



Dunshaughlin and Culmullen

23rd of July 2017

Sixteenth Sunday in ordinary Time

*The Mission of our Parish, is for us to be an active,
worshiping, compassionate and evangelising community
where, through the power of the Holy Spirit,
everyone feels and believes they belong to the Family of God.*

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Witness to Faith

St Paul's 2017

You have given us the good hope that after sin you will grant repentance. That God allows evil to flourish along with the good has always been a problem to those who know of God. In this the patience of God contrasts with the impatience of humans. The kingdom grows like the years spreading through the dough. The Day of the Lord will reveal all. Meanwhile we wait in hope, and pray to remain faithful.

Mass Times in the Parish:

Dunshaughlin: Saturday Vigil - 7:30pm Sunday - 9am and 12 noon

Culmullen: Saturday Vigil - 6pm Sunday - 10:30am

Culmullen: Weekdays: Monday to Friday 9 am

Dunshaughlin: Weekdays: Monday to Saturday - 10am

Mass Intentions this weekend Saturday the 22nd and Sunday the 23rd of July

Dunshaughlin:

Saturday vigil 7:30pm – Thomas and Kathleen Lynch

Sunday 9am – Paul Monks

Sunday 12noon – John Hannon and deceased members of the Hannon Family

Culmullen:

Saturday Vigil 6pm – Christopher and Mary Lynch

Sunday 10:30am – Michael Kane

Mass Intentions Next Week Saturday 29th and Sunday the 30th of July

Dunshaughlin:

Saturday vigil 7:30pm – Joe Kelly and Deceased members of O'Callaghan/Kelly families

Sunday 9am – Joe Gallagher

Sunday 12noon – Eugene and Mary Gilsenan, Angela and Thomas Skelly

Culmullen:

Saturday Vigil 6pm – No intention

Sunday 10:30am – Michael, Catherine and Thomas Spillane

Ministers of the Word: Saturday 29th and Sunday the 30th of July

Dunshaughlin:

Saturday Vigil 7:30pm - Marie Felle Brady

Sunday 9am - Ann Power

Sunday 12noon - Sean Martin

Culmullen:

Saturday Vigil 6pm – Hugh Leonard **Sunday 10:30am –** Rosalind Molloy

Ministers of the Eucharist: Saturday 29th and Sunday the 30th of July

Dunshaughlin:

Saturday Vigil 7:30pm – Pat O'Rourke, Patricia O'Rourke, Bernard Byrne,

Sunday 9am – Christine Morgan, Tom O'Dwyer, Paddy Ward

Sunday 12noon – Sheila Briody, Frances Maloney, Malachy Larkin

Culmullen:

Saturday Vigil 6pm - Pat Kenny

Sunday 10:30am – Deirdre Redmond

Church Notices

Let us remember our Dead: We pray for the happy repose of the souls of **Geoffrey Hewitt**, Seachnaill Place, **Mike Devitt**, Leshamstown/Clondalkin, **Bernard Kenny**, College Park, **Michael Neary**, Australia (Brother to Andy Neary, Derrockstown) and **Pauline O'Donohoe, nee Clarke**, Prosperous, (mother to Regina Fox, The Rise) who all died recently. May they rest in peace.

Thank You: To all involved in hosting the broadcast TV Mass last weekend. There was a great team effort from the community in the lead up to event.

Message from Kairos Communications: “It was a pleasure for us to be in Culmullen last Sunday. Thank you for hosting the Mass & for all your good work of preparing the liturgy. Big thanks to Dunshaughlin Folk Group & their conductor Frank McNamara. Some very interesting feedback from an Irish person who watched it online in France and sang along with the choir in her home. ‘She said it was so beautiful and yet so simple’. Please convey my gratitude, and that of our crew, for the cups of tea and warm hospitality we received from your community. It was a relaxing time for us and we enjoyed working in such a peaceful atmosphere, lovely church and community, and wonderful countryside”

Trócaire Emergency Appeal: National Church collection will take place this Saturday the 22nd and Sunday the 23rd of July in all dioceses in aid of 25million people facing hunger crisis in east-Africa: Kenya, South Sudan, Somalia and Ethiopia. Envelopes available in church porches. Return to parish office/parochial house or drop them into mass collection basket.

Catholic Grandparents Association: World Day of Prayer for Grandparents, Novena to St. Joachim and St. Anne. Wednesday the 26th of July.

