



## NEWSLETTER SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER YEAR C

**DONORE PARISH** WITH DULEEK PARISH

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25<sup>TH</sup> MAY 2025

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Tuesday – Thursday 9:30am-4:30pm

### MASS INTENTIONS

**CHURCH OF THE NATIVITY OF OUR LADY, DONORE**

**Sunday 11am** Ollie Doonan.

No Mass Tuesday - Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

No Mass Wednesday (9.30am mass in Bellewstown)

**Thursday 9am** Missa pro populo

**Friday 9am** Missa pro populo

**Sunday 11am The Ascension of the Lord** Frank, Kathleen & Francis Byrne; Kathleen Grifferty.

**CHURCH OF THE NATIVITY OF OUR LADY, ROSSNAREE**

**Saturday 6pm** Charlie & Breda Smith.

**Saturday 6pm** Missa pro populo



MASS OFFERTORY COLLECTION (Basket Collection): € 520

PARISH DEVELOPMENT FUND (Weekly Envelopes): € 441

**Donore Fund Account:**

**IBAN IE38 AIBK 9320 9446 7323 44**



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**THROUGH BAPTISM WE WELCOME INTO OUR FAITH COMMUNITY:** Faye Paula Byrne.



**INTO YOUR HANDS O LORD, WE COMMEND;** Martina Clarke, Donore.

### COMMUNITY NOTICES

**Lotto: 1, 12, 13, 14**

Jackpot €1,790

Consolation prize €50 Des Murphy

Next week's jackpot €1,820

**St Vincent de Paul Church Gate Collection** will take place at all masses on Saturday 30<sup>th</sup> May and Sunday 1<sup>st</sup> June. Your continued support is much appreciated.

### 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](http://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.dioseseofmeath.ie](http://www.dioseseofmeath.ie)



**DIOCESAN CHANGES 2025** This week Bishop Tom has published online and in the local papers his announcement of the following clerical changes which will take effect on Friday 4<sup>th</sup> July: Fr. Sean Garland, PP Clonmellon to retire; Fr. John Moorehead, PP Eglish to retire; Fr. Terry Toner, PP Kilmessan to be AP Kilmessan; Fr. John Conlon, PP Drogheda to be PP Donore in addition; Fr. Michael Meade PP Kilcormac to be PP Eglish in addition; Fr. Pádraig McMahon, PP Athboy to be PP Clonmellon in addition; Fr. William Coleman, PP Rochfordbridge to be PP Ballinabrackey in addition; Fr. David Bradley, PP Kells to be PP Nobber and PP Kilbeg; Fr. Martin Halpin, PP Ballinabrackey to be PP Summerhill and PP Kilmessan; Fr. Liam Malone, PP Nobber and PP Kilbeg to be PP Duleek; Fr. Mark English, PP Duleek & Adm. Donore to be PP Kells; Fr. Declan Kelly, CC Duleek & Donore to be CC Kells and CC Kilsyre; Fr. Barry White, CC Mullingar to be Diocesan Chancellor in addition; Fr. Eusebiu Tulbure, CC Navan, Diocese of Iasi, Romania recalled for new appointment in Dublin; Fr. Robert Badau, Diocese of Iasi, Romania to be CC, Navan; Fr. Yohanna Jacob, AP Summerhill to be AP Moynalvey; Fr. Jinse Jose, Indian Chaplaincy to be CC Ballinabrackey; Rev. Anthony Kerr, Deacon to Navan Parish; Fr. Vincent McKay, CSSp, CC Summerhill to return to Spiritan Congregation; Fr. Wojciech Jaisonek, CC Moynalvey to return to Poland.



**FIRST HOLY COMMUNION 2025** As we continue to keep all the children and their families in our prayers, we look forward to celebrating the following:

**SUNDAY 1<sup>ST</sup> JUNE 10am St. Thérèse's Church, Bellewstown, Bellewstown NS**

**SUNDAY 1<sup>ST</sup> JUNE 12noon St. Cianán's Church, Duleek Boys NS**

**Your love, support and prayers for the youngest children in our Faith community is much appreciated. Together let us encourage these children and their families as Pilgrims of Hope!**



**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.

**THE KNIGHTS OF ST COLUMBANUS** will bring Saint Oliver Plunkett to the people facilitating prayerful engagement and veneration. Our Festival of Prayer is now in its 20th year. To mark this feat, the Knights intend to work in partnership for 2025, with Saint Oliver 400 Community Group. This voluntary group is coordinating the celebration of 400 years since the courageous saint's birth and the Golden Jubilee of his canonisation. **The Relic of St. Oliver Plunkett will be in Donore Church on Sunday 1<sup>st</sup> June 2025 for 11am Mass.**



### CEMETERY SUNDAY WEEKEND JULY 12<sup>TH</sup>/13<sup>TH</sup> 2024

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



**QUEEN OF THE MAY** Let us keep the treasured tradition of honouring our Lady, the Mother of God during the month of May with special devotion. Perhaps get the children in your home to help set up a May altar. Make time for the family rosary, especially with children celebrating their First Holy Communion and those who recently made their Confirmation

### THE REGINA CAELI

Ÿ. Queen of Heaven, rejoice, alleluia

Ŗ. For he whom you were worthy to bear, alleluia.

Ÿ. Has risen as he said, alleluia.

Ŗ. Pray for us to God, alleluia.

Ÿ. Let us pray: O God, who through the resurrection of your Son Jesus Christ gave rejoicing to the world, grant we pray, that through his Mother, the Virgin Mary, we may obtain the joys of everlasting life. Through Christ our Lord. Ŗ. Amen.

*(The Regina Caeli is recited in place of the Angelus during the Easter season, from Easter Sunday until Pentecost.)*

