

NEWSLETTER SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER YEAR C

DULEEK PARISH WITH DONORE PARISH

PARISHES OF THE DULEEK DEANERY

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Caroline Doyle The Parish Office Parochial House Tuesday to Thursday 9:30 am-4:30pm

25TH MAY 2025

MASS INTENTIONS

ST. CIANÁN'S, DULEEK

Sat Vigil 7pm Patrick Branigan M.M; May Adams; Pauline, Patrick, James & Keith Levins; Nancy Bradley; Alice Murphy; Peter, Frank & Christina McGrane; Paddy & Anne O'Brien; Kathleen Smith; Michael & Maureen Smith.

Sunday 9am Liam Maguire; Eugene & Julia McHugh; Michael (Mick) Moore. Thomas Clinton & dec. family

Sunday 12noon Christopher & Ivor Bell; Patrick & Alicia Carolan & dec family; Margaret & John Cluskey;

Cepta Cudden; May & Kevin Heeney; Noel Kavanagh; Thomas & Margaret Moore; Mollie & John Regan.

Tuesday 9.30am followed by Miraculous Medal Novena – Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament 6-7pm No Mass on Wednesday (9.30am Bellewstown)

Thursday 9.30am Missa pro populo

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urday 7pm The Ascension of the Lord Michael, Ann, Patrick & Eamon Griffin; Patrick Sheridan; Miriam Traynor.

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9am The Ascension of the Lord Cyril Fleming; Jim Mimna; Leila Reilly.
Sunday
12noon The Ascension of the Lord First Holy Communion Duleek Boys NS

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 Derek Bellew; Lily Flood & dec family; Daniel & Jessie Hanratty; David Loughlin; Patricia Woods;
Walter & Bernadette Hemeryck; Stephen, Mary, Marie & Billy Hyland; Todd Slevin; Kathleen Martin; Tommy Smith.
Wednesday 9.30am Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament from 8.30am-9.30am

Sunday 10am The Ascension of the Lord First Holy Communion Bellewstown NS



MASS OFFERTORY COLLECTION (Basket Collection): €1,718.80 PARISH DEVELOPMENT FUND (Weekly Envelopes): €830.25

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 1ST & 8TH JUNE Prayers of the Faithful available for Ministers of the Word in the Sacristy. Saturday Vigil Patricia McGlone Sun.9am Aileen Crosby & Emily Maguire Sun 12 noon Ann Marie Maughan & Ann Finger

St. Cianán's Ministers of Holy Communion 31st May & 1st June Team A

Sat Vigil 7pm Susan Gleeson; Paul Ryan; Denise Duff 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 1ST JUNE Caroline Jenkinson

MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION SUNDAY 1ST JUNE Rose Forbes & Joe Collins



Into Your hands O Lord, we commend;

Antanas Benevicicis, Lithuania, father of Zydrune, Duleek.

COMMUNITY NOTICES

Duleek Heritage church gate collection will take place at all masses this weekend. **Duleek Heritage** are showcasing a mural to Simon Coleman on Saturday 24th May @ 2pm in The Courthouse. All welcome. Bio diversity week, swift walk and talk will take place on Sunday 25th May 7-8.30pm. **St Vincent de Paul Church Gate Collection** will take place at all masses on Saturday 30th May and Sunday 1st June. **Duleek Fair** will take place on Sunday 22nd June. Stallholders can email <u>duleekfairday@gmail.com</u> for more details.

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



DIOCESAN CHANGES 2025 This week Bishop Tom has published online and in the local papers his announcement of the following clerical changes which will take effect on Friday 4th July: Fr.Sean Garland, PP Clonmellon to retire; Fr. John Moorehead, PP Eglish to retire; Fr. Terry Toner, PP Kilmessan to be AP Kilmessan; Fr.John Conlon, PP Drogheda to be PP Donore in addition; Fr. Michael Meade PP Kilcormac to be PP Eglish in addition; Fr.Padraig McMahon, PP Athboy to be PP Clonmellon in addition; Fr. William Coleman, PP Rochfordbridge to be PP Ballinabrackey in addition; Fr. David Bradley, PP Kells to be PP Nobber and PP Kilbeg; Fr.

