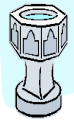




**Adoration of the Most Blessed Sacrament**  
in St Columbanus' church  
Tuesday's after 10am  
Mass until 2pm



**Baptisms in the Parish...**  
**St Columbanus' Church**  
2nd Sun of month at 12.30pm  
**St Dympna's Church**  
3rd Sat of the month at 5pm



**Visits to the Sick in Hospital**

*If a family member is in hospital and they would like a visit please let Josie in the parish office know (046 9546488)*

*Hospital administrators do not allow priests to see the religion list of patients.*

National Grandparents' Pilgrimage to Knock and the celebration of the World Day for Grandparents & the Elderly both take place next Sunday 23 July



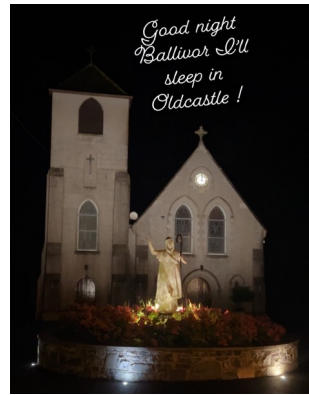
All are welcome for this wonderful celebration of family and faith through the generations. The Principal Celebrant and Homilist will be Bishop Denis Nulty, Bishop of Kildare and Leighlin and Chair of the Bishops' Council for Marriage and the Family.

ALL ARE WELCOME! For more information see [www.catholicgrandparentsassociation.org](http://www.catholicgrandparentsassociation.org)

The annual Meath Pilgrimage to Lourdes will be from **September 12th** and will be led by Bishop Deenihan.

There is a 4 night or 6 night option with Fares from €729 full board.

Booking forms are available at the back of the church



*Dear Friends,*  
*As I prepare to leave Ballivor and Kildalkey Parish this week I take the opportunity to say thank you for allowing me to walk among you for the last 9 years as your priest, friend and confidant. My time here in Ballivor & Kildalkey has been wonderful. When he appointed me as PP in 2014, Bishop Smith instructed me to "make it your home", and that was made easy because of you my parish family. I am deeply grateful for that. I will take with me great memories and a happy heart that I have served in the Lord's vineyard here.*

*I am not without fault, for the things that I failed to do in word or deed or the times I said or did anything that hurt anyone, I apologise and beg pardon.*

*As I face a new challenge and chapter in my life I am confident that your prayers will be a huge support for me. Pray that God will grant me continued health in mind and body and that he will keep me reminded that what he does through me is far more important than anything I could do without him.*

*Go n-éirí an bóthar leat.*

*Fr Mark*



**Ballivor & Kildalkey Parish**  
**16th July 2023**  
**bkparishoffice@gmail.com**  
**046-9546488**



**Mass intentions for the week ahead...**

- Sat 6pm** Rose Conneely. Rose Maguire.
- Sat 7pm** Missa Pro populo
- Sun 10am** Decs members of the Masterson family
- Sun 11.30am** Mags Magee (recently decs)  
Joseph & Elizabeth Farrell daughter Rena & son Eamonn  
Mass offered for Celebrant's intention (mc)
- Mon 10am** Thomas Flanagan & decs family. Special intention
- Tues 10am** Mass followed by Adoration in St. Columbanus' until -2pm  
Mass for Celebrant's intentions  
Pat O'Reilly
- Fri 10am** Eddie Murray
- Sat 6pm** Mass in St Dympna's
- Sat 7pm** Mass in St Columbanus'
- Sun 10am** Mass in St Dympna's
- Sun 11.30am** Mass in St Columbanus'



**Go n-éirí an bóthar leat**  
**Go raibh an ghaoth go brách ag do chúl**  
**Go lonraí an ghrian go te ar d'aghaidh**  
**Go dtite an bháisteach go mín ar do pháirceanna**  
**Agus go mbuailimid le chéile arís,**  
**Go gcoinní Dia i mbos A láimhe thú.**

**May the road rise up to meet you.**  
**May the wind be always at your back.**  
**May the sun shine warm upon your face;**  
**the rains fall soft upon your fields and until we meet again,**  
**may God hold you in the palm of His hand.**

**St Columbanus' Church**

**Ministers of the Word**  
Sat 15th:Sheena McMahon  
Sun 16th:Bernie Kenny  
Sat 22nd:Jackie Connor  
Sun 23rd:Jim McClelland

**Special Ministers**  
Sat 15th:Bernie Kelly  
Sun 16th:Betty McKeown  
Sat 22nd:Gerry Sherrock  
Sun 23rd:Marian Hoey

Music ministry  
in our parish:  
Teresa Carley  
Sr Ciarán Egan  
Ballivor  
&  
Ruth McMahon  
Kildalkey

**St Dympna's Church**

**Ministers of the Word**  
Sat 15th:Mags Kelly  
Sun 16th:Marie Hayes  
Sat 22nd:Deirdre O'Reilly  
Sun 23rd:Dermot Ainsworth

**Special Ministers**  
Sat 15th:Sandra Rickard  
Sun 16th: Teresa Potterton  
Sat 22nd:Radek Kumorek  
Sun 23rd:Mary Reidy

*Gentle reminder.....next weekend is an 'offering' weekend. Please use the 'Transport Collection' envelope in your box*