



DULEEK-BELLEWSTOWN PARISH NEWSLETTER

28TH JUNE 2026

THIRTEENTH SUNDAY - YEAR A

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Tuesday: 10.00am - 4.00pm

Wed & Thurs: 9.00am - 4.00pm

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday 17th October	7.00pm	Frank & Rita Dardis.
Sunday 18th October Twenty-Ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time MISSION SUNDAY	9.00am	People of the Parish.
	10.00am (Bellewstown)	People of the Parish.
	12.00pm	Tommy & Mary Christie & dec. family; Tina Malone; Tony McGuinness; James & Catherine O'Neill; Mary Weldon.
Tuesday 20th October	9.30am	Kathleen Clarke.
Wednesday 21st October	9.30am (Bellewstown)	People of the Parish.
Thursday 22nd October Memorial: St John Paul II	9.30am	People of the Parish.
Friday 23rd October	9.30am	Patrick Bird.
Saturday 24th October Memorial: St Anthony Mary Claret	7.00pm	John & Julia Byrne; Molly Clarke; Baby Emma Reilly; Margaret, James & Mary Curley & dec family; Breda O'Connor; Thomas, Kathleen & Frank Smith; Nicola Devine; Paddy & Monty Gogan; Peter Mooney & dec family; Angela, Margaret & John McCann.
Sunday 25th October Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time	9.00am	Timothy Shanley; Rosemarie & Charlie Ryan.
	10.00am (Bellewstown)	Joe Clerkin & dec family.
	12.00pm	Alice Callaghan; Tommy & Brian Connor; Mary (May) Keogh; Dick & Johnny Murray.

ADORATION & EUCHARISTIC BENEDICTION		
	St. Cianan's, Duleek	Bellewstown
Tuesday	6.00pm - 7.00pm	
Wednesday		8.30am - 9.30am
Saturday	5.00pm - 6.00pm	

SACRAMENT OF CONFESSION		
	St. Cianan's, Duleek	Bellewstown
Saturday	6.00pm - 7.00pm	
Sunday		10.45am - 11.15am



SUNDAY MASS PLATE COLLECTION: € 935.06

SHRINES (Duleek): € 191.94

PRIESTS OFFERING ENVELOPES: € 1,634.70

Many thanks for your generous contribution to the Priest's Offering.



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TO ASSIST AT THE MASSES

ST. CIANÁN'S MINISTERS OF THE WORD 18TH & 25TH OCT

Saturday Vigil Patricia McGlone & Olivia Duffy **Sun. 9am** Ann McWeeney & Shane Hartford

Sun 12 noon Catriona Dillon & Geraldine Potter Redmond.

ST. CIANÁN'S MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION 24TH & 25TH OCT - TEAM B

Sat Vigil 7pm Ann Marie Dardis; Marina Nolan; Frank Ryan **Sun. 9am** Monina McAlister; Ann McDonnell; Gillian Duffy.

Sun 12noon Henry Clifford; Una McGuinness; Olga Hunt.

ST. THÉRÈSE'S MINISTER OF THE WORD SUNDAY 25TH OCT Aoife Harris

MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION SUNDAY 25TH OCT Una McGuinness & Sindy Nelson

All kindly check in at the sacristy before Mass



THROUGH BAPTISM WE WELCOME INTO OUR PARISH: Martin Benjamin Gavin.

PRAYERS FOR THE FAITHFUL DEPARTED

We pray for Kay Mason, The Commons, Duleek, whose funeral Mass took place earlier this week.

Also we pray for Margaret Smyth, Drogheda Road, whose funeral will take place on Tuesday at

11.00am in St. Cianan's Church, Duleek. Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord...





WORLD MISSION SUNDAY

Today is World Mission Sunday, in which we remember the call of Christ to “go out to all nations” (cfr Mat 28,19) and to spread the good news. Today, we pray for all missionaries who are evangelizing throughout the world. *“Our world, wounded by war, violence and injustice, needs to hear the Gospel message of God’s love and to experience the reconciling power of Christ’s grace. In this sense, the Church herself, in all her members, is increasingly called to be a*

“missionary church that opens its arms to the world, proclaims the Word... and becomes a leaven of harmony for humanity.” – Pope Leo, May 2025. Today’s collection will go towards the “Missio Ireland”, which is the Pope’s charity which organizes the annual Irish church appeal to support overseas missionaries and their mission work. Your support this Sunday for missionaries and the communities they serve, through your prayer and generosity, is deeply appreciated.

SOLEMN VESPERS IN MULLINGAR FOR FR WILLIE DOYLE

Today at 4.00pm, Bishop Tom Deenihan will formally close the Diocesan Investigation into the cause of canonization of Fr Willie Doyle, S.J. Father Doyle was an Irish Jesuit priest who served as an army chaplain in World War One, and gave his life ministering to soldiers at the Battle of Passchendaele in 1917. This is the first time in over forty years that a Cause for Sainthood has successfully conclude in Ireland, the last being Nano Nagle. The documentation will now go to Rome. Parishioners across the diocese are welcome to attend the celebration of Vespers in the Cathedral today. It is recommended to get there early as many people from all over Ireland will attend this event.



PRAYERS FOR POPE LEO XIV

Pope Leo XIV underwent a 90 minute surgery on Tuesday at Rome’s Gemelli Hospital and was subsequently diagnosed with lung adenocarcinoma – a type of cancer usually found in the outer part of the organ. “The operation was successful and there were no complications,” the Vatican said. “After the operation, the Pope awoke normally and returned after a brief period of observation to his room.” We keep Pope Leo in our prayers at this time.

VOCATIONS HOLY HOUR

The Diocese of Meath is organizing a Holy Hour for Vocations to the Priesthood in our parish this coming Friday at 7.00pm in St. Cieran’s Church. Fr Tony Gonoude, vocations director for our diocese will visit Duleek in order to pray for vocations to the priesthood. Any young men who are discerning their call to priesthood are warmly invited to attend. For further information on the diocese vocations’ program, please visit: Website: www.meathvocations.com; Email: vocations@dioceseofmeath.ie or contact Fr Tony Gonoude Tel: 044-9373923. The evening’s Holy Hour will be broadcast live on the Facebook page: DioceseOfMeath Vocations.



PARISH LIST OF THE DEAD

November is the month in which we remember all of our faithful departed. Each year, parishioners are invited to compile a list of the dead for whom they wish prayers to be offered. This list is then included in our *Parish List of the Dead*. These souls are then remembered at the **Mass of Remembrance on Monday 2nd November at 7.00pm**, as well as the Masses celebrated on the First Friday of the Month throughout the next twelve months. Envelopes will be distributed to all households of our parish in the coming days. Parishioners are invited to write down the names of their loved ones, place them in these envelopes, and return them to the Parish Office.

PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Please note that the Parish Office will be closed next week and will reopen on Tuesday 27th October at 10.00am. For all queries, please call the parish office on: 041-98232055 or email: duleekparish@gmail.com.

