

# St Mary's Parish, Drogheda

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<b>Priests:</b> Fr. John Conlon PP - Priest on Duty Fr. Derek Ryan CC Fr. Emmanuel Ibitoye AP	<b>MASS TIMES</b> <b>SUNDAY:</b> 9:00am, 11:00am, 7:00pm <b>MONDAY TO FRIDAY:</b> 8:00am & 10:00am <b>SATURDAY:</b> 10:00am
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**Confessions:** Saturday after 10am Mass & Sunday after 7:00pm Mass  
**Baptisms:** Saturday 11:00am & Sunday 2:00pm; Call Parish Office  
**Adoration:** Every Thursday & Friday from 10am-9pm in St Mary's Blessed Sacrament Chapel

### St Mary's Mass Intentions for 1st October - 8th O2023

<b>Sun</b>	<b>1st</b>	<b>9am</b>	Ann Taaffe; Peter Darcy.	
		<b>11am</b>	Seamus & Raymond Cooney; Tony & Marie Wade; Chris Boylan; Ascension Carneiro Doyle; Aly Farrell, his parents Aly & Mona Farrell, Thomas & Mary Alice Cooney & deceased members of the Farrell & Cooney Families; Christopher Matthews; Barry Kelly; Special Intention; Joe Browne	
		<b>7pm</b>	David McDonagh, Veronica & Francis Somerville; Edward & Ellen Myers; Derek Murphy & his daughter Grainne	
<b>Mon</b>	<b>2nd</b>	<b>8am</b>	-	<b>10am</b> -
<b>Tues</b>	<b>3rd</b>	<b>8am</b>	Special Intention	<b>10am</b>
<b>Wed</b>	<b>4th</b>	<b>8am</b>	-	<b>10am</b> Cyril Harbison <i>Month's Memory</i>
<b>Thurs</b>	<b>5th</b>	<b>8am</b>	Peace	<b>10am</b> Ted Murphy; Christina Callan
<b>Fri</b>	<b>6th</b>	<b>8am</b>	November List of the Dead	<b>10am</b> November List of the Dead
<b>Sat</b>	<b>7th</b>	<b>10am</b>	Robert Carter; Deceased members of the Rooney family; Michael Gallagher	
<b>Sun</b>	<b>8th</b>	<b>9am</b>	-	
		<b>11am</b>	Leo Fuller <i>Month's Memory</i> ; Concepta (Cepta) Farrell <i>Month's Memory</i> & Clare Farrell; Tony & Marie Wade; Denis Mc Carthy & Rev. Alphonsus McKenna; James & Kitty Duff; Sean & Carmel Freeman; Nancy Tiernan; Philip & Joan Meagher; George Pittman	
		<b>7pm</b>	-	

**Supporting St Mary's Parish:** Sunday 24th Sept 2023: Offertory: €1,450. Dev. Fund: €765.

**Vocations in Diocese of Meath:**  
 Tony Gonoude, Vocations Director for the Diocese of Meath, will celebrate Mass for Vocations to the Sacred Priesthood in St Oliver's Church, Navan (C15NC83) on Friday 6<sup>th</sup> October at 7.30 pm. In the Homily we will reflect on Christ, Priest and Teacher.  
 Live from Facebook Page: [DioceseOfMeathVocations](https://www.facebook.com/DioceseOfMeathVocations)  
 Vocations Contact Details: Website: [www.meathvocations.com](http://www.meathvocations.com)  
 Instagram Account: [dioceseofmeathvocations](https://www.instagram.com/dioceseofmeathvocations)  
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 Fr Tony Gonoude Tel: 044 9373923

**Jigsaw One Good Adult Workshop:** Claremont Stadium in partnership with Jigsaw Meath will host a One Good Adult Workshop on 25th October from 7pm - 8.30pm in Claremont Stadium, Commons Road, Navan. This workshop is ideal for anyone involved in voluntary or community work is also suited to any adult who wishes to be the One Good Adult in the life of a young person. For more information contact Claremont Stadium on (046) 902-9693 or visit [www.claremontstadium.com](http://www.claremontstadium.com).

**Drawing and Sketching Course:**  
 A 6 week drawing and sketching class starts 26<sup>th</sup> October 10am-12pm in Claremont Stadium, Commons Rd., Navan. Tuition of this course is funded and delivered by LMETB Community Education Service. Registration costs €15. To book contact (046) 902 9693.

**Hard of Hearing:** 11:00am Mass on Sunday 8th October will be interpreted for the local deaf community.

**Feast of our Lady of the Rosary:** Candle lit procession and rosary after 7pm Mass in Holy Family Church on Saturday 7th October.

