



Parish of Mullingar

Cathedral of Christ the King, St Paul's, Walshestown, Brotenstown & Gainstown

CELEBRATING
75
YEARS



Priests of the Parish:

Fr. Padraig McMahan, Adm.
Fr. Michael Kilmartin
Fr. Paul Crosbie
Fr. Joseph Naikarakudy

Parish Office Hours

Monday-Friday: 9am-1pm; 2-5pm
Tel: 044 - 9348338
Email: cathedral@dioceseofmeath.ie

Vigil Mass (Saturday)

Cathedral: 6pm

Sunday Masses:

Cathedral: 8.30am, 11am, 12.30pm
St. Paul's: 10.30am, 12noon
Walshestown: 9am
Brotenstown: 10am
Gainstown: 11am

Daily Masses

7.45am & 10am Cathedral
9.15am St Paul's

Confessions Cathedral

Saturday 2.30pm—3.30pm

Eucharistic Adoration 8am-8pm

Bereavement Support

087-6309808

Collections last weekend

Cathedral: €3,545
St Paul's: €1,161
Walshestown: €325
Brotenstown: €186
Gainstown: €190
Parish Envelopes: €1,290

The collection this weekend is for retired clergy of the Diocese

Ordination to the Priesthood

Today at 3pm Rev Ciaran Clarke from Dysart will be ordained by Bishop Smith for service in the Diocese of Meath. All are welcome.

“The Cathedral - a ministry of welcome”

Last Wednesday evening, Bishop Colm O'Reilly led a beautiful Holy Hour. During this reflection, the Bishop said:

“Pope Francis strongly favours keeping our doors open and says very emphatically that people searching for God must not encounter locked doors. How can we make our cathedrals welcoming for all who come through the doors? The first requirement is that we have hearts open to welcome all as brothers and sisters.”

Thanks to all who provide welcome and hospitality to those who come to the Cathedral, whether they are lifelong parishioners or passersby. We hope that everyone feels welcome at the Cathedral. If you can help us to make the Cathedral a more welcoming place, especially if you can become a Cathedral steward, we would be delighted to hear from you.

A prayer from “Aid to the Church in Need”



Heavenly Father, help us

Count our blessings, not our crosses;
Count our gains, not our losses;
Count our joys, not our woes;
Count our friends, not our foes;
Count our courage, not our fears;
Count our laughs, not our tears;
Count our health and without fuss
Count on You and Yours love for us,
AMEN.

Try Something New....

Would you like to become a Sunday Adult Reader or a Minister of Holy Communion in the Cathedral? Training and support will be given. We are also looking for Stewards in the Cathedral. If you are interested in any of these roles please contact Linda in the Parish Office.

St Paul's Altar Servers If you attend St Paul's Mass on Sunday and your child is interested in serving at these Masses, please contact Maeve or Paddy in the Sacristy.

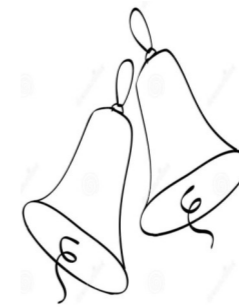
First Holy Communion Registration Meetings

Curraghmore School, Gaelscoil an Mhuilinn & St Colmcille's School - Meeting for parents on next Wednesday in the hall in Gaelscoil an Mhuilinn, Ashe Road

We welcome these children who were recently baptised: Fionn Buckley, Newtown; Brooke Siewert, The Brosna; Joshua Matthews, College Vale; Jamie Joey, Abbeylands; Sienna Coppola, Ardilaun Green.

We congratulate these couples who were married in the parish during the past few weeks

Michael Raleigh & Lee Ann Fahy
Lorraine Jordan & Colm Raftery
Michal Burke & Nuala Conway
Clive Walsh & Sarah Greville
Jean Collentine & Laurence Boyle
Conaire Flanagan & Catriona Nugent
Helena Keenan & Patrick Joyce
Natasha McDonagh & Patrick Nevin
Christy Joyce & Christine Nevin
Patrick Kiernan & Rachel McLoughlin
Tony Bennett & Pamela McLoughlin
James Moloney & Ellen Macken
Kelly Kirby & Ray Shaw
William Archibald & Roma Cleary
Nicole Hannon & James Mongon
Brona Coughlan & John Cafferty
Nicola Monaghan & Nicky Maguire
James Martin & Lena Sy
Maria Cullen & Brendan Concannon
John Rattigan & Alison McDonagh
Alan Scally & Rosemary Lambert



Golf and God Trivia - Enjoying the Ryder Cup

Several of the US team are devote Christians, notably Bubba Watson, Webb Simpson and also Rickie Fowler, who attends weekly Bible study events on the PGA programme. Jordan Spieth is a strong Catholic, having attended Catholic elementary and high schools at home in Texas. He is a modest chap who values his faith. Let's hope God isn't too biased ... !

MASS INTENTIONS THIS WEEK

Monday: 10am: Bernard & Eileen McDonnell.
9.15am: Oliver Delaney.
Tuesday : 7.45am: Joseph & Bridie Murray.
10am: Elizabeth Walsh.
9.15am: James, Brigid & Edward Colgan & deceased members of family.
Wednesday : 10am: Jack & Eileen Fitzpatrick.
9.15am: baby Noah Daly-Devine. (1st Ann)
Thursday 10am: Seamus Sheerin.
9.15am: Martin & Mary Tormey & family.
Friday: 7.45am, 10am & 9.15am List of the Dead.
Saturday 10am: Anniversaries Occurring Mass.
Wedding Mass Cathedral 2pm.
Vigil 6pm: Patrick Bennett, Abbeyshrule & Mullingar (M.M.)
11am: Rose (1st Ann) & John Duignan, Oaklawns
St Paul's: 10.30am: David Dalton, Dalton Park (M.M.)
12noon: Ann Sleator, Carrick, Lough Ennell (1st Ann)
Walshestown 9am: Jack Keena, Slanemore (1st Ann)
Gainstown 11am: Sean Donoghue.

Pioneers Gathering, spirituality day, 5th October, 10.30am-6.30pm, Bloomfield House Hotel.

Pioneer Meeting, Wednesday, Bethany, 10.30am.
Legion of Mary, bus to Knock, next Sunday, leaving Post Office at 8.45am, Tel: 9344270, 9330047.

Lectio Divina, reflections on the Sunday Gospel in St Paul's church Wednesday after 9.15am Mass.
Charismatic Prayer Group, Mon, Bethany, 8pm.
Our Lady Queen of Peace prayer group, Thurs, 7-8pm.

Mullingar I.C.A. meeting, Monday, 8pm, Aras an Mhuilinn.

Civil Defence is seeking voluntary personnel, over 18 years, to serve the needs of the local community. Information evening Monday 8-9pm, Greville Arms or www.civildefence.ie.

Type 2 Diabetes, information evening, 7th October, Springfield Centre, 6-7.30pm.

Pink Coffee morning, in aid of Breast Cancer Research, Thursday, from 10am, Greville Arms.

We pray for those who died in recent days.....

Maureen Cleary, Violetstown

Denis Conroy, Ardeevin

Frances Gilmore Gavin, Oliver Plunkett St

David Kenny, The Elms, Ballinderry

Susie Reilly, Clane & Cullion

Fr T.P. Gavin, Summerhill