



St Mary's Parish, Drogheda A92 X096

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Priests:
Fr. John Conlon PP
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MASS TIMES
SUNDAY: 9:00am, 11:00am, 7:00pm
MONDAY TO FRIDAY: 8:00am & 10:00am
SATURDAY: 10:00am
HOLIDAYS: 8:00am, 10:00am & 7:00pm

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 14th January - 21st January, 2024			
Sun	14th	9am -	
		11am	Seamus O'Connor <i>First Anniversary</i> & his wife Ann; Cormac Rowley; Linda Faulkner; William & Marie Connor; Keith Tracey; Marie & Tony Wade
		7pm -	
Mon	15th	8am -	10am -
Tues	16th	8am -	10am Mary Mc Dermott; Patricia Mc Cullagh
Wed	17th	8am Angela Rogan	10am Joseph & Nora Stafford; Angela Rogan
Thurs	18th	8am James Francis Prendergast & deceased relatives	10am -
		7pm	St. Pio Mass & Devotions
Fri	19th	8am -	10am Kajus Riskevicius <i>First Anniversary</i> ; Dan Breen; Peter Campbell
Sat	20th	10am	John & May Byrne; Patricia Greene; Angela Rogan
Sun	21st	9am -	
		11am	Loretta Keehan <i>First Anniversary</i> ; James (Jim) Murray; Gerry De Renzy; Willie & Nancy Smith Michael Byrne; Roy Floody; Tony Christofides; Edward Moore; Marie & Tony Wade
		7pm	Sasa Strejcek Diaconate Ordination - Anthony Kerr

Vocations:
Come and See: The theme of vocation stands out in the biblical Readings of this Sunday — the Second in Ordinary Time. In the Gospel, there is the call to the first disciples by Jesus; in the First Reading is the call of the Prophet Samuel. In the forefront of both these accounts, is the importance of the figure who plays the role of mediator, helping people to recognise God's voice and to follow it. May we help others to see their call and in particular, help young men to be priests for Christ in our Diocese. Vocations Director: Fr Tony Gonoude 044-9373923

Diaconate Ordination
St. Mary's Parish are delighted to host the Diaconate Ordination of Rev. Anthony Kerr on **Jan 21st at 7pm**. Anthony has been part of the St. Mary's/Holy Family Parish team for the past number of months and is currently completing his studies in Maynooth Seminary. The ceremony will be officiated by Bishop Tom Deenihan and all parishioners are invited to come and celebrate in this wonderful occasion for the parish. Music will be provided by the Meath Diocesan Choir.

Drogheda Community Service: provide a one-to-one Bereavement Counselling Service at Dermot Kierans Centre, Scarlet Crescent, Drogheda. Counsellors are available during the day and evenings. This is a free service. To make an appointment please call 041 9836084 or email info@droghedacsc.net. Supported by Tusla. Tuition for this course is funded and delivered by LMETB Community Education Service

Supporting St Mary's Parish: Sunday 7th Jan. 2023: Offertory: €1,590.00 Dev. Fund: €920.00



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MASS TIMES
SATURDAY VIGIL: 7:30pm
SUNDAY: 10:00am & 12:00pm
MONDAY TO FRIDAY: 10:00am
HOLIDAYS: 10:00am

Parish Activities:
Eucharistic Adoration: Daily: 3.00pm - with Divine Mercy Chaplet and Holy Rosary
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: Fr. Willie Doyle Prayer Group: Hymns, Holy Rosary, Reflection, Litany for Priests 7pm – 8pm every Thursday.

Supporting Holy Family Parish
Sun 31st Dec. : Offertory: €1,534.
Sun 7th Jan. : Offertory: €1,585.

Holy Family Mass Intentions for 13th January – 21st January, 2024			
Sat	13th	7.30pm	Marion Tiernan <i>Month's Memory</i> ; Noel Black; Frances Beirne & deceased members of the Beirne family; Michael Clarke & deceased members of the Clarke & Kelly Family; Marie Mc Guirk; May Walker; Jim Farrell; Rita Craig
Sun	14th	10am	Ciaran & Frankie Collier; William & Elizabeth Collier; Christopher & Hannah Coleman; Michael Murray; Patsy Stone; Deceased members of the Byrne & Allen families; Special Intention; Jim Farrell
		12pm	Martin Taaffe <i>Month's Memory</i> , Joan, John, Brendan, Phillip & Michael Taaffe; Terry Maher; John Kevin Reid; Lilly & John Kennedy; Stephen Lawless; Gerard Hill; John Black; James Smith; Kitty Bull; Mary Taaffe Curran; John Kirwan; Tommy Donnelly; Ben Flood, Sheila Flood; Edel Farrell; Olive Saurin; Neil McKeown; Rita Craig
Mon	15th	10am	Matthew Plunket; Rose Mc Cabe; Anne Barden; Tony Bird; Special Intention
Tues	16th	10am	Nellie McDonnell
Wed	17th	10am	Molly & Richard Farrelly; Elizabeth & James McCarthy
Thurs	18th	10am	-
Fri	19th	10am	Souls in Purgatory
Sat	20th	7.30pm	Ian Clarke
Sun	21st	10am	Ann Judge; Austin Lynch
		12pm	Patrick Mohan

PARISH DEVELOPMENT
St. Mary's Church Roof: Over the last number of weeks, work has taken place on the sacristy roof. The first phase of the overall roof renovation is now complete. We will be moving into the next phase of works soon.
Holy Family Parochial House: Essential renovation work of the Parochial House has begun and workers are expected to complete the project within an 8-10 week period.
Calvary Cemetery: As demand for new grave plots has increased, Calvary Cemetery has now extended into the green area of the upper part of the cemetery. To facilitate people visiting the cemetery, we propose to install new tarmacadam paths. This work will begin next week and we hope it will be completed within the next few weeks. Apologies for any inconvenience this work will cause.

A prayer for those who died...
Rita Craig (née Ratty), Rathmullen Park & formerly of Navan;
Chrissie Nulty (née Bowden), Cooperhill & formerly of Marian Park;
Anne Barden (née Murnaghan), Cooperhill & formerly of Dundalk;
Anthony (Tony) Bird, Cherrymount & formerly of Yellowbatter.
May they Rest in Peace

