



ARCHDIOCESE OF ARMAGH
*Clogherhead &
Walshestown Parish*



SS Peter & Paul, Walshestown

To build bridges, bring together and renew the parish community in a spirit of faith, trust and hope through loving service of God and of our neighbour

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FOURTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
Weekday Cycle 2

7th July 2024
Psalter Week 2



St Oliver Plunkett

St Oliver Plunkett Sunday takes place in Drogheda today (7th July). Procession of Relics from Holy Family Church at 3pm. Mass at 4pm in St Peter's Church. Celebrant: Bishop Michael Router. Homilist: Rev. Conor McDonough, OP. All welcome. We look forward to celebrating the 400th anniversary of the birth and the Golden Jubilee of the canonisation of St Oliver next year.

Prayer to St Oliver Plunkett

Glorious Martyr, Saint Oliver who willingly gave your life for your faith, help us also to be strong in faith.

May we be loyal like you to the See of Peter.

By your intercession and example may all hatred and bitterness be banished from the hearts of Irish men and women.

May the peace of Christ reign in our hearts,
as it did in your heart, even at the moment of your death.

Pray for us and for Ireland. Amen.

The Parish List of the Dead, deceased benefactors and the recently deceased: **Pauline Martin O'Rourke** *Chapel Road*

Mass Intentions This Week

Saturday 6 July @ 7.30pm Termonfeckin ~ Maureen Coyle & family deceased • Anne Nolan • Jim Murphy • Joan Martin

Sunday 7 July @ 9.15am Sandpit ~ Jim Murphy

Sunday 7 July @ 10.45am Walshestown ~

Sunday 7 July @ 12noon Clogherhead ~

Kate, William & Tom Gogan • Philip McEvoy & family deceased • Joey & Maura Smith & family deceased • John & Sheila Marry

Saturday 13 July @ 7.30pm Termonfeckin ~

Patrick Duff (*Month's Mind*) • Mary Elizabeth & Nicholas Duff & family deceased • Oliver Tully • Delia Murphy & Patrick Briscoe

Sunday 14 July @ 9.15am Sandpit ~

Oliver Tully • Patrick, Betty & John Myles

Sunday 14 July @ 10.45am Walshestown ~

Bernard & Noeline Kirwan • Oliver Tully

Sunday 14 July @ 12noon Clogherhead ~

Pauline Martin O'Rourke (*Month's Mind*) • John & Margaret Kelleher • Tom & Sheila Smyth • Johnny & Mary Byrne • Oliver Tully

Please note - there are **no** weekday Masses in Termonfeckin this week.

Missionary Sisters of Our Lady of Apostles this weekend (6th/7th July) we welcome Sr Mary Usifoh of the Missionary Sisters of Our Lady of Apostles to our Parish, to promote Mission Awareness at all Masses. The Sisters of Our Lady of Apostles were founded in 1876 as a group of international women religious dedicated to spreading the Good News through service and witness of their lives. Promoting women and the marginalized is a priority in their apostolate. The OLA Sisters are grateful for all the support over the years in so many ways, and they encourage you to continue in that support.

Blessing of the graves will take place on Sunday 18th August at 3.00pm in the Mullagh and at 4.30pm in St Denis' Cemetery.

Tuesday Holy Hour: Adoration from 10-11am including the Miraculous Medal Novena.

Special Priests Collection takes place next weekend 13th/14th July

Sunday 30th June you gave €1,159.10 (€716.30 in 50 parish envelopes, €442.80 on the plate). *Grateful thanks for all your support.*

St Vincent de Paul Outreach Need help? Remember, you are not alone. Ring this number..... 1800 677777.

