



St Mary's Parish, Drogheda A92 X096

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Fr. John Conlon P.P. Priest on Duty

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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 Oct Offertory: €1,120.00

Dev. Fund: €605.00

Donate Button (Sept): €623.00

Standing Orders (Sept): €3,159.00

Mass Intentions for Sunday 11th October - 17th October 2026

Sun 11th 9am Sarah Reilly; Freddie McKenna; Maureen & Bill Jenkins

11am Sadie Callaghan *First Anniversary*; Monica Clarke (née O'Dea) *First Anniversary*; Christina Flanagan *First Anniversary*; Tony & Marie Wade; Bridie Maxwell; Denis McCarthy; Rev. Alphonsus McKenna; Nancy Tiernan; Noel Campbell; Margaret O'Brien;

7pm Dora Ugbome Uzumefune; Bernadette Kenny & deceased members of the Kenny family

Mon 12th 8am - 10am -

Tues 13th 8am - 10am Oliver Nugent;

Wed 14th 8am - 10am Monica Clarke *First Anniversary*; Special Intention;

Thur 15th 8am - 10am Special Intention

7.30pm St. Pio Mass and Devotions

Fri 16th 8am - 10am Christina Carr;

Sat 17th 10am Denise Flood *First Anniversary*; Brendan McCullough; Esther Donnelly; James Lynch & Máire McElwain

Sun 18th 9am Tommy Cunningham;

11am Raymond O'Neill *Month's Memory*; Carmel Rankin *First Anniversary*; Fred Rankin *Month's Memory*; Mark Varley & deceased members of the Varley family; Dennis Byrne; Deirdre Cronin; Kevin & Sheila Monaghan; Tony & Marie Wade;

12.30pm Polish Mass

7pm -



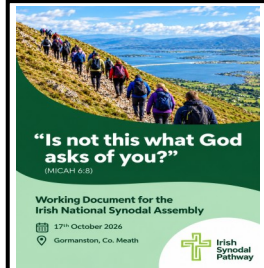
Prayer For Vocations in the Diocese of Meath

We pray that the men called to be priests of our diocese will know the truth of St Paul's words in our second reading, "There is nothing I cannot master with the help of the One who gives me strength."

Scan to donate St Mary's: If you have no cash you can just scan your phone over this QR code to contribute to the basket collection.



The SVP collection (St Mary's Parish) on Sunday Oct 4th amounted to €995.00. Many thanks for your generosity.



The Working Document for the Irish National Synodal Assembly, taking place in Gormanston, Co Meath, on 17 October, brings together the fruits of five years of prayer, listening and discernment and will guide delegates as they consider and vote on suggested actions to be presented to the bishops of Ireland. While the Assembly marks an important moment in the journey, the Synodal Pathway is now moving towards a new phase of implementation. Everyone is invited to read, pray with, and reflect on the *Working Document* and the question: "What does God want from the Church in Ireland at this time?" Please pray for all those taking part in the Assembly and for the guidance of the Holy Spirit, and scan the QR code to access the Working Document and find out more, and see www.synod.ie



World Mission Sunday is the Holy Father's annual appeal for spiritual and financial support so that the life-giving work of overseas mission and missionaries can continue. It always falls on the second last Sunday in October, meaning this year it will be celebrated over the weekend of Sunday 18th October. A second collection will be taken up after Communion.



Wolfe Tones GFC are looking for local businesses/crafters for their upcoming Christmas Market in the Wolfe Tones Community Centre, Donore Road Industrial Estate on Saturday 5th December. It's a great opportunity to showcase your products, meet new customers and get in to the festive spirit! Message Áine on 087 7411061 for information.



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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 4th Oct. Offertory: €1,605.00

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 10th October - 17th October 2026

Sat 10th 7.30pm Michael Badowski *First Anniversary*; Joan Floyd; Sean Tiernan; Rita Seery; Anne Carton;

Sun 11th 10am Grainne McGrane; Special Intention;

12pm Marc Somerville; Alan (Rusty) Gallagher; May & Joe Bird and deceased members of the Bird & Coyle families; Jim Darby; Olive Brady; Phil Malone; Patrick (Paddy) Gallagher; Thanksgiving Intention;

Mon 12th 10am Thanksgiving to Our Lady; Special Intention;

Tues 13th 10am Michael Caffrey; Nellie McDonnell;

Wed 14th 10am Ann Callaghan *First Anniversary*;

Thur 15th 10am Lucy Higgins;

Fri 16th 10am Holy Souls;

Sat 17th 7.30pm John & Una Delaney; Peggy Maguire; Kitty Murphy; William Healy Junior; Cian Thornton; Paddy & Jane Smith; Doreen & Oliver Coombes; William & Ellie Murray;

Sun 18th 10am Stella Neary *Month's Memory*; Tommy Cunningham;

12pm Imelda Duffy & her brother Peter Barnes; Michael Caffrey; Jolanta Teperycz; Pat McDonnell; Thomas Woods; Tommy Murphy & deceased members of the Murphy family



Samaritans: (supporting those in emotional distress 24/7) **Freephone number 116123.**

Email jo@samaritans.ie

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List of the Dead: The practice of compiling a list of relatives and benefactors who have gone before us and are remembered each month on the First Friday is an old and valued tradition in the Church. If you would like those who have gone before you remembered at these Masses then please complete a List of the Dead envelope and leave in the **Parish Office in St. Mary's or the Sacristy in Holy Family Church** before the 1st November.

Pieta Suicide Bereavement Liaison Service – Louth & Meath

The Pieta Suicide Bereavement Liaison Service provides information, support and guidance to individuals, families, communities and organisations who have been bereaved by suicide. The service can also assist with identifying appropriate supports and referral pathways.

Referrals: Individuals, families or professionals can make a referral by contacting the Suicide Bereavement Liaison Officer for Louth and Meath in the following ways:

Email: sblo.referrals@pieta.ie Tel: 0818 111126

Alzheimer's Memory Café: Second Tuesday of every month. Next Tuesday 13th Oct 2026 at 11am in the Drogheda Library, Stockwell Lane. Our speaker this month is Mary Kate Hynes, who will speak about navigating hospital stays with Dementia. The café provides a welcoming space for people living with dementia their family/friends. For further details, contact Sinead Reynolds 087 222 9367 Sinead.reynolds@alzheimer.ie



A prayer for those who died in the Parish recently

Ronan Nulty; Ballsgrove;

May he rest in peace.