

Dunshaughlin and Culmullen

30th of July 2017

Seventeenth 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

Listening to the word of God enables us to acquire true wisdom. By it, we learn where our true good lies, that it means more than silver and gold. This wisdom helps us make the right choices in our search for the real treasure. We ought to pray for the ability to make the positive radical decision for the Kingdom. Jesus asks us all, "Have you understood all this?"

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 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 – Michael Kane

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

Mass Intentions Next Week Tuesday the 1st to Sunday the 6th of August

Dunshaughlin:

Tuesday 10am - Patrick Masterson

Saturday 10am – Frances Kelly (Months Memory)

Saturday vigil 7:30pm – Laura Keating

Sunday 9am – John and Bridie Bowens

Sunday 12noon – Mary Christie

Ministers of the Word: Saturday the 5th and Sunday the 6th of August

Dunshaughlin:

Saturday Vigil 7:30pm - Angela Gallogly

Sunday 9am - Richard Barry

Sunday 12noon - Marie Masterson

Culmullen:

Saturday Vigil 6pm – Geraldine Fox **Sunday 10:30am –** Nicholas Molloy

Ministers of the Eucharist: Saturday the 5th and Sunday the 6th of August

Dunshaughlin:

Saturday Vigil 7:30pm – Jim McArdle, Laura McGee, Rosemary Sherry

Sunday 9am – Nuala Kiernan, Maura O'Dwyer, Jean Peakin

Sunday 12noon – Mary O'Sullivan, Aisling Donnelly, Mary Fitzmaurice

Culmullen:

Saturday Vigil 6pm - John Brown

Sunday 10:30am – Sheila Gormley

Church Notices

Baptisms: We welcome to our parish family, **William Anthony O'Byrne**, Maelduin who was baptised recently.

Let us remember our Dead: We pray for the happy repose of the souls of **John Duffy**, Cabra and Glasnevin (father to Collette Walsh, Jenkinstown), **Kathleen Kelly**, Newcastle, Co. Down (sister of Ann Lynch, Grange End and Aunt of Margaret Cottrill, Hillview) and **Owen Smith**, Cootheill, Cavan (father to Olive Watte, The Elms) who all died recently. May they rest in peace.

First Friday: This coming Friday, the 4th of August is the first Friday of the month. Confessions after 10am Mass on Thursday Morning. Communion calls: Fr Colm Thursday morning, Fr Joe. Friday morning.

Stamp Collection: A box has been placed in the porch of Dunshaughlin church for old stamps. The proceeds will go towards the missions. Contact Willie 087-626 1912. Thanks for your continued support.

Trócaire Emergency Appeal: National Church collection 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.

Dublin - Knock walk in aid of Mary's Meals: A Step by Step 211km walk. Starting 7th of August and arriving in Knock on the 15th August in aid of Mary's Meals. We walk through Maynooth, Mullingar, Longford, Roscommon, Ballyhaunis then into Knock - please pray all goes well. Mary's Meals feeds 1,230,171 children every day while attending school costing just €15.60 to feed one child for a year. After the walk I hope to raise support on Sunday 20th August. Why not walk some of the way 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. Bookings by telephone on 01 675 36 90 or online at www.youth2000.ie

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 to 24th of April 2018. Bookings with MAP Travel, 36.Upper O'Connell Street, Dublin 1. Please telephone 01 878 3111 or alternatively you can email patricia@maptravel.ie

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

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

Parish Notices

NCBI: Charity Shop now open on the main street. Great quality second hand clothes, shoes, household items, books, large selections of bric-a-brac, and furniture. Volunteers always welcome.

Irish Blood Transfusion Service: Blood donation clinic is this 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.

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

Inspiring OCD: Next meeting is scheduled to take place on Friday the 25th of August at 8pm in the Pastoral Centre. Contact us on our facebook page if you would like to attend or contact Brian direct on 085 8133202. All are most welcome!!

“INSIDE OUT” talk by Aidan Murphy: In excess of 160 people attended the talk last Thursday. Also present on the night was Ann Tracey, financial director of the registered charity 'The Gary Kelly Cancer Support Centre'. The charity brought home over €1,100 in voluntary donations. THANK YOU to all who attended and contributed. Aidan's talk can be viewed online at www.aidanmurphy.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 for more info.

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 at www.heritageweek.ie/whats-on/events

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

Dunshaughlin Pitch and Putt Club: John O'Dwyer Cup - Winner: Paul O'Rourke and Gents Runner-Up: John Morgan; Ladies Winner: Margaret McTigue and Ladies Runner-Up: Christine Morgan.

Part-time Caretaker Position: Community Employment Scheme, at Culmullen Church. Duties to include mowing, strimming, hedge cutting and general maintenance duties. This position will provide further training while working part-time. To apply please contact Maura on 046 9026216 or 087 6327263.

Vacancies with Dunboyne Community Employment

2 Grounds Maintenance Persons: To work with Sports Facility in Dunshaughlin & Dunboyne. Duties to include maintenance of sports grounds facility & common areas.

1 Coaching and Administrative Assistant: To work with Dunboyne Athletics Club. Duties to include assisting coaches during juvenile, fit4life and junior in all aspects of athletics; administrative duties in club office.

1 administrative Assistant: To work with REHAB CARE, Dunboyne. Duties to include all aspects of administration work including accounts and payroll.

For persons eligible to work under the Community Employment Scheme. These positions are part-time (19.5 hours). Full training programme will be put in place for successful candidates. For further details on these positions contact Danny Gaughan at 087-2626727

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 25/7/17: Numbers drawn were 10, 21, 22 & 26. No jackpot winner. 2 match 3 winners. Teresa Ennis and Fiona Lawless, receive €100 each. Next week's jackpot is €2,000.

Drumree GAA Lotto 23/7/17: Numbers drawn were 11,20,21,26, No jackpot winner. Three match 3 winners; Kesha O'Reilly, Pat Donoghue, Joanne & Shane Mahon win €70 each. You can play online at www.drumreegaa.ie

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

Email: dunshaughlinparish@eircom.net | **Website:** www.dunshaughlin-culmullenparish.ie

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