

**Ballivor & Kildalkey Parish**  
**24th May '26 - Pentecost Sunday**  
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**Parish Office open Tues & Fri 9am-3pm**



**Mass Intentions & Adoration Times: Sat 23rd– 31st May**

Sat 6.00pm Thomas Darby  
 Sat 7.00pm Evelyn & Harry Hamilton. Jim Connor, Molly & Cha McKeown  
 Sun 10.00am **For all interred in our parish cemeteries**  
 Sun 11.30am **For all interred in our parish cemeteries**  
 Mon 10.00am Mass Card Intention  
 Tues 10.00am Patrick & Marcella Feeney  
 Tuesday **Adoration Ballivor 10.30am-2pm & 6-8pm.**  
 Thursday **Adoration in Kildalkey 6-8pm.**  
 Fri 10.00am Special Intention  
 Sat 6.00pm Geroge Cauty  
 Sat 7.00pm Patrick Dowling - 40th Anniv  
 Sun 10.00am People of the Parish  
 Sun 11.30am People of the Parish

**Athboy Parish Pastoral Area Includes**  
 Athboy,  
 Ballivor-Kildalkey,  
 Clonmellon & Delvin

**Cemetery Sunday**

**We pray for our dearly departed loved ones...**



Almighty God, we rejoice in your promise of love, joy, peace and resurrection, In your mercy turn the darkness of death into the dawn of new life, and the sorrow of parting into the joy of heaven; may all who lay sleeping in our parish cemeteries awaiting the great day of resurrection, be granted admittance into your kingdom of heavenly glory, through our Saviour Jesus Christ, who died, rose and lives for evermore. **Amen.**

**St Columbanus' Church**

**Ministers of the Word**

Sat 23rd: John Corrigan  
 Sun 24th: Jim McClelland  
 Sat 30th: Gerry Dempsey  
 Sun 31st: Bernie Kenny

**Ministers of the Eucharist**

Sat 23rd: Gerry Sherrock  
 Sun 24th: Tom Murray  
 Sat 30th: Claire McLaughlin  
 Sun 31st: Emily McKeon

**St Dympna's Church**

**Ministers of the Word**

Sat 23rd: Mags Kelly  
 Sun 24th: Dermont Ainsworth  
 Sat 30th: Christina O'Neill  
 Sun 31st: Vivienne Hesnan

**Ministers of the Eucharist**

Sat 23rd: Anna May Potterton  
 Sun 24th: Debbie Connor  
 Sat 30th: Radek Kumorek  
 Sun 31st: Ann Davis



The Pray for Life Novena is an invitation to join thousands of people across Ireland to pray for the protection of human life, from Sat 23<sup>rd</sup> May to Sun 31<sup>st</sup> May. Each day's intention is accompanied by a short reflection and suggested actions to help build a culture of life in Ireland. Visit [www.prayforlife.ie](http://www.prayforlife.ie) for the daily novena prayers and to sign up for daily reminders. The prayers will also be posted on [facebook.com/PrayforLifeNovena](https://www.facebook.com/PrayforLifeNovena) and @prayforlifenovena on Instagram. An initiative of the Council for Life of the Irish Catholic Bishops' Conference.

**All-Night Prayer Vigil for Vocations  
 St Patrick's Church. Trim**

The all-night vigil of Prayer and Adoration for the priesthood and religious will begin with Mass on Sat 6th June at 7pm.

The prayer vigil will include a candlelit Mass at midnight and end with Sunday Mass at 9am –The Feast of Corpus Christi.

You are invited to keep Jesus company in the Blessed Sacrament, you will be spiritually rewarded.

To sign-up for 1 hour, please contact Pat on 087 2587639 or Rita on 085 7284600



**Be filled with God's Spirit. Answer His call to Priesthood.**

“The tongues of fire separated; one of them rested on each one of them” (Acts 2:3). Each of the Apostles had been given a new spirit and a new heart (cf. Ez 36:26f; cf. Jn 7:37-39). Tongues of fire burned away all doubts and fears from their hearts to fill them with joy and to give them the gifts of the Lord's Holy Spirit: “love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, generosity, faithfulness, gentleness and self control” (Gal 5:22).

Like the Apostles, allow God's Holy Spirit to give you a new heart in your vocation. Become the Lord's priest who speaks the language of God for others. Be inflamed with Christ. Become His priest.

Fr Tony Gonoude 044 9373923 Website: [www.meathvocations.com](http://www.meathvocations.com)



**The Annual Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes**, led by Bishop Deenihan, departs 8th Sept 2026. Pilgrims have the option of selecting a 4 or 5-night stay. All participants will be accommodated in hotels, with fares starting at €849 for full board. Booking forms can be obtained through Joe Walsh Tours. For more info, please call 01-2410800 or visit [www.joewalshstours.ie](http://www.joewalshstours.ie).

**Lough Derg Three Day Pilgrimage**

29<sup>th</sup> June - 1<sup>st</sup> July:  
 Bus from Mullingar Park Hotel at 8.30am  
 See noticeboard for further details

**Kildalkey Active Retirement Meeting**

Tues 26th May in the Village Inn from 2-4pm

**The 2026 Trócaire collection final count was €2,840.**

Many thanks for your support.

**Ballivor Library's Age Friendly Courses:**

Health Literacy/chair exercise Wed 27<sup>th</sup> May@ 10.30am  
 Media Literacy/Fake News & Mis-information Thurs 28<sup>th</sup> May @10.30am. For info call Gillian 046 9567061 or email [ballivorlib@meathcoco.ie](mailto:ballivorlib@meathcoco.ie)

**The Ballivor Horse Show '26**

Sat 13th & Sun 14th June at Coolronan Ballivor  
 A great weekend for all!

