



DULEEK-BELLEWSTOWN PARISH NEWSLETTER

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Beauparc, Slane & Rathkenny.

1ST NOVEMBER 2026

ALL SAINTS DAY - YEAR A

Parish Secretary:
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Parish Office Hours:
Tuesday: 10.00am - 4.00pm
Wed & Thurs: 9.00am - 4.00pm

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday 31 st October	7.00pm	Kathleen Byrne; Pat, Maisie, Gerry & Tosh Healy; Patrick Carolan; Michael Halligan.
Sunday 1 st November All Saints Day	9.00am	Angela Whelan; Patrick & Kathleen Moss.
	10.00am (Bellewstown)	Patrick & Catherine O’Brien.
	12.00pm	Eamon Corr; Peter Powderly; Pete, Mary & Natalie Noone; Breda & Tom Joe McDonnell.
Monday 2 nd November All Souls Day	7.00pm	Mass of Remembrance.
Tuesday 3 rd November Memorial: St Malachy	9.30am	George Romeril.
Wednesday 4 th November Memorial: St Charles Borromeo	9.30am (Bellewstown)	People of the Parish.
Thursday 5 th November	9.30am	People of the Parish.
Friday 6 th November Feast: All the Saints of Ireland	9.30am	People of the Parish. First Friday Mass.
Saturday 7 th November	10.00am	Parish List of the Dead. First Saturday Mass of Our Lady.
	7.00pm	Thomas Doran - Month’s Mind.
Sunday 8 th November Thirty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time.	9.00am	People of the Parish.
	10.00am (Bellewstown)	Marie Martin; William & Ellen Sherry; Tom & Bridget Sherry.
	12.00pm	Cyril Fleming; Tommy & Mamie Finnegan; Thomasina Finnegan; Siobhan Erdogan; Martina Traynor.

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: € 1,352.70
SHRINES (Duleek): € 127.30
PARISH DEVELOPMENT FUND (18th Oct): € 1,011.55
PARISH DEVELOPMENT FUND (25th Oct): € 510.25
Duleek Parish Development: IBAN IE26 AIBK 9323 9604 1618 61



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TO ASSIST AT THE MASSES

ST. CIANÁN’S MINISTERS OF THE WORD 1ST & 8TH NOV

Saturday Vigil Sam Power & Geraldine Little Sun. 9am Una Doyle & Annette Murray

Sun 12 noon David McGuinness & Majella Armstrong

ST. CIANÁN’S MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION 7TH & 8TH NOV - TEAM A

Sat Vigil 7pm Paul Ryan; Denise Duff; Susan Gleeson Sun. 9am John McWeeney; Richard Bowden; Keith McDonald.

Sun 12noon Joe Martin; Bryan O’Sullivan; Stephen McKee

ST. THERÉSE’S MINISTER OF THE WORD SUNDAY 8TH NOV Brian Quinn

MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION SUNDAY 8TH NOV Una McGuinness & Sindy Nelson

All kindly check in at the sacristy before Mass

COMMUNITY NOTICES

Duleek Bellewstown Active Retirement meeting Wednesday 3rd November @ 2.00pm in The Parish Centre. Paula from ‘Alone’ will give a talk. Bowls every Tuesday @ 2pm in Parish Centre. Everyone welcome.



ALL SAINTS DAY

Today, 1st November, we celebrate the Solemnity of All Saints, where we honor the glorious company of the canonized saints in heaven. From great theologians like St. Thomas Aquinas and heroic martyrs like St. Oliver Plunkett, to modern witnesses of faith like St. John Paul II and St. Teresa of Calcutta, these formally recognized holy men and women serve as our heavenly intercessors and ultimate role models. They prove that holiness is possible in every era, culture, and walk of life. As we gather for Mass, we look to their extraordinary examples of virtue, courage, and devotion to inspire our own daily lives.

MASS OF REMEMBRANCE FOR OUR DECEASED

A special Holy Mass of Remembrance will take place on **Monday 2nd November at 7:00pm in St. Cianán’s Church**. This Mass will be offered for all the parishioners who have passed away since this time last year. We invite the families of these deceased to join us for this Mass, so that together we can remember all of the souls who are dear to us. We also invite other parishioners who may have lost loved ones and celebrated their funerals elsewhere.



INDULGENCES FOR OUR FAITHFUL DEPARTED

By going to 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, a person can gain a plenary indulgence for the holy souls of our faithful departed. According to Catholic tradition, when a plenary indulgence is applied to a soul in purgatory, that soul can enter heaven.

TREE OF MEMORY

In both our churches, a *Tree of Memory* has been placed. This tree contains tags with the names of our parishioners who lived in the parish and who died in the past twelve months. Everyone is invited to write the names of their loved ones who died elsewhere this past year and also place them on the branches. Tags are available at the foot of the Tree.



THE LEGION OF MARY

The local Praesidium of the Legion of Mary is praying the Rosary in Holy Cross Cemetery every Saturday in the month of November at 3.00pm for the repose of the Holy Souls and particularly for those recently departed in our parish. Those interested are requested to gather at the Crucifix at the centre of the Holy Cross Cemetery, Newlanes, Duleek. It takes about 20 minutes and all are welcome to attend and join with Legion members.

MEETING OF ALTAR SOCIETY & COLLECTORS AT MASSES

A meeting will take place in **St Cianán’s Church, Duleek** for all of those involved in the Altar Society, and for those who do the collection baskets at our weekend Masses. All members are kindly asked to attend. **Thursday 5th November 7.00pm: Altar Society; 7.45pm: Collectors**



PARISH THANK YOU EVENING

Many parishioners give their time and energy to volunteer in different ways in our parish. As a way of saying thank you, Fr Stephen and Fr Brendan would like to invite all parish volunteers to a parish night of appreciation in the **Glenside Hotel on Thursday 12th November at 7.00pm**. Members of all groups are welcome to come: members of our Parish Pastoral Council, Finance Committee, readers,

Eucharistic ministers, sacristans, choir members, cleaners, altar society, collectors, envelope distributors and all of those who help out in any way in our parish. To book your place, please contact Caroline in the parish office on: 041-9823205 or email: duleekparish@gmail.com. Thank you to everyone for your wonderful support!

PRAYERS FOR THE FAITHFUL DEPARTED

We pray for Frances Baron, sister of Freddie Murray, Meadesbrook and we pray for Josey Kerr, Slane, sister of Alice Brodigan and mother of Ian Kerr, Duleek who passed away this week. Eternal rest grant unto them O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon them. May they rest in peace.

