



DULEEK PARISH WITH DONORE PARISH
 PARISHES OF THE DULEEK DEANERY
 Fr. Mark English P.P.
 Fr. Declan Kelly C.C.
 Fr. Francis Musoke A. P.
 Parochial House,
 Duleek,
 Co Meath A92 E085
 Tel: 041-9823205
 www.duleekbellewstownparish.com email: duleekparish@gmail.com



Time to put your clocks back!

Caroline Doyle
 The Parish Office
 Parochial House
 Tuesday to Thursday
 9.30am-4.30pm

MASS INTENTIONS

ST. CIANÁN'S, DULEEK

Saturday 7:30pm Kathleen Byrne; Paddy & Monty Gogan & dec family; Nicola Devine; Peter Mooney; Timothy Shanley; Fred Shuter; Denis, May & Loretto Walsh;

Sunday 9am Pat, Maisie, Gerry & Tosh Healy; Angela Whelan.

Sunday 12noon David Keelan M.M; John, Margaret, Bridie & John Anderson; Bridie Coleman; Nancy Gallagher; Sean Doonan; Bartle & Aidan Lenehan; Tommy & Brian O'Connor.

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

No Mass in Duleek on Wednesday (9:30am Mass in Bellewstown)

No Mass in Duleek on Thursday (9am Mass in Donore)

Friday 9:30am Parish List of the Dead

Friday 7.30pm Feast of All Saints & All Souls

Saturday 9.30am Feast of All Souls – Parish List of the Dead

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

Saturday 7:30pm Parish List of the Dead.

Sunday 9am Parish List of the Dead George Romeril; Thomas, Margaret, Charles & Rosemary Ryan.

Sunday 12noon Parish List of the Dead Alice Callaghan; Siobhan Erdogan; Mamie, Tommy & Thomasina Finnegan; Dick & Johnny Murray; Peter Powderly; Martina Traynor; Josephine & Patrick Walsh.

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 Bridget & Margaret Arnold; Joe & Molly Clerkin & dec family.

Wednesday 9:30am Adoration from 8.30am-9.30am followed by mass.

Sunday 10am Marie Martin; Vincent, Elizabeth & Irene Moore; William, Ellen, Tom & Bridget Sherry.



MASS OFFERTORY COLLECTION (Mission Sunday): € 1,168.90
 PARISH DEVELOPMENT FUND (Envelope Collection): € 1,629.30
Sincere thanks for the generous contribution to the Mission Sunday Collection.



TO ASSIST AT THE MASSES

ST. CIANÁN'S MINISTERS OF THE WORD 3RD & 10TH NOV *Prayers of the Faithful available for Ministers of the Word in the Sacristy.*
Sat 7:30pm Sam Power & Gerladine Little *Sun.9am* Noel Heeney & Alice White *Sun 12noon* Billy Doyle & Olivia Woods

ST. CIANÁN'S MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION 2ND & 3RD NOV TEAM A
Sat 7.30pm Damian Quinn; Susan Gleeson; Paul Ryan *Sun. 9am* John McWeeney; Richard Bowden; Keith McDonald
Sun 12noon Joe Martin; Bryan O'Sullivan; Stephen McKee

ST. THÉRÉSE'S MINISTER OF THE WORD SUNDAY 3RD NOV Caroline Jenkinson
MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION SUNDAY 3RD NOV Una McGuinness & Joe Collins.



ON RECENTLY CELEBRATING THE SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE WE CONGRATULATE: Nicola Ayres & Thomas Murphy.



DULEEK ALTAR SOCIETY FOR THE MONTH OF NOVEMBER: Joan Dorey & Carol Saurin.

COMMUNITY NOTICES

Duleek Fair Committee Christmas Fair will be held in Duleek Community Facility on Sunday 24th November. To book email duleekfairday@gmail.com.

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



1ST NOVEMBER FEAST OF ALL SAINTS Halloween traditionally celebrates the evening before the festival of the saints. In doing so it banished all things evil with the confidence we Christians have in the example of the great witness of the saints and of their intercession for us still as we continue our journey to heaven. It was also a time to indulge in the fruits of the harvest before storing stuff away to feed upon over the winter months. With modern day living this is not such a pressing concern! It was a fearful time ahead, as winter would take its toll with the deaths of many due to the harshness of winter time; think about how there was none of the covid or flu vaccines etc

we reply upon today to survive. In fact we have lost much of the significance of all these special days because of our modern lifestyle. Let us pause to take stock of our faith and belief in the saints and in the life everlasting for all the faithful departed

NOVEMBER A TIME TO REMEMBER During November we commemorate the Faithful Departed. We compile our own individual list of our beloved dead and add them to the *Parish List of the Dead 2023*. A Parish List of the Dead envelope should have been delivered to your home. Alternatively, you can pick up a List of the Dead and an envelope in the church porches or mark any envelope 'Parish List of the Dead'. Please return your List and Offering at any Mass. Throughout November at every Mass and on the First Friday's of every month we remember and pray for the repose of the souls of all the Faithful Departed.

'Indeed, the Church in its pilgrim members, from the very earliest days of the Christian religion, has honoured with great respect the memory of the dead; and "because it is a holy and wholesome thought to pray for the dead that they may be loosed from their sins" (2Mac 12:46) she offers her suffrages for them. These consist, primarily, in celebration of the holy sacrifice of the Eucharist, and in other pious exercises, such as prayers for the dead, alms deeds, works of mercy, and the application of indulgences to the souls of the faithful departed.' Directory on Popular Piety and the Liturgy, 251

Norms for Indulgences at the Commemoration of All Souls – By making confession within the week preceding or following 1st November, receiving Holy Communion and praying for the Pope's Intentions (One Our Father & Hail Mary) when visiting a church or cemetery, one can gain a plenary indulgence for the holy souls of our dead.

On Wednesday 6th November at 7:30pm in St. Cianán's Church a special Mass of Memory will be offered, at which we will think especially of the parishioners whom we have buried since this time last year. We invite their families to join us for this Memorial, as we recognise their grief and support them with our prayers. We also invite other parishioners who may have lost loved ones and celebrated their funerals elsewhere. Please come and join with us as we pray for the gentle repose of their souls in the eternal love and mercy of God.



A PARTY INVITE! Commemorating the Feast of All Saints on 1st November we invite the children of our parish and their families to a special 7:30pm Mass in St. Cianán's Duleek dressed as a favourite saint. There are lots to choose from, including many on the links Bishop Tom sent to the Confirmation children! Afterwards there will be party food and some prizes will be given to the best-dressed 'boy saint' & 'girl saint'! Relics of some saints will be on display as we celebrate this most sacred Day and the Feast of All Souls 2nd November.

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. The children next weekend receive another sticker in their Sacramental Passport, as we remember our beloved dead, who have shared the Gospel of Eternal Life with us.

