



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 25th Oct Offertory: €1,299.00

Dev. Fund: €860.00

Mass Intentions for Sunday 1st November - 8th November 2026

Sun 1st Feast of All Saints

9am Get Well Intention, Margaret Mc Cabe -

11am Martin McKenny *Month's Memory*; Roy Matthews *First Anniversary*; Teresa Campbell *First Anniversary*; Claire Shannon; Liam Wilson; Tony & Marie Wade; Joan & Frank Larney; Margaret Tiernan; Margo Dwyer; Eileen Murphy *Birthday Remembrance*; James & Anna Howard; Ronnie Milne *Birthday Remembrance*; Sheila Milne *Birthday Remembrance*.

7pm Helen Brady; Olive Brady

Mon 2nd Feast of All Souls

8am - **10am -**

Tues 3rd 8am Kathleen Murray

10am Paddy Howe *First Anniversary*; Pascal & Lally Mooney; Amy Johnstone

Wed 4th 8am Holy Souls **10am -**

Thur 5th 8am Brian Hogan **10am -**

7pm Confirmation Commitment Ceremony - SMPPS 6th Class

Fri 7th 8am First Friday - Mass for All on the Parish List of the Dead

10am First Friday - Mass for All on the Parish List of the Dead

Sat 7th 10am Anne Martin; Rose & Michael Morgan & deceased Family Members;

Sun 8th 9am -

11am Liam Wilson; Tony & Marie Wade; Patrick O'Sullivan; Seamus Duff

7pm -



Prayer For Vocations in the Diocese of Meath

For the future priests of our diocese, the men who will preach the Good News of the Beatitudes (today's Gospel) - the happiness that comes from persevering in faith, and trusting in the goodness and mercy of Almighty God through the ups and downs of life.

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First Friday calls will take place on the usual days next week except Wednesday's calls which will take place on Thursday afternoon.

REMEMBRANCE MASSES: We have two special commemorative Masses in November for those who have died in the last year, from November 2025 - November 2026.

Holy Family Church - Mass on Saturday 7th November at 7.30pm (music by Lourdes Brass Band)

St. Mary's Church - Mass on Friday 27th November at 7pm.

Letters of Invitation will be sent out to all families in the coming weeks. These masses are also for family members who have died elsewhere. If you would like to have your loved one remembered in these special masses, please contact St. Mary's Parish Office or Mary McNally in Holy Family Sacristy. A candle with their name will be lit during the mass and you may take this candle home with you after the mass and perhaps light it for your loved one at Christmas time or on a family occasion.

Christ the King Youth Festival, Mullingar Sunday, November 22nd - 10.30am - 17.30am. Join us for a vibrant and faith-filled Youth Day designed especially for secondary school students! This unique day offers a chance to encounter Christ, build friendships, and grow in faith through prayer, fun, and fellowship. The theme for this year is "Take courage! I have overcome the world" (John 16:33). This verse, spoken by Jesus to the disciples at the Last Supper, reminds us that despite the challenges we face, Christ calls to hope and courage rooted in faith in the Resurrection. Free buses are being organised to transport teens from different parts of the Diocese. Register today!



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MASS TIMES

SATURDAY VIGIL: 7:30pm

SUNDAY: 10:00am & 12:00pm

MONDAY TO FRIDAY: 10:00am

HOLYDAYS: 10:00am

Supporting Holy Family:

Sun 25th Oct Offertory: €1,525.00

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 7pm 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.

Holy Family Mass Intentions 31st October - 8th November 2026

Sat 31st 7.30pm Margaret Smith; Mary Leonard;

Sun 1st 10am Eugene O' Callaghan *First Anniversary*; John (Sean) Duff *First Anniversary*; May Mc Ardle; Philip & Noel Mc Ardle; Olivia Caffrey; Deceased members of the Legion of Mary; Cheryl O'Brien; Holy Souls;

12pm Rita Gallagher (née Crosby) *Month's Memory*; Jim Darby *Month's Memory*; Jim Reynolds *Month's Memory*; Margaret Smith; Ann Devine; Margaret Clarke; Malachy Clarke; Maidie Kellaway;

Mon 2nd 10am Holy Souls; Special Intention;

Tues 3rd 10am Thomas Birch; Nellie McDonnell; Special Intention;

Wed 4th 10am Cheryl O'Brien; Jim Smith; David Cunningham & his mother Rita;

Thur 5th 10am Maidie Kellaway; Cheryl O'Brien;

Fri 6th 10am First Friday - Mass for All on the Parish List of the Dead; Alice Shannon;

Sat 7th 7.30pm Annual Mass of Remembrance.

Sun 8th 10am Brendan Tiernan & deceased members of the Tiernan & Flood families; Linda Cunningham;

12pm Ronan Nulty *Month's Memory* & his mother Kathleen Nulty; Rose Govers; Ann Devine; Mary Leonard; Mary Kellaway; Michael Balfe; Hughie Reilly & his wife Pauline.

Are you considering becoming a priest of Jesus Christ?

Vocations Contact Details: Website: www.meathvocations.com

Instagram: dioceseofmeathvocations Fr Tony Gonoude

Tel: 044-9373923 Email: vocations@dioceseofmeath.ie

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Lifestyle Development management and staff invite you to a Mass of Thanksgiving and Celebration of our 35th Anniversary on Wednesday the 4th of November at 7.00pm in Holy Family Church, Ballsgrove. We will gather for refreshments and chat afterwards

Calvary Cemetery: Rosary recited at 3pm during the month of November.

Ireland's 3rd National First Saturdays Conference

This year's conference will take place in Knock on Saturday November 28th. The day begins at 10am and finishes at 5pm. It includes Holy Mass, adoration, talks, and a healing service. Speakers include: Fr Patrick Cahill, Geraldine O'Donnell, Fr Leon Pereira OP, Nikki Kingsley, Fr Marius O'Reilly, Fr. Jaimie Twohig, Christine O'Hara, Fr. Mark Quinn, and Fr Philip Kemmy, Fr. John Keane will lead a Eucharistic Healing Service. More information and the list of buses going are available on www.firstsaturdays.ie. At Fatima Our Lady promised that if we did what she asked there would be peace in the world and that many souls would be saved.

SportUile - Intro to Pitch & Putt (Adults 18+)

SportUile (Louth & Meath Louth Local Sports Partnerships) is running a **beginner friendly three-week Intro to Pitch & Putt programme** at Holy Family Community Centre, Ballsgrove, Drogheda.

Dates: Thursday 5th, 12th, and 19th November 2026 **Time:** 10.00am - 11.00am **Cost:** €5 for 3 weeks No experience needed. All equipment provided. It's a great opportunity to try something new in a relaxed and social setting.

Limited places - booking essential. Contact Sean: seandoherty@meathcoco.ie or 087 4338378



A prayer for those who died in the Parish recently

Joe (Patrick) Doyle, John Street; **Cheryl O'Brien**, Moran's Terrace;

Rosalie Mc Grane (née Kelly) Bryanstown & formerly Castlebellingham.

May they rest in peace.