# **NEWSLETTER** TWENTY-SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME YEAR B



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# MASS INTENTIONS

## ST. CIANÁN'S. DULEEK

Saturday7:30pm Joan Lowthe M.M; Helga Lowthe; Alice Brodigan; John Clarke; Eithne Heasley; Mary & Joseph Smith; Agnes Taaffe.

9am Christy & Hannah Coleman; Baby Eireann McAuley; John O'Brien; Mary Woods. Sunday Sunday **12noon** Patrick Teeling 1<sup>st</sup> Ann; Kelley Noone; Anne O'Brien; Liam O'Halloran.

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

*No Mass on Wednesday (9:30am Bellewstown)* **Thursday** 9.30am Missa pro populo. First Friday 9:30am Parish List of the Dead.

FIRST FRIDAY COMMUNION CALLS This Thursday Fr. Mark
will call to parishioners who are sick and housebound in Duleek
and Fr Declan will call to Donore.

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.

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

## ST. THÉRÉSE'S. BELLEWSTOWN

Sunday **10am** Joe Mulvaney Wednesday 9:30am Adoration will recommence from 8.30am-9.30am

Sunday 10am Robbie Carr.



MASS OFFERTORY COLLECTION (Basket Collection): € 928.70 PARISH DEVELOPMENT FUND (Envelope Collection): €1,032.25 **Duleek Parish Development Fund Account Number:** IBAN IE26 AIBK 9323 9604 1618 61



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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  $6^{\text{TH}} \& 13^{\text{TH}}$  OCT **Prayers of the Faithful available for Ministers of the Word in the Sacristy.** 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 5TH & 6TH OCT TEAM C Sat 7.30pm Rosemary Reilly; Sam Power; Debbie O'Sullivan Sun. 9am Billy Doyle & William Maguire Sun 12noon Colm Heeney; Liz Lynch; Mairead Cromwell.

ST. THÉRÉSE'S MINISTER OF THE WORD SUNDAY 6TH OCT Richard Howard MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION SUNDAY 6TH OCT Rose Forbes & Una McGuinness.



INTO YOUR HANDS O LORD, WE COMMEND; Aiden Kinsella, Cushinstown:

David Keelan, Lower Main Street, Duleek.

**DULEEK ALTAR SOCIETY FOR THE MONTH OF OCTOBER:** Liz Lynch & Patricia Tallon.

## **COMMUNITY NOTICES**

Duleek Community First Responder Group annual church gate collection this weekend at all masses in Duleek & Bellewstown. Your support is greatly appreciated. Duleek Bellewstown Active Retirement trip to Indaver Wed 2nd October @ 10am, meeting at Parish Centre for 9.30am. 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 Duleek Women's Forum re-opens on Tuesday 24th September 2024 @ 10:30am in The Courthouse. Chair Pilates for +65 age exercise to music and keep fit on Thursday 26th September @ 11am in The Courthouse. New members always welcome.

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

**OCTOBER** is the Month dedicated to the Holy Rosary and also to the Mission of the Church. Amid all the difficulties everyone is trying to cope with as we face into the winter don't forget the power of prayer!! 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 It is important that those families seeking the gift of these sacraments take time and make effort in preparing their children by participating in the Parish Masses and other pastoral activities provided throughout the pastoral year leading up to the celebration of the sacraments. The sacraments are much more than just a one day event or party but an ongoing encounter with the Risen Lord, through the power of the Holy Spirit, in the merciful love of Our Heavenly Father. We implore the guidance and intercession of Our Lady, St. Joseph and all the Saints as we journey together as a Faith Community at home, at church and at school. Enrolment Forms for the children, with the support of their families, who wish to receive the Sacrament of Confirmation and make their First Holy Communion, will be available after Masses this weekend or from the Parish Office during Office Hours this week. Enrolment weekend will take place next weekend on Sunday 5<sup>th</sup>/6<sup>th</sup> October when we will celebrate our baptismal call to Mission - You shall be My Witnesses!



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 21/22<sup>nd</sup> October For more information www.stbernadette.ie The parish will be providing a bus on Monday 21st October, more details to follow. To book a seat please contact the parish office.



**THE CHRISTIANS IN BETHLEHEM** Last weekend we welcomed Afif from Bethlehem to our parish. He would like to thank everyone for the warm welcome received and generous support towards the mission of The Holy Cross Group, Bethlehem. A total of €5,270 was raised which will be of great support to the Christians left in the Holy Land.

**MEATH SAMUEL GROUP** Attention Young Adults (age 18-40)... Would you like to strengthen your daily prayer life? Join Meath Samuel Group. Meet one Sunday a month, from Oct to May, at St. Mary's in Navan for Talks, Holy Hour, Confessions, and Mass, with commitment to daily prayer. Led by the Franciscan Sisters of the Renewal. It's free! Begins 6 October, register now at www.franciscansisterscfr.com/st-anthony



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 7<sup>th</sup> October until Monday 4<sup>th</sup> 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.

