

Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

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#### **Priesthood in Our Diocese**

Priesthood is a gift from God that brings us to God. It is a call less ordinary and beautiful. It is a ministry that goes out from the altar of the Lord's Presence to those sick at home or in hospital, to the young in search of meaning and to those seeking hope. Without the Priesthood we cannot have Mass or the Sacraments; the very person of Christ among us. May every family in our parish with a son never fear God's call. Let us continue to pray that young men will offer themselves to the Lord in his service. Contact: Vocations Director Fr Tony Gonoude Tel: 044 9373923

O Lord, my God, You renew the Church in every age by raising up priests outstanding in holiness, living witnesses of Your unchanging Love. In Your Plan for our salvation You provide shepherds for Your people. Fill the hearts of young men with the spirit of courage and love that they may answer Your call generously. Give parents the grace to encourage vocations in their family by prayer and good example. Raise up worthy priests for Your Altars and ardent, but gentle servants of the Gospel. Give the Church more priests and keep them faithful in their love and service. May many young men choose to serve You by devoting themselves to the service of Your people in our Diocese.

Amen.

The Peter Pence collection will take place today Sunday 9th July at all Masses.

Pilgrimage to Assisi & San Giovanni Rotondo Group Leader: AnneMarie Byrne Led by Spiritual Director 27th July, 2023, 6 nights - €999 per person

Call AnneMarie on 086.089 2788 for full itinerary

The Annual Pioneer Pilgrimage to Knock will take place next Sunday 16 July. Mass at 3pm with Anointing of the Sick beforehand at 2:30pm. Newsletters & Emblems available at PTAA stand in St John's Rest & Care Centre or via www.pioneers.ie

### Grandparents Pilgrimage to Knock Shrine on Sunday July 23rd, 2023 Schedule of Ceremonies

2:00pm Rosary,

2:30pm Anointing of the Sick at the Knock Basilica,

3:00pm Concelebrated Mass at Knock Basilica followed by Benediction & Rosary Procession. For further information see www.knockshrine.ie Tel: 094 9388100

### **NEW MASS TIMES**

**ST. MARY'S PARISH** 

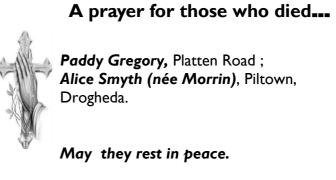
**SUNDAY**—9:00am, 11:00am, 7:00pm DAILY-8:00am, 10:00am (MONDAY-FRIDAY) 10:00AM (SATURDAY) \*\*\*\*

HOLY FAMILY PARISH **SATURDAY**—Vigil Mass at 7:30pm SUNDAY: 10:00am, 12 noon DAILY: 9:00am (MONDAY—FRIDAY) Please note there will be no Saturday morning mass and no Sunday evening mass.

## St Mary's & Holy Family Parishes Confirmations for 2024 will take place on Saturday 10th February

# Mass Intentions for week beginning Sunday 9th July, 2023

|                  | 7:00pm                       |   |
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|                  | 4:00pm                       | Polish Mass   |
|                  |                              | Eddie Mc Govern,  |
|                  | 11:00am                      | Michael Kelly Firs  |
| Sunday 16th July | 9:00am                       | 2 /   |
| Saturday         | 10:00am                      | Bernie Gregory  |
|                  | 10:00am                      |   |
| Friday           | 8:00am                       |   |
| Thursday         | 10:00am                      | Special Intention   |
| Thursday         | 10:00am<br>8:00am            | Special Intention   |
| Wednesday        | 8:00am                       | For the Sick  |
|                  | 10:00am                      | Brendan Gibbons   |
| Tuesday          | 8:00am                       |   |
| •                | 10:00am                      |   |
| Monday           | 8:00am                       | Peace   |
| Sunday 9th July  | 9:00am<br>I I:00am<br>7:00pm | Special Intention<br>Joe Kavanagh <i>1st A</i><br>Aidan & Marian Ma<br>Christopher & Brid<br>Jim, Jenelle & Paul<br>members; Leo & C<br>Patrick & Maureen |
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Anniversary; Ella Flynn; David McNally; 1a cKenna; Tony & Marie Wade; idget Hughes & deceased family members, Byrne; Frank & Mary Smith & deceased family Catherine Fuller & deceased family members; n Mc Donnell & Val Vaughey; Mary & Bridget Mullen

st Anniversary; Tony & Marie Wade; Kitty Wolfe & deceased family members

### **Supporting Our Parish:**

Sunday 2nd July, 2023

Parish Dev Fund: €985.00 Offertory: €775.00 Donate Button: €346.00 Standing Order: €3,123.14

Many thanks. Keep safe and well.