



NEWSLETTER *FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME*

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MASS INTENTIONS

CHURCH OF THE NATIVITY OF OUR LADY, DONORE

Sunday 8th 11am Michael Murray; Patrick & Esther McGuinness & their daughter Mary Leongson & her husband Andre;

Tuesday 10th 9am Mass followed by *Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament*

Wednesday 11th 9am Mass

3pm Confirmation Ceremony Donore N.S & Knockcommon Schools (Holy Family Church, Ballsgrove)

Thursday 12th 9am Mass

Friday 13th 9am Mass

Sunday 15th 11am Mary Condra *First Anniversary*;

CHURCH OF THE NATIVITY OF OUR LADY, ROSSNAREE

Saturday 7th 6pm Mass

Saturday 14th 6pm Mass

MASS OFFERTORY COLLECTION (Basket Collection): €522.00
PARISH DEVELOPMENT FUND (Weekly Envelopes): €347.00

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

ST MARY'S G.F.C DONORE

2ND FEBRUARY 2026

Lotto: 9, 10, 13, 16

Jackpot €2,890.00

Consolation prizes of €25 to The Moore Family & Louise Bolger

Next week's jackpot €2,920.00

COMMUNITY NOTICES

Duleek/Bellewstown Active retirement group

are looking for new members.

Monthly meetings are on 1st Wednesday of each month.

Bowling each Tuesday, from 2pm to 4pm in Duleek Parish centre.

Contact 041 9823491 for more details.

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

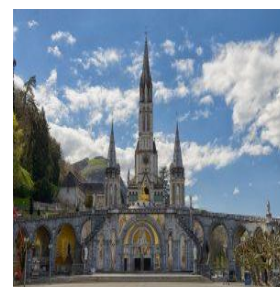
VOCATIONS

Ever think about becoming a priest for the Diocese of Meath? Contact Fr. John
www.dioceseofmeath.ie



PRAYER FOR VOCATIONS IN THE DIOCESE OF MEATH

We pray for our seminarians and the men who will be the future priests of our diocese, that they will be "the salt of the earth" and "the light of the world" as they preach the power of the "crucified Christ" and bring the light of faith into the darkness of our world.



The Annual Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes, led by Bishop Deenihan, is scheduled to depart on 8th September 2026. Pilgrims have the option of selecting a 4-night or 5-night stay.

All participants will be accommodated in hotels, with fares starting at €849 for full board. Booking forms can be obtained through Joe Walsh Tours.

For further inquiries, please contact them at Tel: 01-2410800 or visit their website at www.joewalshstours.ie.



Pilgrimage to San Giovanni Rotondo, led by Anne-Marie Byrne and accompanied by Spiritual Director. 17th July 2026 for 4 nights. €1,150 per person sharing. Direct return flights from Dublin to Naples, 10kg bags included, all transfers & tours by private coach. 4 nights in Hotel Parco delle Rose with full board. Full religious programme led by Spiritual director, fully guided with tours and visits as per itinerary. Single supplement: €45 per night (*limited availability & on request*). For information, please contact: Anne-Marie 0860892788



MEALS ON WHEELS

Two drivers required for the Donore run. If you have one hour to spare, once a fortnight, either on a Monday or a Friday, please contact Maureen on: 087 993 2649



CONFIRMATION CEREMONY: This is a very special week in the life of the parish as we celebrate the Sacrament of Confirmation with our 6th classes from Donore N.S & Knockcommon Schools. We welcome Bishop Tom who will preside over our ceremony on **Wednesday, February 11th at 3pm in Holy Family Church, Ballsgrove.**

A special word of thanks to parents and teachers who have prepared our young people for this Sacrament.



PARISH ENVELOPE BOXES 2026/27 The new Parish Envelope Boxes have been distributed. If you haven't yet received a box for your household please contact the Parish Office. If you are new to our parish and would like to register then please also contact the Parish Office at your convenience and arrangements can be made to issue a

Parish Envelope Box for your home. Again, a huge thanks to everyone for your constant support to both the Development Fund and the Mass Offertory (basket) Collection. Our Parish Bank details are **IBAN IE38 AIBK 9320 9446 7323 44** if you wish to set up your weekly, monthly or annual contribution by using banking online facilities. Every person's or family's contribution makes a huge difference to paying the bills and ensuring the best facilities we can provide for the celebration of public worship and the support of the priest and staff of the parish. Sincere thanks again to everyone.

