please keep Sat 26th August free and book your seat on the bus by contacting Caroline at the Parish office. Come along and join with us. More details will follow next week.

