

NEWSLETTER *FIRST SUNDAY OF ADVENT*

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MASS INTENTIONS

CHURCH OF THE NATIVITY OF OUR LADY, DONORE

Sunday 29th 11am Remembrance Mass

Tuesday 1st **9am Mass followed by** *Adoration* ***of the Blessed Sacrament***
Wednesday 2nd **9am Mass**
Thursday 3rd **9am Mass**
Friday 4th **9am Mass**

Sunday 6th **11am** Dillwyn Stanley *Month's Memory;* Nuala & Tom Goodman; Noel Lynch; Anthony Murphy; Gerry & Rosemary Mullen; Michael & Ronan McDonnell;

CHURCH OF THE NATIVITY OF OUR LADY, ROSSNAREE

Saturday 28th 6pm Remembrance Mass

Saturday 5th **6pm Liam** Gough *First Anniversary;* Helena Tully; Christy Hand;



MASS OFFERTORY COLLECTION (Basket Collection): €290.00
PARISH DEVELOPMENT FUND (Weekly Envelopes): €404.00

Donore Fund Account:
IBAN IE38 AIBK 9320 9446 7323 44

Scan to Donate

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
23RD NOVEMBER 2026

Lotto: 7, 14, 24, 26
Jackpot €4,185.00
Consolation prize of €25 to Dom Byrne &Pauline Lawless
Next week's jackpot €4,215.00

St. Vincent de Paul Christmas Appeal
Church Gate Collection, before all masses on
Saturday 5th December in Rossnaree and
Sunday 6th December in Donore.
Please give generously.

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
During this season of Advent, as we prepare to celebrate the birth of Jesus Christ, our Lord and Saviour, we pray that the future priests of the diocese will welcome Him wholeheartedly into their lives so that they can bring His loving, healing, and life-giving presence to the individuals and communities they will be called to serve in His name.

MASSES OF REMEMBRANCE: take place this weekend 28th and 29th of November in Rossnaree and Donore for those who have died in the last year, from November 2025 - November 2026.This mass is also for family members who have died elsewhere. A candle with their name will be lit during the mass and you may take this candle home with you after the mass and perhaps light it for your loved one at Christmas time or on a family occasion.
There will be a cup of tea in Donore Parish Hall after Sunday's Mass. All are welcome.



CHRISTMAS WREATH WORKSHOP: Donore N.S Parents Council present a Christmas wreath workshop in Donore National School on Thursday 3rd December from 7 – 9pm. The cost is €75 per person. This price includes all materials needed and tea/coffee and mince pies. For booking information email donoreparentscouncil@gmail.com or call Jenny on 086 1224278 or scan the QR code to book online!



Youth 2000 Christmas Retreat | 11th-13th December 2026
Calling all young people aged 16–35! Join us at the Youth 2000 Christmas Retreat in Newbridge College, Co. Kildare. This is a donation-only event, with free buses available across the country and all meals included.
Expect inspiring talks and workshops, Mass, music, prayer, and plenty of opportunities to chill out and meet other young Catholics. Whether you are new to the faith or looking to be refreshed, all are welcome.
To register or find out more, visit youth2000.ie or follow @Youth2000Ireland.

DROGHEDA MALE VOICE CHOIR CHRISTMAS CONCERT
The Drogheda Male Voice Choir Christmas Concert for 2026 takes place on Friday, December 11, 2026, at 7:30 PM in St. Mary's Church in Drogheda.
Get into the Christmas spirit with David Leddy and the DMVC with Amy Dyer and the Lourdes Youth Choir.
Tickets available in St Mary's Parish Office or online at www.eventbrite.com/e/drogheda-male-voice-choir-christmas-concert-tickets-2001885721081



COMMUNITY NOTICES

Flexibus, Local Link are looking for new volunteers for their Community Car Scheme. Information and training on Wednesday 9th of December from 10am – 3pm.
Training is free, and lunch is included. Training will take place in our offices in Mullaghboy Industrial Estate, Navan. If you would like more information or to book in, please call us on 046 907 4830 or email us on info@locallinklmf.ie