



## NEWSLETTER FOURTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME YEAR B

**DONORE PARISH** WITH DULEEK PARISH

PARISHES OF THE DULEEK DEANERY

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7<sup>TH</sup> JULY 2024

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Tuesday – Thursday 10am-5pm

### MASS INTENTIONS

#### CHURCH OF THE NATIVITY OF OUR LADY, DONORE

**Sunday 11am** Nancy Collier.

**Tuesday 9am** Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

**Wednesday 9am** Missa pro populo.

**Thursday 9am** Missa pro populo.

**Friday 9am** Ann Moran.

**Saturday 4pm** Blessing of the Graves in Donore Old Cemetery.

**Sunday 11am** Mass with Blessings of the Graves in Donore Cemetery

#### CHURCH OF THE NATIVITY OF OUR LADY, ROSSNAREE

**Saturday 6.30pm** Missa pro populo

**Saturday 5pm** Blessing of the Graves in Leck Cemetery

**6:30pm** Mass with Blessings of the Graves in Knockcommon Cemetery

MASS OFFERTORY COLLECTION (Basket Collection): € 154

PARISH DEVELOPMENT FUND (Weekly Envelopes): € 351

**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.



The Sacrament will be celebrated on Thursday 6<sup>th</sup> February 2025. The enrolment for those who wish to receive the Gift of Confirmation will take place in September so we kindly encourage families to attend Mass over the summer and to watch out for more information via parish newsletter and website.

### COMMUNITY NOTICES

**Lotto: 5, 13, 17, 21** No Jackpot winner

Consolation prizes €20 Debbie Neill, Maggie Clinton, John Walsh & Eoin Keheller

Next week's jackpot €4,260.

### 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](http://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](http://www.dioseseofmeath.ie)



### CEMETERY SUNDAY NEXT WEEKEND JULY 13<sup>TH</sup>/14<sup>TH</sup> 2024

Blessing of the graves will take place next Saturday 13<sup>th</sup> July at 4pm in Donore old Cemetery, 5pm Leck Cemetery and 6:30pm in Knockcommon Cemetery. On Sunday 14<sup>th</sup> at 11am in Donore Cemetery.

**SEEKING A BLESSING** It is custom to have a new house or car blessed; perhaps even the farm too or the office or work place for God's protection etc. Please don't hesitate to request such a blessing from Fr. Mark or Fr. Declan. Always feel free to phone or email the Parish Office to make arrangements. Also if permitted by the hospital or nursing residence Fr. Mark and Fr. Declan would gladly visit any parishioner if they or their family so desired. Be assured too that most hospitals and nursing care facilities usually have pastoral care procedures provided for Anointing the sick and bringing Holy Communion, just ask and they will make arrangements for you and your loved ones.



**THE SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE** Did you know that the Sacrament of Marriage can be celebrated simply with



the Liturgy of the Word or also with the Liturgy of the Eucharist. For a valid celebration the couple need only the priest and two witness! So no need for a big crowd or to be worried about costs! There are many options for couples to think about when planning their wedding! To make arrangements for the Sacrament of Marriage please contact the Parish Office. The completed Sacrament of Marriage Booking Form is then returned at the weekend Mass, after which the priest will bless the couple as they begin the spiritual journey to their wedding day. Please keep all engaged couples in prayer as they prepare for the Sacrament of Marriage and living it 'for better or worse, for richer or poorer, in sickness and health, all the days of their lives'.

**DULEEK & DONORE PARISHES PILGRIMAGE 2024** Last year we walked the Pilgrim Path at Lough Derg and



visited St. Patrick's Purgatory Island (without fasting!); This year we again follow St. Patrick as we make our Pilgrimage to Downpatrick. Recognised as the burial place of St. Patrick we will participate in a stretch of a newly established Camino, have input from a guide and visit the Saint Patrick Centre which is the only permanent exhibition in the World about Ireland's Patron Saint and experience an amazing multimedia exhibition. We will celebrate Mass along the way and take time for usual picnic etc. **If interested in participating please keep Sat 17<sup>th</sup> August free and book your seat on the bus by contacting Caroline at the Parish office.** Cost for the bus is by donation, there will be an entry fee for the Centre. Come along and join us!

**MEATH DIOCESAN PILGRIMAGE TO KNOCK** takes place on Sunday 11<sup>th</sup> August. Anyone interested in going can book their free seat on the Parish Bus, please contact Caroline in Duleek Parish Office on 041-9823205 or email [duleekparish@gmail.com](mailto:duleekparish@gmail.com). The bus will be leaving the village green at 7.30am and will stop for food at The Richmond Inn, Cloon Dara on the way home.



Every Friday for the summer grandparents are invited to bring their grandchildren living close by or staying for sleep overs or on holidays, to the morning 9:30am Mass in St Cieran's Duleek. Frs. Mark, Declan & Francis will focus upon this sacred bond between the generations. Check out [www.catholicgrandparents.org](http://www.catholicgrandparents.org) for more information.

**SAINT THERÈSE INTERNATIONAL DAY AT KNOCK SHRINE** Saint Thérèse, patroness of all missionaries



and priests, first ever International Day will be celebrated on Sunday 14<sup>th</sup> July 10am-5.30pm at the International Eucharistic and Marian Shrine of Knock. This new pilgrimage day celebrates the Little Flower, Saint Thérèse of Lisieux, whose simple spirituality is called the 'Little Way'. Ceremonies will commence at 2.30pm with Anointing of the Sick followed by concelebrated Mass at 3pm and Benediction and Rosary procession. For more information contact the organisers through email [stthereseday@aol.com](mailto:stthereseday@aol.com) or by calling 089 272 6765.

