

Ballivor & Kildalkey Parish

18th January 2026

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Parish Office open Tues & Fri 9am-3pm



Mass Intentions & Adoration Times: Sat 17th - Sun 25th January

Sat 6.00pm Edward (Eddie) Dunne. Tom & Josie Conlan. Tommy McMahon

Sat 7.00pm Bertie Cuningham

Sun 10.00am People of the Parish

Sun 11.30am Bob & Kathleen Sherrock & daughter Mag.

Mon 10.00am Mark Ward. Patrick, Marie, Bridget & Christina Murray.
Mollie & James Nolan.

Tues 10.00am Mass Card Intention.

Tues Adoration Ballivor 10.30-2pm & 6-8pm.

Thurs Adoration Kildalkey 6-8pm.

Fri 10.00am Mass Card Intention.

Sat 6.00pm Michael Brady (MM) Marie Heavey (MM)

Sat 7.00pm Ann McKeown. Linda Kelly.

Sun 10.00am Christine Kelly (MM) Michael Gaffney (MM) also his wife Kitty

Sun 11.30am Mary-Jo Doherty. Monica & PJ Murray. Alejandra Christie.

Confirmation Preparation Programme continues..

Ballivor: 20th & 27th January.

Kildalkey: 21st & 28th January.

Confirmation will take place on

Thursday 26th February at 3pm in Athboy.



St Columbanus' Church

Ministers of the Word

Sat 17th: Sheena McMahon

Sun 18th: Jackie Connor

Sat 24th: Gerry Dempsey

Sun 25th: Myra McNally

Ministers of the Eucharist

Sat 17th: Claire McLaughlin

Sun 18th: Emily McKeon

Sat 24th: Ann Corrigan

Sun 25th: Tom Murray



St Dympna's Church

Ministers of the Word

Sat 17th: Ed McMahon

Sun 18th: Dylan Deakin

Sat 24th: Corona Corrigan

Sun 25th: Vivienne Hesnan

Ministers of the Eucharist

Sat 17th: Radek Kumorek

Sun 18th: Debbie Connor

Sat 24th: Christina O'Neill

Sun 25th: AnnaMay Potterton

Pope Leo XIV has proclaimed a "Special Year of St. Francis"

to commemorate the 800th anniversary of the saint's death. During this time of grace, which will extend until Jan 2027, the faithful are granted the opportunity to obtain a plenary indulgence.

This Franciscan Jubilee Year, considered a gift for the entire Church and an occasion for authentic spiritual renewal, was inaugurated on Jan 10th with a decree issued by the Apostolic Penitentiary of the Holy See.

Until Jan 10th of next year, the faithful can obtain this grace under the usual conditions — sacramental confession, Communion, and prayer for the intentions of the pope — by making a pilgrimage to any Franciscan conventual church or place of worship dedicated to St. Francis anywhere in the world.

Furthermore, the elderly, the sick, and those who, for serious reasons, cannot leave their homes can obtain the plenary indulgence by spiritually joining in the jubilee celebrations and offering their prayers, pains, or sufferings to God.

Holy Week Camino 2026

Experience the Camino de Santiago in the Spirit of St. James for Holy Week Sarria to Santiago - the last 100km! 27th March - 3rd April 2026 Return flights, coach transfers, hotel accommodation, Marian Pilgrimages rep throughout, 5 Walk days with daily Mass and spiritual programme. Further details, contact Marian Pilgrimages 01 8788159 or www.marian.ie

Pilgrimage to Medjugorje 15th April 7 nights Bed Breakfast and Evening Meal €745. Dublin to Mostar flying back from Split Airport. Spiritual Director, Fr Oliver Devine. Phone Amy on 0876552453 for details.

Meath Pilgrimage to Lourdes Sept 26

led by Bishop Deenihan, is scheduled to depart on 8th Sept 2026. Pilgrims have the option of selecting a 4 night or 5 night stay. All participants will be accommodated in hotels, with fares starting at €849 for full board. Booking forms obtained through Joe Walsh Tours. Tel: 01 2410800 or visit their website: www.joewalshstours.ie

Kildalkey's

Young@Heart Party
Sun 18th Jan at 12.30pm
Castle Arch Hotel, Trim.

Please contact
Angela 087 7708725
Eilish 046 9435375



2026/27 Enrolment for Junior Infants

St Columbanus' N.S., Ballivor
Application open until 13th Feb
Relevant information and documents available in the Admissions Section of the school website: <https://ballivornms.com/admissions>. School Office open Mon - Fri, 9am - 12.30pm and 1pm - 3.30pm.

Scoil Mhuire, Coolronan
Application Enrolment Forms available from the school or by phone 046 9546416