St Mary's Parish, Drogheda
Sunday 22nd January, 2023

Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

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Email addressstmarysdrogheda@gmail.comParish websitewww.stmarysdrogheda.ieThe Lord's Day9:00am, 10:30am, 12noon & 7:00pmMonday ~ Friday8:00am and 10:00am; Saturday 10:00amHolydays8:00am, 10:00am & 7:00pm

Vocations Notice

In the Gospel this Sunday we see Christ walk into the lives of the fishermen. They had been mending nets, the tools of their work. At His word, they leave everything to follow Him. Being with Jesus becomes the essence of their lives, His person becomes the new net which to cast into the waters of time. The disciples become ministers of His Word. Every call to the Sacred Priesthood occurs when the Lord walks into our lives with His words of invitation, "Follow Me." He is still inviting young men to cast out the nets of faith today. Being a priest is to be always with and near Jesus and to bring Him to others. Answer his call, cast his nets. Be a priest that will bring many to Jesus.

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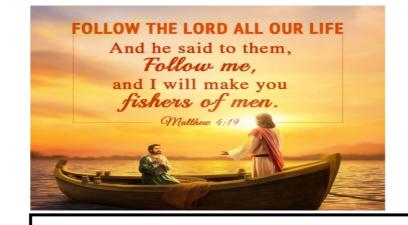
Each year, the Church celebrates the contribution of men and women in religious **Orders and Congregations to the Church on the Feast of the Presentation, February 2nd.** To celebrate the contribution of religious to the Diocese of Meath, there will be a celebration of **Sung Vespers & blessing of Candles** in the **Cathedral in Mullingar** at **4pm** on **Sunday, January 29**th. The reflection will be given by Sr. Karol O'Connell of Kylemore Abbey. All are welcome to join with and support the religious of the Diocese in this celebration.

WORLD YOUTH DAY 2023 (1st-6TH AUGUST) will be celebrated in Lisbon, Portugal. It is a massive weeklong event, with Pope Francis, for young Catholics (aged 18-35) to gather and participate in from every corner of the world. Consider joining with others from your parish and the Diocese of Meath to share this experience of belonging to Jesus Christ.

You are invited to come along and meet for an information gathering about World Youth Day at the **Trim Parish Pastoral Centre at 7pm on Friday 27th January.**

For more details see <u>www.dioceseofmeath.ie</u>. Cost €650 approx. All expenses included. To book contact <u>meathyouth@gmail.com</u>

SVP Collection Sunday 1st January amounted to €1,425. Thank you for your generosity & support.



Mass Intentions for week beginning Sunday 22nd January, 2023

Sunday 22nd Jan.	9:00am 10:30am 12 noon	Joe & May Kelly Patrick Seery; Mar Thornton & Patric Kvetoslava Klemp
Monday	7:00pm 8:00am 10:00am	Sasa Sprejcek First Special Intention;
Tuesday Wednesday	8:00am 10:00am 8:00am	
Thursday	10:00am 8:00am 10:00am	Dolores Farrell; V Maureen Downey
Friday	8:00am 10:00am	Marie Wade Mor & deceased memb
Saturday	10:00am	Murphy Carmel Clinton; B Dolores Grant– N Donnelly; Agnes H
Sunday 29th Jan.	9:00am 10:30am	Dave & Vera Gov Peter Kelly, Plunk Ollie Rice, Michae
	12 noon	Arturas Apinaviciu Nancy Thornton;
	7:00pm	

A prayer for those who died....



Pat O' Neill, Beamore; Michael O' Dwyer, Templemore; Liam Bohan, Hillview; Noel Black, Ballsgrove; Olive Saurin (née Mc Cabe), Donore Avenue & formerly Moran's Terrace; Kajus Riskevicius, Deepforde.

May they rest in peace.



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Willie & Nancy Smith y; James & Rose Teelan & Teelan family

onth's Memory; Patrick & Bridie Maguire, Mary Flynn bers of the Mc Cann family, Michael & Mary Ann

Bernard & Margaret Keeley; Thomas & Jane Lynch; Mc Mahon, Nicky Mc Keon, Joe Maguire & Malachy Holohan

w; Paddy, Thomas & Patrick Reilly, Lizzie, Christy & kett & Reilly families; Thomas Lowth; Maureen Rice, el Byrne, Karen & Alan O'Brien; Martina Bagnall us *First Anniversary*; Eugene Crinion; Josie McMahon; John Hayes & Michael O' Dwyer

Supporting Our Parish:

Sunday 15th January, 2023.

Offertory: €1,155. Parish Dev Fund: €1.085.

Many thanks. Keep safe and well.