



NEWSLETTER CORPUS CHRISTI YEAR C

DONORE PARISH WITH DULEEK PARISH
PARISHES OF THE DULEEK DEANERY
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22ND JUNE 2025

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Tuesday – Thursday 9:30am-4:30pm

MASS INTENTIONS

CHURCH OF THE NATIVITY OF OUR LADY, DONORE

Corpus Christi 11am Paddy Coombes.

Tuesday 9am Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

Wednesday 9am Missa pro populo

Thursday 9am Missa pro populo

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Sunday 11am Dominic Gogarty

CHURCH OF THE NATIVITY OF OUR LADY, ROSSNAREE

Saturday 6pm Missa pro populo.

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The Parish Office will be closed until
Wed 2nd July. Any queries can be
emailed to duleekparish@gmail.com
or alternatively please speak to Fr.
Mark or Fr. Declan after Mass.

MASS OFFERTORY COLLECTION (Basket Collection): € 270
PARISH DEVELOPMENT FUND (Weekly Envelopes): € 565
Many thanks for your generous contribution to the Priest Offering last weekend.

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

COMMUNITY NOTICES

Lotto: 6, 9, 13, 20

Jackpot €1,910

Consolation prize €50 James Dillon

Next week's jackpot €1,940

PETER'S PENCE COLLECTION for the support of
Pope Leo XIV's pastoral activity in
Rome and throughout the Universal
Church will be taken up at Mass next
weekend. This collection especially
enables the Pope's outreach to the poor
and most neglected in our world.
Please check out www.peterspence.va to understand
more about this long held annual collection.



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

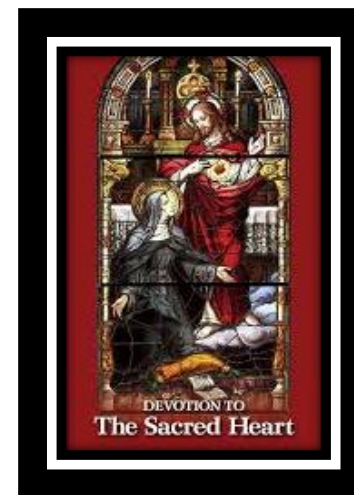
VOCATIONS

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.dioceseofmeath.ie

THE SOLEMNITY OF THE SACRED HEART OF JESUS is a liturgical feast celebrated on the Friday after Corpus



Christi. The devotion to the heart of Jesus has Christ's unconditional love at its centre
exemplified in the blood and water which poured forth from Christ's heart in his
sacrifice on the cross. St. Marguerite Marie Alacoque, a 17th-century French nun
and mystic, helped spread devotion to the Sacred Heart through her visions in which
Christ expressed his desire to reveal his loving heart to mankind. This month marks
the conclusion of the 350th Anniversary celebrations since Jesus made this revelation
at Paray-Le-Monial, France. As the late Pope Francis remarked; *"Friday we will
celebrate the solemnity of the Sacred Heart of Jesus. Do not be afraid to present to
him all the intentions of our suffering humanity, its fears, its miseries. May this
Heart, full of love for all, give everyone hope and trust. [] I invite you to discover
the riches that are hidden in the Heart of Jesus, to learn to love your neighbour."*
During the recent Parish Pilgrimage to the Shrines of France we prayed for the
families of our Parish Faith Communities and implored the blessings of the Sacred
Heart upon all. *O Sacred Heart of Jesus, we place all our trust in Thee.*



THE JUBILEE PRAYER Father in heaven, may the faith you have given us in your son, Jesus
Christ, our brother, and the flame of charity enkindled in our hearts by the Holy Spirit, reawaken
in us the blessed hope for the coming of your Kingdom. May your grace transform us into tireless
cultivators of the seeds of the Gospel. May those seeds transform from within both humanity
and the whole cosmos in the sure expectation of a new heaven and a new earth, when, with the
powers of Evil vanquished, your glory will shine eternally. May the grace of the Jubilee reawaken in us, Pilgrims
of Hope, a yearning for the treasures of heaven. May that same grace spread the joy and peace of our Redeemer
throughout the earth. To you our God, eternally blessed, be glory and praise for ever. Amen.

GALA CONCERT ST OLIVER 400 As part of the celebrations for St. Oliver 400 a Gala Concert will
take place at St. Peter's Church, Drogheda on Saturday 5th July at 8pm. The concert will feature
performances by St. Peter's Male Voice Choir, Celine Byrne, Seán Tester and Jennifer Murphy under
the baton of Conductor Edward Holly, Gerry Kelly serving as compère for the evening. Tickets are
€25 and can be purchased at St. Peter's Church or Our Lady of Lourdes via Eventbrite. All welcome.



CEMETERY SUNDAY WEEKEND JULY 12TH/13TH 2025

Blessing of the graves will take place on Saturday 12th July at 4pm in Donore old Cemetery,
5pm Leck Cemetery and 6pm in Knockcommon Cemetery. On Sunday 13th 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.

MEATH DIOCESAN PILGRIMAGE TO KNOCK takes place on Sunday 10th 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. The bus will be
leaving the village green at 7.30am and will stop for food in Longford on the way home.



As school closes for the summer holidays we thank all the principals, teachers and staff for
their great work with the children and their families this past academic year. May everyone
have a great summer at home or away. Placing you all in God's protection and hoping we
are blessed with lots more sunshine!



MASS FOR THE SICK It was a special occasion for us all who gathered on Saturday to
celebrate the Sacrament of the Sick and implore God's healing grace upon all who are
carrying the burden of illness. Our most sincere gratitude to everyone who assisted,
especially the Duleek Women's Group. When parishioners are not able to attend Mass due
to old age or ill health the priests can call with Holy Communion on the First Fridays of
every month. A Minister of Holy Communion may also bring Holy Communion to the house
after the weekend Mass.

