

NEWSLETTER FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER YEAR B

DULEEK PARISH WITH DONORE PARISH

PARISHES OF THE DULEEK DEANERY

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21ST APRIL 2024

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MASS INTENTIONS

ST. CIANÁN'S, DULEEK

Saturday 7:30pm Catherine Lynch M.M; Pat Hoey; Olive Joyce; Dec McQuaile family; Tommy Walsh.

9am John Lenehan.

Sunday 12noon Patricia Curley; Elizabeth & Peter Dowling; Sylvia Maguire; Walter & Mary Reilly & dec family.

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

No Mass on Wednesday (9.30am Bellewstown)

Thursday 9:30am Charles McCulloch.

Friday 9:30am Missa pro populo.

Saturday 7:30pm James & Elizabeth Kennedy M.M; Peter Cain; William Lenehan.

9am Harry Moss.

Sunday 12noon Francis Byrne.



ST. THÉRÉSE'S, BELLEWSTOWN

Sunday 10am Dr Denis, Mary & Martin Collins.

Wednesday 9:30am Anne Gerrard Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament 8.30-9.30am

Sunday 10am Audrey Gallagher; Delia & Martin Murtagh; Jackie Tallon.



MASS OFFERTORY COLLECTION (Basket Collection): €1,250.07 PARISH DEVELOPMENT FUND (Weekly envelopes): € 914.80

Duleek Parish Development Fund Account Number:

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TO ASSIST AT THE MASSES

All kindly check in at the sacristy before Mass ST. CIANÁN'S MINISTERS OF THE WORD 21ST & 28TH APRIL Prayers of the Faithful available for Ministers of the Word in the Sacristy. Sat 7:30pm Patricia McGlone & David Doyle Sun. 9am Declan & Freddie Murray Sun 12 noon Maria Nestor & Kate McGuinness

ST. CIANÁN'S MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION 27TH & 28TH APRIL TEAM A

Sat 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. Thérése's Minister of the Word Sunday 28th April Brian Quinn

MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION SUNDAY 28TH APRIL Rose Forbes & Joe Collins



IN BAPTISM WE WELCOME INTO OUR FAITH COMMUNITY: Séimí Anthony Dowling; Lainey Shannen Hutchinson.

INTO YOUR HANDS O LORD, WE COMMEND; Tommy Christie, Mounthanover, Duleek

RECEPTION OF HOLY COMMUNION AT MASS Receiving

Holy Communion we come to Christ who said, "Take and eat." Following our pre-Easter gathering with Ministers of the Word and Holy Communion in St. Cianán's we wish to highlight the appropriate stations for the reception of Holy Communion. Depending on the numbers in attendance at Mass, ministers will be stationed at the top of the aisle, in the middle and at the back door. Anyone seated in the gallery, unless there is a choir, kindly come down to the main body of the church to receive Holy Communion.

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 www.dioceseofmeath.ie

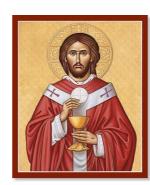
VOCATIONS

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

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. See www.dioseseofmeath.ie for more info.





This weekend is the annual World Day of Prayer for Vocations. The Offertory Collection is for the education of our seminarians, vocations promotion and support in the diocese of Meath. Your contribution is most appreciated and we seek your continual prayers for those discerning the Lord's prompting to serve the People of God as a priest in our diocese. Please keep Anthony Kerr, Mark Caffery, Martin Smith and Nicola Tamburrino studying in Rome and Maynooth and others discerning a vocation to the Diocesan priesthood in your prayers. For more information on becoming a priest in the Diocese of Meath see www.dioceseofmeath.ie or contact Fr Mark.

"Each year, the World Day of Prayer for Vocations invites us to reflect on the precious gift of the Lord's call to each of us, as members of his faithful pilgrim people, to participate in his loving plan and to embody the beauty of the Gospel in different states of life. Hearing that divine call, which is far from being an imposed duty – even in the name of a religious ideal - is the surest way for us to fulfil our deepest desire for happiness. Our life finds fulfilment when we discover who we are, what our gifts are, where we can make them bear fruit, and what path we can follow in order to become signs and instruments of love, generous acceptance, beauty and peace, wherever we find ourselves. This Day, then, is always a good occasion to recall with gratitude to the Lord the faithful, persevering and frequently hidden efforts of all those who have responded to a call that embraces their entire existence. I think of mothers and fathers who do not think first of themselves or follow fleeting fads of the moment, but shape their lives through relationships marked by love and graciousness, openness to the gift of life and commitment to their children and their growth in maturity. I think of all those who carry out their work in a spirit of cooperation with others, and those who strive in various ways to build a more just world, a more solidary economy, a more equitable social policy and a more humane society. In a word, of all those men and women of good will who devote their lives to working for the common good. I think too of all those consecrated men and women who offer their lives to the Lord in the silence of prayer and in apostolic activity, sometimes on the fringes of society, tirelessly and creatively exercising their charism by serving those around them. And I think of all those who have accepted God's call to the ordained priesthood, devoting themselves to the preaching of the Gospel, breaking open their own lives, together with the bread of the Eucharist, for their brothers and sisters, sowing seeds of hope and revealing to all the beauty of God's kingdom. To young people, and especially those who feel distant or uncertain about the Church, I want to say this: Let Jesus draw you to himself; bring him your important questions by reading the Gospels; let him challenge you by his presence, which always provokes in us a healthy crisis. More than anyone else, Jesus respects our freedom. He does not impose, but proposes. Make room for him and you will find the way to happiness by following him. And, should he ask it of you, by giving yourself completely to him." Pope Francis Message for Vocations Sunday 2024

ALTAR SERVERS Being an altar server is a brilliant job at Mass! Altar servers lend a hand getting everything ready in the church before Mass time. They help the priest and all the people to celebrate the Mass. Altar servers can also help at funerals and weddings too! Altar servers keep an eye to make sure the bells are rung at the right time, reminding everyone it's a special moment in the Mass. They look after the books, the chalice, the candles and many other things as well. Usually kids can begin altar serving once they have made their first Holy Communion. You can start at any age and keep serving even when at secondary school. So if you'd like to be an altar server discuss with your parents and then please ask any of the priests at Mass!



TÚS are hoping to help local individuals through their "help together" Project. This project will cover areas such as doing small errands within the village, getting out of cars at church/shops/ GP, Pharmacy, community centre etc, carrying shopping from shop door to the car/house door, helping individuals with literacy issues, library, link with local assist groups. If you need help with any of the following, please contact the Tus Supervisor in your area on 085 8342354 for further information.

COMMUNITY NOTICES

Just 1 Week to the Duleek Cystic Fibrosis 10K Remembrance Run/Walk on 28/04/2024 @ 2:00pm

Duleek Fair are seeking volunteers to help out over the weekend of the fair . If you are interested please email, <u>duleekfairday@gmail.com</u> or call 0861050159 or 0866086621. **Duleek Women's Forum** would like to thank everyone who supported the coffee morning and bring and buy sale held on 9th April which raised €950. This was divided between Duleek Meals on Wheels and Duleek Senior Citizens Outing Committee.

MEATH PILGRIMAGE TO LOURDES

The Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes will travel on September 10th and will be led by Bishop Deenihan. Fares start from €769 with various hotels available. Further information and booking forms are available from Joe Walsh Tours, 89 Harcourt Street, Dublin. www.joewalshtours.ie Tel.: 01 2410800