Saint Brigid – St Brigid’s Camino for Children Join the Archdiocese of Armagh in celebrating the 1500th anniversary of St. Brigid's life and ministry! To mark this occasion the Archdiocese has created a special Camino to St. Brigid for children, inviting children and their families to visit Churches and holy sites dedicated to St. Brigid across the Archdiocese of Armagh. Discover more and learn about how to participate in this unique pilgrimage journey at <https://www.armaghprays.com/st-brigids-camino>

Medjugorje Trip *Where heaven meets the earth.* Departing Tuesday 27th August to Tuesday 3rd September €530pps, price includes bus transfers, breakfast and evening meals and guided tours. To book call Deacon Pat Butterly on 086-8210522

Pioneer Pilgrimage to Knock will take place on Sunday 21st July 2024. Mass at 3pm will be followed by Eucharistic Blessing and Procession to the Shrine. Pioneers along with friends and relations of people who are living “one day at a time” with addiction are welcome.

Trip to Rome in the Jubilee Year 2025 From Monday 10th March to Thursday 13th March 2025, price includes, 3 nights B&B in standard room at 3*Pietralata Hotel, tourist tax, private return airport transfers, private guided tour of Rome (half day), private guided tour of the Colosseum + Roman Forum (half day), including entrance tickets, return flights with Aer Lingus from Dublin, 10kgs check in luggage pp, €829.00 per person sharing a twin/double, €995.00 for a single room. Please contact Ann or Mary in the parish office for more information on 087-3791443

Praise & Worship Prayer meeting Held every Tuesday at 8pm in the Parish Hall (Old School, Termonfeckin) Eircode A92 DNT9. Further inquiries contact Sandra 085 8110475. All are welcome.

Car Boot Sale & Tea Dance Kellystown /Monasterboice wind action group will hold a Car boot sale/Craft fair in Drumshallon Forge on Sunday 7th July from 10am -4pm. Free admission. An Afternoon Tea Dance with Kenny Paul takes place in Drumshallon Forge on Sunday 14th July at 4pm, adm €10. All proceed from both events to kmwag.

1. Personal prejudices and agendas can block us from listening to what another person has to say. Who do they think they are? Perhaps you have experienced this. What difference has it made to you when you were able to focus on the content of what was being said and leave to one side your own prejudices about the speaker?

2. It has been said that there is nothing as useless as the right advice at the wrong time. We may want to reach out to another but may be unable to because at that moment the other person is not ready to be helped. Like Jesus we can 'do no deed of power'. As Jesus had to be patient and wait for another opportunity, so do we. What have you learned about the importance of patience in working with others?

3. Religion easily brings up prejudices. Some dismiss religion as superstition, old hat, or based on an outdated world view. Even among believers, prejudice can make it hard for individuals to listen to an alternative way of looking at things, to consider a different way of celebrating liturgy, or to live at peace with difference. Yet a closed mind can lead to a stagnant faith. When have you found that a willingness to consider a different perspective led to a deepening and strengthening of your faith?

John Byrne OSA

Reek Sunday Croagh Patrick 2024 is the dedicated Year of Prayer and Reek Sunday is on 28th July. This year, the annual pilgrimage takes place on the weekend of 26th – 28th July. On this day we also celebrate World Day for Grand Parents and the Elderly #ElderlyandGrandparents
Garland Friday, 26th July – Local Pilgrimage - 10am Mass on the summit of Croagh Patrick celebrated by Westport native, Father Tod Nolan PP Newport 7:30pm Mass at Murrisk Community Café – Croagh Patrick Car Park.
Reek Saturday, 27th July - 8:30am Tóchar Phádraig Pilgrimage begins at Ballintubber Abbey. 6:30pm Vigil Mass in Saint Mary's Church, Westport, Archbishop Francis Duffy of Tuam. Reek Sunday, 28th July - 7:30am until 2pm, Confessions will be heard on the summit. 8am First hourly Mass on the summit. 2pm Last Mass on the summit.

Internet Broadcasting Mass and other services will be broadcast each day over the internet. The operator of the system is Fr. Paul Byrne Adm, Parochial House, Termonfeckin. Tel 041-9822121, to whom queries should be referred.