



NEWSLETTER TWENTY SEVENTH SUNDAY YEAR C

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MASS INTENTIONS

CHURCH OF THE NATIVITY OF OUR LADY, DONORE

Sunday 5th	11am Anne Walker
Tuesday 7th	9am Anne Walker; Ita Knight;
Wednesday 8th	9am Missa pro populo.
Thursday 9th	9am Missa pro populo
Friday 10th	9am Missa pro populo
Sunday 12th	11am Evelyn Murphy, <i>First Anniversary</i> ; Tommy Lawless;

CHURCH OF THE NATIVITY OF OUR LADY, ROSSNAREE

Saturday 4th	6pm Missa pro populo
Saturday 11th	6pm Harry Murtagh; John Flood & deceased family members;



MASS OFFERTORY COLLECTION (Basket Collection): €269.00
 PARISH DEVELOPMENT FUND (Weekly Envelopes): €338.00
Donore Fund Account:
IBAN IE38 AIBK 9320 9446 7323 44



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**IN BAPTISM WE WELCOME INTO OUR
FAITH COMMUNITY:**
RHEYA SHEEHAN

Sacramental Ceremonies 2026

The celebration of the **Sacrament of Confirmation** will take place in Holy Family Church, Ballsgrove on Wednesday 11th February 2026 at 3pm.

First Holy Communion dates 2026

Donore N.S Saturday 2nd May at 12pm
Knockcommon N.S – Saturday 9th May at 12pm

5TH OCTOBER 2025

C/o St Mary's Parish Office
24 James Street
Drogheda,
Co. Louth
Tel: 041-9834587

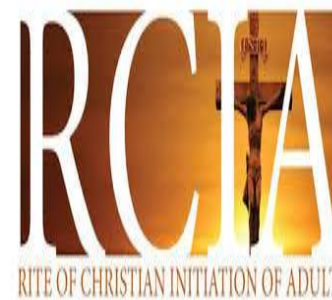


PRAYER FOR VOCATIONS IN THE DIOCESE OF MEATH

We pray that our seminarians and those discerning a vocation to the diocesan priesthood will, in the words of St Paul to Timothy, "...fan into a flame the gift" [of faith] and "...never be ashamed of witnessing to the Lord..." as they rely on the power of God to keep them faithful to their calling.

RCIA PROGRAMME 2025/26

Are you, or someone you know interested in becoming a member of the Catholic Church? RCIA, the Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults, is a faith-formation process which prepares and supports adults who wish to become members of the Catholic Church. Applications are currently being invited for this year's programme which is due to commence in the autumn. For further details, please contact the Parish Office or visit www.dioceseofmeath.ie/rcia



Fear. Hope. Mercy. A Recollection Weekend on the Four Last Things

Date: 31st October-2nd November

Location: Tí Chulainn Centre, Mullaghbawn Co. Armagh

An opportunity for adult Catholics who would like to go deeper in their faith and life more truly in the light of that for which they were created to come together in prayer and reflection. Sacraments, Conferences, Silence, Community and more. Retreat leader: Fr Patrick Desmond OP. Fully residential with full board - non-residential rates available also - all details online. Early bird closes Monday 29th September. For more info visit www.thecollect.ie or email info@thecollect.ie



Attention young adults (ages 18-40) – Do you want to grow in your prayer life? **Meath Samuel Group** is taking place in Navan, October 2025 through May 2026.

The programme entails being present once a month at the formation day in Navan, meeting monthly with a spiritual director (we'll help you find one, if needed), and a commitment to daily prayer. For more information and registration go to www.franciscansisterscfr.com/st-anthony

SOCIETY OF ST. VINCENT DE PAUL

Helpline 1800 677 777 or
Contact 087-0931068

SAMARITANS

(supporting those in emotional distress 24/7)
Freephone number 116123.
Email jo@samaritans.ie

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. John
www.dioceseofmeath.ie

COMMUNITY NOTICES

Congratulations to St Mary's GFC Donore & Rossnaree who won the Meath Junior B Championship last Sunday beating Moynalty 2.09 to 0.13 in Páirc Tailteann. A fantastic performance and a very memorable day for all involved in the club.

COMMUNITY NOTICES

SLANE AND DISTRICT'S MEN'S SHED - COMING SOON!

This Autumn you can learn new skills in woodwork and metalwork (or refresh the skills you already have!) free of charge for Shed members. We've very experienced tutors with industry and educational experience to lead our sessions. This is a great opportunity to meet up with new people while making practical and artistic things! The sessions are flexible so you can work on personal and group projects. For more information call Kevin at 086 6003636.

Woodwork classes every Thursday starting 2nd October at 10am

Metalwork classes every Friday starting 3rd October at 10am.

