

NEWSLETTER TRINITY SUNDAY YEAR B

DONORE PARISH WITH DULEEK PARISH

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26TH MAY 2024

Tuesday - Thursday 10am-5pm

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MASS INTENTIONS

CHURCH OF THE NATIVITY OF OUR LADY, DONORE

Trinity Sunday 11am Seamus O'Brien M.M; Ollie Doonan.

Tuesday 9am Dec McDonnell & Collier families Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

Wednesday 9am Missa pro populo Thursday 9am Missa pro populo

Friday 9am Feast of the Visitation of the Blessed Virgin Mary.

Corpus Christi 11am A relic of St. Oliver Plunkett will be available for veneration after Mass.

CHURCH OF THE NATIVITY OF OUR LADY, ROSSNAREE Trinity Sunday 6.30pm Charlie & Breda Smith

Corpus Christi 6.30pm Missa pro populo



MASS OFFERTORY COLLECTION (Basket Collection): € 246 PARISH DEVELOPMENT FUND (Weekly Envelopes): € 294

Donore Fund Account:

IBAN IE38 AIBK 9320 9446 7323 44



If you have no cash you can just scan your phone over this QR code to contribute to the basket collection.



Into Your Hands O Lord, we commend; Margaret Gorman, Donore.

COMMUNITY NOTICES

Lotto: 1, 8, 17, 20 No Jackpot winner

Consolation prizes €50 Ian Howard Next week's jackpot €4,140. **St Vincent de Paul** church gate collection will be held at all masses on the weekend of 1st and 2nd June. Your continued support is greatly appreciated.

Drogheda Alzheimer's are inviting people, businesses, and services in East Meath and South Louth to create a dementia-inclusive community which can support people with dementia to continue to live as normal lives as possible and remain active in the community. A Launch Event will take place on Thursday 30th May at 7pm in St. Peter's Church of Ireland Centre, Drogheda. Please join us to learn more.

TÚS are hoping to help local individuals through their "help together "Project. This project will cover areas such as doing small errands within the village, getting out of cars at church/shops/ GP, Pharmacy, community centre etc, carrying shopping from shop door to the car/house door, helping individuals with literacy issues, library, link with local assist groups. Contact the Tus Supervisor in your area on 085 8342354

SOCIETY OF ST. VINCENT DE PAUL

Helpline 1800 677 777 or Contact 087-0931068

ACCORD

For Marriage Preparation Courses or for marriage and relationship counselling www.accord.ie

CHILD SAFEGUARDING

See the church notice boards and diocesan website

VOCATIONS

Ever think about becoming a priest for the Diocese of Meath? Contact Fr. Mark

RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS (R.C.I.A.)

A process for anyone enquiring about becoming a
Catholic and for those baptised who never
celebrated the Sacraments of Holy Communion or
Confirmation. More info on all the above on
www.dioseseofmeath.ie



"Father and Son. It is a familiar image which, if we think about it, disrupts our images of God. Indeed, the very word "God" suggests to us a singular, majestic and distant reality, whereas hearing about a Father and a Son brings us back home. Yes, we can think of God in this way, through the image of a family gathered around the table, where life is shared. After all, the table, which, at the same time is an altar, is a symbol with which certain icons depict the Trinity. It is an image that speaks to us of a God of communion. Father, Son and Holy Spirit: communion. But it is not only an image; it is reality! It is reality because the Holy Spirit, the Spirit that the Father poured into our hearts through Jesus (cf. Gal 4:6), makes us taste, makes us savour God's presence: a presence that is always close, compassionate and tender. The Holy Spirit does with us what Jesus does with Nicodemus: he introduces us to the mystery of new birth, the birth of faith, of Christian life, he reveals the heart of the Father to us, and he makes us partake in God's very life. We could say that the invitation he extends to us is to sit at the table with God to share in his love. This is the image. This is what happens at every Mass, at the altar of the Eucharistic table,

where Jesus offers himself to the Father and offers himself for us. Yes, that is how it is, brothers and sisters, our God is a *communion of love*: and this is how Jesus revealed him to us." *Pope Francis, Angelus, St. Peter's Square, Trinity Sunday 2023*

EXAM MASS We welcome to the 11am Mass next Sunday all young people preparing for their Leaving and Junior Cert. A prayer card will be distributed during the Mass. Please receive this prayer card, as we your family and parishioners assure you of our thoughts and prayers during your exams. Trust in the Lord, always!

YOUTH MEET & PRAYER GATHERING (+18 years) will take place in St. Ultan's Church, Bohermeen (C15 W268) at 7:30pm on Friday 7th June. This is an opportunity for young adults to join together for adoration, prayer, reflection & discussion assisted with the support and guidance of priests from the diocese and the Franciscan Sisters of the Renewal. Share the invite and bring a friend or two. Contact Fr. Mark English for more info: duleekparish@gmail.com.

MASS FOR THE SICK On Saturday 22nd June 11am in St. Cianán's Duleek we will celebrate Mass for the Sick. Please save the date and make preliminary arrangements for bringning your family members or neighbours who are housebound and unable to frequently attend Mass. Anyone who is burdened by illness or old age is welcome to join with us for this Mass during which the laying on of hands and the Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick will be celebrated with the sacred Oil of the Sick blessed by Bishop Tom at the Chrism Mass in the Cathedral.





FIRST HOLY COMMUNION 2024 We congratulate the children of Duleek Girls and Bellewstown schools who celebrated this weekend. Once again huge thanks to the parents and families, to the principals and teachers and all the staff in all the schools for their great work in assisting the children. Also our thanks to all who helped out in the churches these past three weekends.



CEMETERY SUNDAY WEEKEND JULY 13TH/14TH 2024

Blessing of the graves will take place on Saturday 13th July at 4pm in Donore old Cemetery, 5pm Leck Cemetery and 6:30pm in Knockcommon Cemetery. On Sunday 14th at 11am in Donore Cemetery. Please note that no individual mass intentions will be taken cemetery Sunday weekend as all masses will be offered for those buried in our cemeteries.



RÁS TAILTEANN We welcome all who visit our community this weekend supporting Rás 2024

PLEASE NOTE It has come to our attention that some parishioners may have received a request from Nigeria for monetary support. Please do not engage with this fundraising. If you have any concerns please contact the Parish Office.