



July Visits to the Sick & Housebound Fr Ciarán will do his calls after morning Mass in **Kildalkey on Monday 8th July** and in **Ballivor on Tuesday 9th June**. If you have a loved one in hospital or a nursing home who would like a visit from Fr Ciarán please contact Josie in the parish office to add their name to the list.

Rally for Life Saturday 6th July Parnell Square, Dublin. Join with people of all ages, with family and friends, to show the government and the Nation that we must Stop Aborting Our Future – and love both mother and child.

Mass at Trimblestown will be celebrated on Saturday 13th July at 12noon.

Retreat for Young Adults (18-40 yrs.) St. Columban's Dalgan Park, Navan Saturday 6th July (10am -5.30pm) *'You have made us for yourself, O Lord, and our hearts are restless until they rest in You.'* (St. Augustine) A time to reflect, with time apart from the hustle of modern life. Mass, helpful talks, adoration, confession, spiritual direction if desired, walks through delightful woodlands etc. Cost: €20 suggested (lunch/snacks provided) Contact Sr Úna: 090 6481666 Email: youthretreats@gmail.com

Providing compassionate care at the end of life... To address this sensitive issue of compassionate care at the end of life and in response to the need to inform the faithful Catholic teaching on this important life issue that effects so many families, the bishops of Ireland have published the pastoral letter: **Freedom to Live Fully, Until Death Comes**. You are invited to read this letter and view the accompanying video **Through the Valley**, which offers personal testimonies by carers and people with terminal illness. The key message of both letter and video asserts that every person possesses inherent, infinite dignity that remains intact regardless of their circumstances. In this context, bishops strongly oppose the Oireachtas Committee's proposal to Government to legislate for assisted suicide and call on support for healthcare workers who uphold the sanctity of life. To read the pastoral letter or view the video please visit <https://www.catholicbishops.ie/2024/06/24/bishops-statement-on-end-of-life-care-freedom-to-live-fully-until-death-comes/>

Pilgrimages 2024

Lough Derg 3 Day Pilgrimage Season continues until 15th August. More details on the poster or www.loughderg.ie

Bus to Lough Derg (1st-3rd July) leaves Park Hotel Mullingar at 8.30am on Monday 1st July. For further details contact Carmel on 044 9374818

Meath Diocesan Pilgrimage to Knock will take place on **Sunday 11th August** beginning with Rosary at 2pm, Anointing of the Sick at 2.30pm and Mass at 3pm

Medjugorje Pilgrimage 28th August - 4th September 2024. For more information please contact Teresa on 046 948 6983 or 087 965 7299

Meath Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes will travel on 10th September. All pilgrims will be accommodated in hotels and there are 4, 5 and 6 night options, with fares starting at €769 with various hotels available. Further information and booking forms are available from Joe Walsh Tours www.joewalshstours.ie Tel. 01 2410 800



Ballivor & Kildalkey Parish

30th June 2024
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 Parish Office open Tues Wed & Fri 9am-3pm



MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE COMING WEEK & ADORATION TIMES

- Sat 6pm (K) James & Annie Brady
- Sat 7pm (B) Special Intention
- Sun 10am(K) People of the Parish
- Sun 11.30am(B) Paddy Quinn. Andrez Koterba.
- Mon 10am (K) Decd members of the former Kildalkey I.C.A.
- Tues 10am (B) Mass Card Intention
- Thurs (K) **Adoration 10.30am-2pm & 6-8pm.**
- Fri 10am (B) **Adoration in Kildalkey from 6-8pm**
- Sat 6pm (K) **MM: Tommy Reynolds.** Gerald Carroll
- Sat 7pm (B) Tom Doyle
- Sun 10am(K) People of the Parish
- Sun 11.30am(B) Paddy & Kay Dixon

Please pray for
Marian Sharpe
 aunt of
 Colette Dower

Nancy Raleigh
 (nee Greville)
 mother of
 Tommy Raleigh
 Cloneycavan



Parish Mission Statement

Jesus said "love one another as I have loved you".
 As a parish we strive to embrace and promote the message of the Gospel throughout our community in a way that is welcoming, kind and inclusive.



St Oliver Plunkett - Patron Saint of Peace & Reconciliation
Feast Day Monday 1st July
 Mass will be celebrated this Sunday at 3pm in Loughcrew Gardens Oldcastle, the birthplace of St Oliver Plunkett. This year marks the 49th Anniversary of his Canonisation in Rome by St Pope Paul VI in 1975.

St Columbanus' Church

Ministers of the Word

- Sat 29th: Patricia Farrell
- Sun 30th: Seán McNally
- Sat 6th: Sheena McMahon
- Sun 7th: John Farrell

Ministers of the Eucharist

- Sat 29th: Seanie Faulkner
- Sun 30th: Brendan McKeon
- Sat 6th: Diane O'Connor
- Sun 7th: Tom Murray

Thank You to
 Sr Ciarán &
 Teresa Carley
 who provide music
 ministry for liturgies
 in Ballivor during the
 year. We wish them
 all the best as they
 take a well-deserved
 summer break.



St Dympna's Church

Ministers of the Word

- Sat 29th: Mags Kelly
- Sun 30th: Dermot Ainsworth
- Sat 6th: Anne O'Reilly
- Sun 7th: Ruth McMahon

Ministers of the Eucharist

- Sat 29th: Sandra Rickard
- Sun 30th: Teresa Potterton
- Sat 6th: Noreen McAuley
- Sun 7th: Debbie Connor