

St Mary's Parish, Drogheda

Sunday 7th July 2019
Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

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The Lord's Day 9:00am, 10:30am, 12noon & 7:00pm
Monday ~ Friday 8:00am
Saturday 10:00am
Holydays 8:00am and 7:30pm

Baptisms are celebrated on the first Saturday and on the second and fourth Sunday of the month at 1:00pm. Please contact the parish office or the sacristy for a booking form.

Four weeks notice required.

Confessions are available on Saturdays after 10:00am Mass, and every Sunday after 7:00pm Mass.

Marriages are facilitated by the Parish Centre: 9834587.



Prayer For Vocations

O Jesus, send labourers into our fields,
which are awaiting holy apostles,
saintly priests, heroic missionaries,
and dedicated sister and brothers.

Enkindle in the hearts of men and women
the spark of a Vocation. Grant that Christian
families may desire to give to Your Church
helpers in the work of tomorrow. Amen.

Prayer For All Who Are Discerning

Loving Father, send forth the power of your
Holy Spirit upon all in our diocese
who are discerning a vocation to the priesthood.
Grant them all the blessings they need
particularly the grace of clarity, simplicity of heart
and a personal relationship with Jesus.
Grant them the gift of your wisdom,
so that they may know your will and have
the courage to follow it with all their hearts.

Mary our Mother, pray for us,
St. Joseph, pray for us.
St. John Vianney, pray for us.



St. Oliver's Procession

Will take place on today Sunday 7th July
2019, commencing at Holy Family Church
Ballsgrove at 3 pm. It will proceed
downhill to St. Peter's Church West
street. Mass will be celebrated by
Archbishop Eamonn Martin at 4.00pm.
All are invited to attend.

"St. Oliver was a person of the
utmost integrity. He sought to live out his
vocation with fidelity even unto death. He could have saved
his life by compromising and accepting offers made to him.
However these would have compromised the integrity of his
commitment to his vocation and violated his conscience."

Young Adults (18-40 years) Retreat at Dalgan Park,
Navan 26th - 28th July. (Friday evening to Sunday afternoon)
Cost is donation. Own Room, All Meals. Phone 090 648
1666 or email youthretreats@gmail.com

'Do not be afraid to dream of great things' - Pope Francis

Kilsharvan Cemetery Devotions: will take place on
Tuesday 9th July at 7.30pm.

Mass Intentions for week beginning Sunday 7th July 2019

Sunday July 7th	9:00am	Harold Tonge; Frank Darcy, Richard Darcy, Kitty & Des Staehli
	10:30am	Larry Donovan <i>Month's Memory</i> ; Josephine Judge (Josie) <i>First Anniversary</i> ; Deceased members of the Smith family; Joe & May Kelly; Karen O'Brien & Denise Byrne; Jim, Jennell & Paul Byrne, James, Christina & Joan Mohan
	12:00noon	Phyllis Lowth; Annie & Patrick Collins
	7.00pm	
Monday	8.00am	
Tuesday	8:00am	Holy Souls
Wednesday	8:00am	Owen & Michael Maguire
Thursday	8:00am	
Friday	8:00am	
Saturday	10:00am	Larry Grant; Lena Murphy and deceased members of the Hobbs and Murphy families.
Sunday July 14th	9:00am	
	10:30am	Marion & Aidan McKenna; Margaret Tiernan
	12:00noon	Special Intention; Catherine & Leo Fuller, Mary & Frank Smith & deceased family members, Special Intention
	7.00pm	

Our Parish Community

July 2019

Tues 9th July 8:30pm

Baptism Meeting *Team A*

Centre



Hospital Visitation: Please inform Fr Phil, Fr Ciprian or the Parish Centre if a relative is ill
or in hospital.

Parish Mission Prayer:

God our Father, we ask you to bless our Parish Mission.
You invite us to come to you with all our hearts.
Pour out your Spirit upon us.
May we experience the healing power of Jesus.
May we be renewed in faith, hope and love.
May the peace of the Holy Spirit light up our lives.
We make our prayer through Christ our Lord, **Amen**

Irish Blood Transfusion Service

St. Mary's Primary School, Crossroute, Bryanstown,
Monday 8th July, Tuesday 9th July, Wednesday 10th July &
Thursday 11th July **from 5.00pm to 8.30pm**

It is important that we all remember that **many patients in
hospitals need our blood** and this need never ceases.

Meath Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes: September 2019

Led by Bishop Tom Deenihan from 9th - 14th of September,
five nights full board from €749 for pilgrims.
Contact Pilgrimages abroad on 01-6359300.
Email: info@pilgrimagesabroad.ie

Vacancies for hospital pilgrims, anyone who would like to
go to Lourdes or recommend someone who is ill and would
like to avail of the opportunity please contact Lily Brangan on
087 6978783

Lough Derg: The Three Day Pilgrimage is currently open.
You may begin on any day until 13th August. Advance booking
is not necessary.

The Lough Derg team can help you to co-ordinate public
transport or link up with Pilgrimage Organisers in your locality.
Phone Lorraine on 071. 986 1518
or email info@loughderg.org.

Adoration Chapel:

We urgently require Adorers for the following hours:
Monday 3.00pm - 4.00pm, **Thursday** 2.00pm - 3.00pm,
Friday 4.00pm - 5.00pm.
Please leave your contact details in the Parish Office or phone
Liz on 086 365 8358

Parish Mission Saturday 12th – Sunday 27th October 2019

A word of thanks to all our parishioners who have volunteered to be involved in our Parish Mission. Work on the programme
will continue over the summer months and anyone who would like to be involved can leave their details in the
Parish Office 041 9834587.

May we take this opportunity to hope that you and your family have an enjoyable and safe summer. Please continue to recite
our Parish Mission Prayer. We will return with further updates at the end of August.

A prayer for those who died...



Frankie Keenan (née Bird), Finian's Park
Lily Finegan, late of Beamore Road
Josephine McKenna (née Potter), Weir Hope
Jill Amante, Aston Village.

May they rest in peace

Supporting Our Parish:

30th June 2019

Offertory: €1,080.00

Parish Dev. Fund: €1,185.00

Peter's Pence Collection: €1,637.00



Many thanks for your support