

NEWSLETTER FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME YEAR A

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29TH JANUARY 2023

Tuesday - Thursday 10am - 5pm

FIRST FRIDAY COMMUNION

& Fr. Anthony will call to

housebound.

CALLS This Thursday Fr. Mark

parishioners who are sick and

MASS INTENTIONS

CHURCH OF THE NATIVITY OF OUR LADY, DONORE

Sunday 11am Maria & Liam O'Brien.

Tuesday 9am Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament until 10am No Mass this Wednesday (Feast of St Brigid 9:30am in Bellewstown)

Thursday
 First Friday
 9am Feast of the Presentation of Our Lord Dec McDonnell & Collier families.
 9am Feast of St. Blaise with the Blessing of the Throats Parish List of the Dead.

Sunday 11am Leontia & Liam Everard; Mary Leongson; Ester & Patrick McGuinness.

CHURCH OF THE NATIVITY OF OUR LADY, ROSSNAREE

Saturday 6:30pm Patricia Lenehan.

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MASS OFFERTORY COLLECTION (Basket Offering): € 330 PARISH DEVELOPMENT FUND (Weekly envelopes): € 390 **Donore Parish Development Fund Account Number:**



If you prefer to use this QR code instead of the basket collection just scan your phone over it and follow the guide.

COMMUNITY NOTICES

IBAN IE38 AIBK 9320 9446 7323 44

Lotto: 8, 10, 25, 26 No jackpot winner. Consolation prizes €25 Martina Clarke & Tanya Foley. Next week's jackpot €6,050. Reserve Jackpot €2,530.

Community Employment Vacancies based in Duleek, Bellewstown and Slane. There are various positions for Groundworkers to maintain local sports grounds, church grounds, graveyards etc, Tour Guides who offer museum tours and Caretakers to maintain car park, grounds & meeting rooms. Eligibility for CE is generally linked to those who are 21 years or over and in receipt of a qualifying social welfare payment for 1 year or more or 18 years and over for certain disadvantaged groups. Your eligibility will have to be verified by the Department. Please contact Janet or Frank in Duleek Development Association CLG on 041-9880269 with any queries and further information can be found on JobsIreland.ie

SOCIETY OF ST. VINCENT DE PAUL 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 www.dioceseofmeath.ie

VOCATIONS

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



FEAST OF ST. BRIGID, 1ST **FEBRUARY** To mark the Feast of St. Brigid, Wednesday 1ST February, it would be great if parishioners who have some free time could make a few extra crosses to bring to this Mass in Bellewstown or on 2nd Feb in Donore for blessing and distribution. It is an Irish tradition for such crosses to be placed in farm sheds to protect the animals from any harm and to seek God's blessing upon all involved in farming as we in Ireland mark the beginning of springtime!

PRESENTATION OF THE LORD/CANDLEMAS DAY 2ND FEBRUARY Blessing of candles for use during Masses in our churches and at the Vigil or Wakes during the year and other occasions of family prayer in the home. Please bring any candles you want blessed to the 9am Mass in Donore. After this Feast Day the cribs are taken down. It is also *World Day for Consecrated Life* when we acknowledge and pray for the religious sisters, religious brothers, lay men and women who have taken consecrated vows in the Church, remembering especially those from our parish.





THE GIFT OF LOVE Appreciating the commitment couples make in the Sacred Marriage vows we especially offer our love and support to the Newly Weds of 2022! We invite those who got married in our parishes last year to join with us at the 6:30pm Mass in Rossnaree on Saturday 11th February when as a faith community we mark St. Valentine's by expressing our solidarity with you and bless you and your family with our prayers and best wishes!

BLESSING OF HANDS To mark the World Day of the Sick we invite all carers, nurses, doctors and others who assist those in our community who are sick to attend the 11am Mass in Donore on Sunday 12th February during which we will have a ceremony for the blessing of hands. On 24th June we will celebrate Mass for the Sick in St Cianan's Duleek when it is a warmer time of the year to gather!



Ash Wednesday In preparation for the beginning of Lent on 22nd February could you please bring the old palms or crosses to Mass next weekend and place them in the baskets at the altar. These will then be burnt to be used for the blessing and imposition of ashes on Ash Wednesday.

Cemetery Sunday Weekend 2023 The annual devotions and blessings of the graves will be held on the weekend of the 9th July.

Parish Pastoral Assemblies Across the diocese a new initiative to establish Parish Pastoral Assemblies in every parish/pastoral area has begun. We seek the out pouring of the Holy Spirit to inspire and guide this significant endeavour. Please keep this intention in your prayers. During Lent as the faith communities in Duleek and Donore we will reflect and discern in accordance with the new diocesan norms for the establishment of our Pastoral Assembly.



WORLD YOUTH DAY 2023 (1ST-6TH AUGUST) will be celebrated in Lisbon, Portugal. It is a massive weeklong event, with Pope Francis, for young Catholics (aged 18-35) to gather and participate in from every corner of the world. Consider joining with others from your parish and the Diocese of Meath to share this experience of belonging to Jesus Christ.

You are invited to come along and meet for an information gathering about World Youth Day at the Trim Parish Pastoral Centre at 7pm on Friday 27th January. For more details see www.dioceseofmeath.ie. Cost €650 approx. All expenses included. To book contact meathyouth@gmail.com