Dublin - Knock walk in aid of Mary's Meals: A Step by Step 211km walk. Starting 7th of August. Arriving in Knock on the 15th of August “Feast of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary” in aid of Mary's Meals. We walk through Maynooth, Mullingar, Longford, Roscommon, Ballyhaunis then into Knock. Mary's Meals is feeding 1,230,171 children every day with your help. Please sponsor the walk if you can, at our collection on Sunday 6th August or perhaps walk with us - ring Gerard on 085-8037479

Meath Diocesan Pilgrimage to Knock: Sunday the 13th of August. A bus will leave Dunshaughlin Church at 8am and Dunboyne Church at 8:20am. To book your spot on the bus please, phone May, 01 825 0139 / 087 133 4872.

Youth 2000 Summer Festival: Cistercian College, Roscrea, Co. Tipperary from Thursday the 17th to Sunday the 20th of August. For young people aged 16-35, an opportunity not to be missed to experience the Catholic faith and meet many new people, with over 1400 young people from all corners of Ireland attending last year. Festival is donation only. Free buses travelling from all around Ireland. Book online, at www.youth2000.ie or Tel: 01 675 36 90

Cruicetown Cemetery Conservation Committee: Illustrated lecture in the George Eogan Cultural and Heritage Centre, Nobber. Sunday, 20th of August at 2pm. St John's Old Cemetery Restoration Group in Nobber will present results of the community 3D imaging project undertaken on tombs of the cemeteries by Gary Dempsey of Digital Heritage Age

17th Annual Diocese of Meath Pilgrimage to the Holy Land: In association with MAP Travel, led by Fr. Gerry MacCormack, Sr. Consilio Rock and Fr. Dwayne Gavin takes place from 16th – 24th April 2018. Bookings with MAP Travel, 36.Upper O'Connell Street, Dublin 1. Phone 01 878 3111 or email: patricia@maptravel.ie

Pilgrimages to Fatima: 2017 marks the 100 year anniversary of the beginning of the Apparitions in Fatima. Marian has secured a selection of fantastic hotels, exceptional guides and a wonderful programme for our pilgrims. Pilgrims may obtain plenary indulgence in this Jubilee year visiting the Shrine, by concession of the Holy See. Visit www.marian.ie

Lough Derg Pilgrimage: Saturday the 2nd of September. One day Retreat. No fasting or walking barefoot. For info or to book contact Stella no later than August 20th on 0851677325.

Parish Notices

Lost and Found: Gents glasses found in church. Available at the parish office 01 - 8259114.

Parish Register: Thanks to everyone who have now entered their contact details. If you missed that opportunity, then there are blank sheets available at each door of the church & in the Pastoral Centre so that you can still do so. We will begin to input the information into the Parish records and will be in touch with every household who consented to such contact, during the month of September.

Friends of Breastfeeding Support Group: Meeting this Friday the 28th of July at 10:30am in the Pastoral Centre. All welcome.

Irish Blood Transfusion Service: Next blood donation clinic is on Sunday the 30th of July, from 11:30am to 3pm in St Seachnalls National School, Dunshaughlin. Please support.

Summer Bridge: Social non-competitive game takes place every Monday and Friday morning at 10:30am in the Pastoral Centre, Main Street, Dunshaughlin. All levels welcome. Only €5 to play includes Tea and Scones.

Zumba Fitness: Classes continue over the Summer in St Seachnalls National School. Tuesdays and Thursdays at 8:30pm. Contact Natasha on 086-8727718.

Meath Heritage (formerly An Post) Cycle Tour: 11km family spin will take place on Saturday the 29th of July at 5pm – register on the day from 2pm, €3 per person. The 50km, 100km & 160km distances are all taking place on Sunday the 30th of July. Early bird is available until 20th July. Registration closes on the 26th of July. Contact Meath LSP at 046-9067337 or visit www.meathsports.ie

LEGO Summer Camp: Monday 14th through Friday 18th of August. 10am - 2pm. Pastoral Centre, Dunshaughlin. For Girls and Boys, ages 5yrs - 11yrs. Price €90. Contact Rachel on 086 8469815 or email brickxclubrachel@gmail.com

Meath Partnership: Free 5 week Basic Laptop, iPhone, iPad, SmartPhone or Tablet Classes available in all areas. Please phone Angela on 046 9280790.

Dunshaughlin Cycling Club: New Members Welcome. Club summer spins on Saturdays at 4pm, Sundays at 9am and Wednesdays at 7:30pm from County Council Offices. Beginners spin on Wednesdays at 7:30pm. All over 18's welcome. See facebook page to join in or for further information.