# Holy Family Parish, Ballsgrove, Drogheda

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**Parish Activities:**  
**Holy Rosary:** Daily: 3.15pm. **Divine Mercy Chaplet:** Daily: 3.00pm.  
**Baptisms:** Sat – 12pm; Sun – 12.45pm; call Parish Office.  
**Confessions:** Saturday at 6:45pm before Vigil Mass.  
**Mass intentions:** Call into sacristy or leave a message on (041) 9831991.  
**Prayer for Vocations & Priests:** Hymns, Holy Rosary, Reflection, Litany for priests 7pm – 8pm every Thursday in Holy Family Church.

**Supporting Holy Family Parish**  
 Sunday 24.9.23: Offertory: €1,470.

### Holy Family Mass Intentions for 30th September –8th October 2023

<b>Sat</b>	<b>30th</b>	<b>7.30pm</b>	Eugene Byrne, Joan Byrne; Breda Kelly; Holy Souls
<b>Sun</b>	<b>1st</b>	<b>10am</b>	Mary Campbell; John Kenny; Special Intention
		<b>12pm</b>	Tony Carroll <i>Month's Memory</i> ; Nellie McDonnell; James Gorman; Maureen Sharkey; Stephen O'Brien; Michael & Bridget Tiernan; Margaret & Martin O'Brien; Leo Fuller; Joan Donlon
<b>Mon</b>	<b>2nd</b>	<b>10am</b>	-
<b>Tues</b>	<b>3rd</b>	<b>10am</b>	Nellie Mc Donnell
<b>Wed</b>	<b>4th</b>	<b>10am</b>	Thomas Curran, deceased members of the Curran Family; John, Bridget, Seamus & Raymond Cooney, deceased members of the Cooney family; Joseph Hogan
<b>Thurs</b>	<b>5th</b>	<b>10am</b>	-
<b>Fri</b>	<b>6th</b>	<b>10am</b>	November List of the Dead
<b>Sat</b>	<b>7th</b>	<b>7.30pm</b>	John & Una Delaney; Thomas & Bridget Birch; Peter Flood, Norah Flood
<b>Sun</b>	<b>8th</b>	<b>10am</b>	Antoinette Connor
		<b>12pm</b>	John Kenny <i>Month's Memory</i> ; Antoinette Connor; Anne Carton

**First Communions 2024** St. John's National School - Friday 17th May at 12pm.  
 Marymount National School - Friday 24th May at 12pm.  
 St. Mary's Parish Primary School - Saturday 25th May - 10am, 12pm & 2pm  
 Gaelscoil an Bhradáin Feasa - Saturday 18th May-11:00am

**Confirmations 2024** SMPPS, St Pauls NS & Marymount NS - Saturday 10th February  
 Gaelscoil an Bhradáin Feasa & Le Cheile ETNS -Friday 22nd March -3:00pm


**Employment:** Would you like to work part-time or full-time? Are you unemployed due to accident, illness, injury, disability or in recovery from depression. We can help you seek employment. For further information on this service please contact Employability Service Louth by phone on 042-9386718 or 087-6386885.

**The Medical Missionaries of Mary 'Come and See':** If you are a single woman, between 18-35 years and considering a religious life, we invite you to explore further with us on **Saturday 4th November 2023**, 10am-4pm at the MMM Community, Beechgrove, Hardman's Garden, Drogheda, Co Louth, A92 XKX0. If you are interested please call 089 965 9295 or email [mmmvocationoffice@gmail.com](mailto:mmmvocationoffice@gmail.com).

**Lifestyle Development Adult Classes:** have resumed in Holy Family Boxing Club, Ballsgrove. Check our website [adulteducation@lifedev.ie](mailto:adulteducation@lifedev.ie), Facebook page "Lifestyle Development Group" or call us on 9843209/9846011 for details on our classes. All are welcome to join any class. Payment is on a pay as you go basis.

**Anam Cara Midlands:** the organisation that supports bereaved parents, is holding its monthly Parent Evening for bereaved parents on Wednesday 11th October at 7:15pm in the Mullingar Park Hotel. This event is free and open to all bereaved parents regardless of the age your child died, the circumstances of their death, or whether their death was recent or not. We also offer an online service. For more info call 01 4045378.

**A prayer for those who died...**

 **Colette Flynn**, Marian Park; **Rosemary (Rose) Mc Cullen (née Bellew)**, Drogheda;  
**Sr. M. Celine (Kay) Jones M.M.M.**, Drogheda; **Ann Fitzpatrick (née Brady)**, Rathmullen Park;  
**Betty (Elizabeth) Walsh (née Smith)**, Congess Avenue.

*May they Rest in Peace*