Martin Halpin, PP Ballinabrackey to be PP Summerhill and PP Kilmessan; Fr. Liam Malone, PP Nobber and PP Kilbeg to be PP Duleek; Fr Mark English, PP Duleek & Adm. Donore to be PP Kells; Fr. Declan Kelly, CC Duleek & Donore to be CC Kells and CC Kilskyre; Fr. Barry White, CC Mullingar to be Diocesan Chancellor in addition; Fr. Eusebiu Tulbure, CC Navan, Diocese of Iasi, Romania recalled for new appointment in Dublin; Fr. Robert Badau, Diocese of Iasi, Romania to be CC, Navan; Fr. Yohanna Jacob, AP Summerhill to be AP Moynalvey; Fr. Jinse Jose, Indian Chaplaincy to be CC Ballinabrackey; Rev. Anthony Kerr, Deacon to Navan Parish; Fr. Vincent McKay, CSSp, CC Summerhill to return to Spiritan Congregation; Fr. Wojciech Jaisonek, CC Moynalvey to return to Poland.



FIRST HOLY COMMUNION 2025 As we continue to keep all the children and their families in our prayers, we look forward to celebrating the following:

SUNDAY 1ST JUNE 10am St. Therésé's Church, Bellewstown, Bellewstown NS

SUNDAY 1ST JUNE 12noon St. Cianán's Church, Duleek Boys NS

Your love, support and prayers for the youngest children in our Faith community is much appreciated. Together let us encourage these children and their families as Pilgrims of Hope!

THE JUBILEE PRAYER Father in heaven, may the faith you have given us in your son, Jesus Christ, our brother, and the flame of charity enkindled in our hearts by the Holy Spirit, reawaken in us the blessed hope for the coming of your Kingdom. May your grace transform us into tireless cultivators of the seeds of the Gospel. May those seeds transform from within both humanity and the whole cosmos in the sure expectation of a new heaven and a new earth, when, with the powers of Evil vanquished, your glory will shine eternally. May the grace of the Jubilee reawaken in us, Pilgrims of Hope, a yearning for the treasures of heaven. May that same grace spread the joy and peace of our Redeemer throughout the earth. To you our God, eternally blessed, be glory and praise for ever. Amen.

THE KNIGHTS OF ST COLUMBANUS will bring Saint Oliver Plunkett to the people facilitating prayerful engagement and veneration. Our Festival of Prayer is now in its 20th year. To mark this feat, the Knights intend to work in partnership for 2025, with Saint Oliver 400 Community Group. This voluntary group is coordinating the celebration of 400 years since the courageous saint's birth and the Golden Jubilee of his canonisation. The Relic of St Oliver Plunkett will be at St. Cianan's Church, Duleek on Saturday, the 14th June for Mass at 7pm and also in St. Therese Church, Bellewstown on Sunday morning for Mass at 10am.



NEW LEGION OF MARY PRAESIDIUM We are delighted to announce the formation of a new praesidium (local



group) of the Legion of Mary in our parish. This is a wonderful opportunity to deepen your faith through prayer, evangelization, and service to others. We warmly invite new active and auxiliary members to join us. Meetings for members are held weekly on **Wednesdays at 6:30 pm** in the prayer rooms and last approx 1 hour. Auxiliary membership is open to those unable to make a commitment but are keen to support the work of the Legion by reciting a prayer for a couple of minutes daily or as circumstances permit. If you are interested in learning more or joining, please contact: Richard 0852462340 or James 0863477543. All are welcome!

CEMETERY SUNDAY WEEKEND JUNE 7th/8th 2025 Blessing of the graves will take place on Saturday 7th June at 5pm in Crossmacole Cemetery and in St. Mary's Abbey after the Vigil Mass. On Sunday 8th June at 1pm in Holy Cross & Good Shepherd cemeteries. Thanks to you who attend so attentively to your family graves throughout the year. There are a number of unattended graves in Holy



to your family graves throughout the year. There are a number of unattended graves in Holy Cross cemetery as the deceased no longer have living relatives so if anyone is available to offer their services to clean and tidy these graves please meet in the cemetery on Monday evenings at 7pm. For further information please contact James (086) 347 7543 or Alison (086) 353 4255