



Parish of Mullingar

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

Priests of the Parish

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

Parish Office Hours

Monday—Friday 9am-5pm
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Email: cathedral@dioceseofmeath.ie

Vigil Mass (Saturday)

Cathedral: 6pm

Sunday Mass Times

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

Daily Mass Times

7.45am & 10am Cathedral
9.15am: St Paul's (Mon-Fri)

Eucharistic Adoration 8am-8pm

Bereavement Support

087-6309808

Confessions

Saturday 2.30pm—3.30pm

Collections Last weekend

Cathedral: €3,235 Thank You!
St Paul's: €1,161 You!
Walshestown: €181
Brotentown: €232
Gainstown: €155
Parish Envelopes: €1,530

Today is an Offering Day for the support of the Bishop and priests of the parish.

Congratulations to our new Deacons

Two men from the Diocese of Meath were ordained deacons in Saint Patrick's College, Maynooth last Sunday. Rev. Noel Weir and Rev. Conor Magee will assist in parishes of the diocese during the summer months before making their final preparations for priestly ordination. The diocese will welcome a third new deacon, Warren Collier, whose ordination will take place on Wednesday 17 June in Rome, where he is currently studying for the priesthood. Meanwhile preparations are underway at St Mary's Parish, Navan for the priestly ordination of Rev. Robert McGivney on Sunday 28 June. You are asked to keep these men in your prayers and to pray for more vocations to the priesthood in the Diocese of Meath.



Trócaire — Thank You!

We say thank you to all who have returned their Trócaire Box since Easter. The proceeds of our Lenten collection this year was €50,704.

We also acknowledge the generous response of parishioners to the recent appeal for victims of the earthquake in Nepal; €7,925 has been donated so to help those affected.

Congratulate St Loman's GAA Club on the opening of their new facilities which were blessed by Fr. Padraig on Monday; we also congratulate Mullingar RFC on the opening of the new pitch this weekend.

Celebrating Columban 1400

Thursday 18 June Multyfarnham Friary 7.30pm

A gathering for reflection, music and prayer to mark the contribution of St Columban to Ireland and Europe

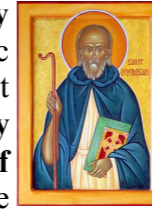
Sunday June 21, 11am Mass in the Cathedral of Christ the King, Mullingar will celebrate

'The Life and Legacy of St Columban' 'Saints, Scholars & Shells' School Artwork Display in Cathedral on Sat June 20 + Sun 21

Monastic Information Board New heritage boards are to be erected in the Camino/Monk's garden that illustrate the golden age of Columban and Irish Christianity.

Start to get to know St Columban—booklets on his life are just €1 in the Cathedral Shop.

Everyone is welcome to the ceremonies on the above dates. Donations for the garden project are being taken through the parish office and are much appreciated.



We welcome these children who were recently baptised: Annie McNamee, Vilanstown; John Monahan, Bellview Heights; Ailbe Makauskas, Australia; Amy Mangan, Chestnut Drive; Arthur Gala, Ardilaun Green; Rose Hannick, Willowbrook; Noah Kelly, Tower View.

Apologies to Nicola Weldon & Mark Hanaway for the error in last weeks newsletter.

Clonard 1500 Pilgrimage Clonard's pilgrim walk starts at St Etchen's, Kinnegad at 12.45pm. Bishop Smith will celebrate Mass at 3pm at the site of St Finian, our diocesan patron. Solemn Novena in honour of St Anthony, Multyfarnham Friary 8pm until 13th June Rosary at the statue in Ginnell Tce, Friday 6.45pm. Table Quiz, Friday, Annebrook Hotel, 8pm in aid of St Kenny School. 5K Run/Walk in aid of Presentation Schools, Wed 17th at 7pm. Two 45 minute Monastic Tours of Mullingar are to take place. The first is today at 3pm starting at the Market Square.



One of our aims in organising the 'walk of the Mullingar monks' is to raise awareness of the pilgrim shells found in the town and on prominent display in the National Museum. Mullingar Chamber of Commerce are distributing shells to shops/businesses in town to link with the walk. If you see a shell display you might let someone know of its significance. Take a closer look at the shell on 'The Pilgrim' sculpture on Austin Friars St or the shell in our Camino/Monks garden.

Walk the Way of the Mullingar Monks A walk with a difference

Saturday June 20

Have you thought about taking part in this year's pilgrim walk from Fore Abbey to Mullingar? The 22km walk is a fun event and a fundraiser to complete the enhancement of the Camino/Monk's garden in the Cathedral grounds.

To take part in this 'camino style' walk you purchase a pilgrim passport costing €10. Transport from Mullingar Cathedral to Fore costs €5. Contact the parish office in Mullingar at (044) 9348338 or visit www.mullingarparish.ie to find out what's involved. Fliers with details are also in circulation.



Cemetery Devotions

Walshestown, Sunday 21st June, 3pm
Famine Cemetery, Wednesday,
17th June, 7.30pm.
Ballyglass, Kilronan & Marlinstown,
2nd August

MASS INTENTIONS THIS WEEK

Monday: 7.45am: Peter Mooney, England (1st Ann) 10am: Jacobus Van der Loo. 9.15am: Jim, Mary & Sr Mary Ellen Kearney. Tuesday: 7.45am: David Nevin. 10am: Joseph Cleary. 9.15am: Anne Marie O'Herron & Michael Connors. Wednesday: 7.45am: Thady Hughes & daughter Martina. 10am: Angela, Christopher, Michael & Patrick Brennan. 9.15am: Tommy, Margaret & James Boyle & decd family. Thursday: 10am: Paddy Cleary & Peggy Tighe. 9.15am: Peter & Pat Delaney. Friday: 7.45am: Sr Maureen Waldron. 10am Olivia Jessop Rock & Agnes & Joe Jessop. 9.15am: Mary Regan. Saturday 10am: Anniversaries Occurring Mass. Vigil: Brendan Sweeney, Carra Grove (M.M.) Sunday: 11am: Fintan Cooney, Newlands (M.M.) Brotentown 10am: Michael Fagan & Michael Jnr Gainstown 11am: Thomas Arthur & daughter Frances.

RIP

Ronnie White, Ballinderry
Angela Cox, nee Molloy, Raithin
Elsie Bourke, Ardmore Road
Christy Cunningham, late of Glenview Heights
Seamus (Jimmy) Finnan, late of Ballynacargy
Bernadette Regan, England