National Heritage Week: Saturday the 19th to Sunday the 27th of August 2017. This year's theme is "Nature and People". Full list of events are available online at www.heritageweek.ie/whats-on/events

Position Vacant: Dunboyne Area Community Employment has the following three vacancies: One Cleaning Maintenance/Caretaker Person required in Dunboyne. Two Grounds Maintenance persons required in Dunboyne & Dunshaughlin. These are Community Employment positions (19.5 hours per week) where eligibility is generally confined to persons over 25 years and in receipt of a Social Welfare payment for more than one year. For further info please contact Danny in Dunboyne CE Office 087 2626727 / 01 825 2864 or email dunboyneace@eircom.net

Aloha Mental Arithmetic Classes: Coming soon to the Pastoral Centre. You can express your interest by telephone on 01 559 0050 or visit www.alohaireland.ie

Meath PPN: A network of community, voluntary, social inclusion and environmental groups from all around Meath. Register your group/club/organisation by telephone at **046 90 997534** or online at www.meathppn.ie

Art Classes: Ratoath Community Centre. Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, 2-5pm. 26th-28th July. For ages 13-18 years. Contact: Helena 0866053165. Cost: €60

Dunshaughlin Harvest Festival (22nd - 24th September)

The Committee is already working hard designing and putting together a fantastic weekend to suit all ages. We appreciate all the help and support we've received in the past from local companies and once again we are getting in touch to see if you are interested in sponsoring a road sign at €100 each, we have limited number of these available which are allocated on a first come, first served basis, or also sponsoring an event which range in price from €150 - €300. If you need more info please feel free to phone 086 253 6260.

Dunfest are forming a **street drumming group** for this years Festival. Pre-booking essential. TIME: Wednesday 7.30pm to 9pm. DATES: Aug 16th, 23rd and 30th. September 6th & 13th. LOCATION: Dunshaughlin Court House. So if you are interested in FREE drumming lessons with experienced drumming tutors and drums provided, drop us an email to arts@dunfest.com

Sports News and Local Lottery Results

Dunshaughlin GAA Lotto 17/7/17: Numbers drawn were 11, 22, 23 and 24. No jackpot or match 3 winner. Next week's jackpot is €1,800. Play online at www.dunshaughlingaa.com/lotto

Drumree GAA Lotto 16/7/17: Numbers drawn were 1, 2, 7, 24. No jackpot winner. One match 3 winner; K McGoldrick wins €200. This week's jackpot remains at €12,700 & the reserve jackpot is now €1,800.

Barn Dance: Dust off those cowboy boots and Stetsons and join us with Big Generator and local man Tommy Meehan for another great night on Saturday the 12th of August. Keep an eye on facebook for more details.

Drumree GAA Club Web Shop: We have teamed up with O'Neill's to bring you a top range of t shirts, hoodies, jackets, shorts and much, much more. When purchasing online you must register on the O'Neill's website & select Drumree GAA as your club in order for us to gain reward points from each purchase you make which in turn will go towards supplying much needed equipment for our various adult & juvenile teams. Visit the web shop at www.oneills.com/shop-by-team/gaa/ireland/drumree-gaa.html

Confessions: **Dunshaughlin:** Saturday after 10am Mass & 12noon to 12:30pm
Culmullen: Saturday - After evening Mass

Exposition: **Dunshaughlin:** Tuesday - 10:30am to 8pm and Wednesday 10:30 to 12noon
Culmullen: Thursday - 9.30am to 11am

Baptisms: All parents are requested to attend a preparation programme.
Next meeting, is this **Wednesday the 16th of August 2017 in Culmullen Hall** at 8pm.

Call Roisín on 086 – 841 2260 (To book your place on our Baptism Programme) and then
Call the Parish Office on 01 - 825 9114 (To book your Christening Date)

Priests of the Parish

Fr. Joe Clavin P.P. 01 - 825 9114

Fr. Colm Browne C.C. 01 - 824 19 76

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Follow the Parish on Twitter @parishdc or check out our facebook page

Pastoral Centre: Email pastoralcentred@gmail.com or telephone 01- 802 4780

St Patrick's Hall: Damien Kelly

COISCÉIMEANNA: Loss/Bereavement Support Group :086-083 55942

ACCORD Marriage Care 046 - 90 23146 | **AMEN: Male Domestic Abuse** 046 – 90 23718

AL-ANON Support 01 - 8732699 | **Support for Drug Abuse** 01 8980148

CURA: Unplanned pregnancy 042 – 9337533 | **St Vincent De Paul** 085 - 145 06 56

Family Support Network Web: www.fsn.ie Email: info@fsn.ie

TOWARDS HEALING SERVICE: Free Phone Help Line 1800 30 34 16

SAFEGUARDING CHILDREN REPRESENTATIVES:

Frank Burton - 086 - 8160482

Jenny Leonard - 087 - 7742013