



# St Mary's Parish, Drogheda A92 X096

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**MASS TIMES SUNDAY:** 9:00am, 11:00am, 7:00pm  
**MONDAY TO FRIDAY:** 8:00am & 10:00am  
**SATURDAY:** 10:00am **HOLYDAYS :** 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

**Supporting St. Mary's Parish:**  
Sun 4th May Offertory: €1,285.00  
Dev. Fund: €1,130.00  
Standing Orders: €2,971.00  
Donate Button: €516.00

## Mass Intentions for Sunday 11th May - 18th May 2025

**Sun 11th Vocations Sunday**  
**9am** Rosaleen Wilson  
**11am** Gabrielle (Gaye) Barron, *Requiem Mass*; Margaret Curran, *First Anniversary*; Robbie Geraghty; Marie & Tony Wade; John McKenna; Con Duffy; Jim Sullivan & deceased members of the Cooney Family; Paul Reilly; Gerry Tiernan; Brian Duff & his parents Tom & Sarah; Paddy & Derek Reilly; William & Mary McTeggart; Rosaleen Wilson.  
**7pm** -  
**Mon 12th 8am** Thanksgiving Mass intention; **10am** Thanksgiving Mass intention;  
**Tue 13th 8am** - **10am** -  
**Wed 14th 8am** - **10am** -  
**Thurs 15th 8am** - **10am** Mary Butterly  
**7.30pm** St. Pio Mass & Devotions  
**Fri 16th 8am** - **10am** -  
**Sat 17th 10am** Paul Leech; Kathleen Faulkner  
**Sun 18th 9am** Sean Judge & deceased members of the Judge & Smith Families  
**11am** Bridie & Rita O'Hare; Marie & Tony Wade; Paddy Keegan; Sean Judge & deceased members of the Judge & Smith Families; Bernie & John Mc Ginn & their children; Pauline O'Neill; Realtán O'Neill.  
**7pm** -

## VOCATIONS SUNDAY 11<sup>th</sup> MAY

*If you feel called to be a priest, open your heart to Jesus, follow the Lord and do not be afraid.*  
Vocations Sunday Holy Hour in St. Mary's Church, Navan, Co Meath Sunday 11th May at 6pm. All priests of the Diocese of Meath and those considering a call to the Sacred Priesthood are invited.  
In this time of prayer for Vocations, we will reflect on Christ, the Voice that calls us to the Sacred Priesthood.  
**A Second Collection will be taken up at all Masses today for the care and education of our students for Priesthood. Thank you for your continued support.**




**New Altar Servers: Girls and Boys in 4th 5th and 6th class, would you like to become an Altar Server in St Mary's?** Dear Parents we're hoping to start the recruitment of new Altar Servers in the forthcoming weeks. We wish to enrol children from 4th, 5th, and 6th classes for the team. Prior to becoming an Altar Server, a short training programme takes place. The training programme aims to provide each child with the necessary skills to serve mass and other liturgical celebrations. This includes learning about the order of the mass, the vestments, the sanctuary, and the sacred books and vessels used. Parish Child Protection guidelines are followed. Please contact St Mary's Parish Office if you are interested.

**ST. JOSEPH'S YOUNG PRIEST SOCIETY** will hold a special hour of adoration and prayer for vocations to the priesthood and religious life on Sunday May 11th from 3 - 4pm in Our Lady of Lourdes Church. Your prayers & support will be most welcome.

**LEGION OF MARY:** Rosary in Five Oaks on the 24th May at 5pm.

**SVP Church Gate Collection Sunday 4th May** amounted to €1,230.00 (St. Mary's Parish) Thank You.

 **Wolfe Tones "Dance Among the Stars"** TLT Productions presents a fully professional stage show featuring cast members from the Wolfe Tones GAA club. This show is to raise much needed funds for their new club house. The show takes place on Saturday 17th May in the TLT and tickets are available from [thetlt.ie](http://thetlt.ie) at a cost of €35 each.

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# Holy Family Parish, Ballsgrove, Drogheda A92 P263

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

## Parish Activities:

**Eucharistic Adoration:** Daily: 3.00pm- with Divine Mercy Chaplet & 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.**  
Sun 4th May Offertory: €1,650.00

## Holy Family Mass Intentions 10th May - 18th May 2025

**Sat 10th 7.30pm** Margaret Curran; Una Delaney; Claire Duffy; Tommy O'Brien; Patrick McGovern.  
**Sun 11th 10am** Maureen Reilly; Carmel Farrelly.  
**12pm** Joe Martin, *Month's Memory*; Sean Tiernan; Simon Moroney; Rita Cunningham and her son David; Brenda Kelly; Noreen Sweeney.  
**Mon 12th 10am** -  
**Tues 13th 10am** Nellie McDonnell.  
**Wed 14th 10am** Dominic & Elizabeth Murphy; Special Intention.  
**Thurs 15th 10am** -  
**Fri 16th 10am** Souls in Purgatory.  
**Sat 17th 7.30pm** Josie Branigan; Molly Judge; Paul Reilly.  
**Sun 18th 10am** -  
**12pm** Imelda McDonnell; Anne O'Brien; Wayne McQuillan; Kathleen Faulkner; Christopher Healy.



## All Ireland Rosary Rally - Knock 7th June 2025

**Holy Family & St. Mary's Parish** are organising a Bus to Knock for the annual **Rosary Rally** on the 7th June 2025. For details contact Mary McNally in Holy Family Church at 041-9831991 or call into the Sacristy, or email [holyfamilyballsgrove@outlook.ie](mailto:holyfamilyballsgrove@outlook.ie) for more details.

## HOLY FAMILY PRAYER GROUP - LIFE IN THE SPIRIT SEMINARS (7 WEEKS)

Wednesday 14th May at 8.15pm in Holy Family Community Centre.  
Week 1: God's Love.  
All are welcome to attend.

## Meath Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes.

### "With Mary Pilgrims of Hope" 2025 Jubilee Year

The Annual Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes, under the leadership of Bishop Deenihan, will travel on **9th September 2025**. Pilgrims may choose between a 4-night or a 5-night stay. All pilgrims will be accommodated in Hotels and fares begin at €829 for full board. Booking forms are available through Joe Walsh Tours. For further inquiries, please contact them at Tel: 01-2410800 or visit their website.



## LEINSTER FINAL 2025

With half the congregation being from Louth and half from Meath, the best thing to do on a weekend like this is to pray and wish luck to both teams in today's Leinster Final. Safe journey to all supporters who are travelling to the match.

*Two rival fans walk into the stadium for the final.  
One says "May the best team win"  
The other replies, "So...you're supporting us now?"*



## A prayer for those who died

**Christopher (Chris) Healy**, Cherrybrook Drive;  
**Una O'Connor**, Highfield;  
**Patsy (Patricia) Farrell**, St. Finian's Park.

May they rest in peace.