

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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PARISH OFFICE HOURS This week - Tuesday 9.30am-12.30 & Thursday 3pm-5pm SCHOOLS - St Denis': 982 2873; St Paul's: 685 2285

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Thought for the Day



It has been traditional in Ireland to regard the dead as very close to us who are living. Peig Sayers, a traditional storyteller who lived on the Great Blasket island off the Kerry coast was once asked where heaven was. In reply she said it was just a few inches above the

tallest man on the island. Heaven and earth, like life and death were one in the traditional way of thinking. The great medieval mystic known as Meister Eckhart when asked where the soul goes after death said, 'No place. Where else would the soul be going, where else is the eternal world? It can be nowhere other than here.'

Sr Stanislaus Kennedy, Now is the Time

The Parish List of the Dead, deceased benefactors and the recently deceased: Catherine Kennedy (née McDonald) Carrickmacross & Seantobar, Shane Martin & Martin Lynch Mass Intentions This Week

Saturday 9 November @ **7.30pm** Termonfeckin ~ Jane Matthews • Theresa & Paddy Mooney (*Newtown Cottages*) • James Devin

Sunday 10 November @ 9.15am Sandpit ~ Helen Synnott (1st Anniv.) • Paddy McGlew • Theresa & Paddy Mooney • James Devin

Sunday 10 November @ 10.45am Walshestown ~ Walsh & Campbell family deceased • Theresa & Paddy Mooney

Sunday 10 November @ 12noon Clogherhead ~ Alice Campion • John & Mary Muldoon + Lily Farrell & family deceased • Laurence, Mary & Patrick Burke & family deceased • Helen McEvoy • Theresa & Paddy Mooney

Thursday 14 November @ 9.30am Clogherhead ~

Saturday 16 November @ 7.30pm Termonfeckin ~

Joe Devlin • Bowden family deceased • Phylis & Michael Mooney + Maureen McArdle • Fiona Hoey & Larry King • Martin Sheridan • Jack, Sally, John, Peter & Colette Gorman • Cecilia & James Kelly

Sunday 17 November @ 9.15am Sandpit ~ Mary Dempsey • Paddy Tiernan

Sunday 17 November **@ 10.45am** Walshestown [~] Pat Devine & family deceased • John, James & Mary Devine & family deceased

Sunday 17 November @ 12noon Clogherhead ~ Bridie & John Smith • William, Anne & Sr Olivia Reynolds • Lizzy McEvoy & family deceased • Cecilia & James Kelly

Tuesday Holy Hour Adoration from

10-11am including the Miraculous Medal Novena. If you are unable to attend please feel free to join in via the church webcam.

<u>Sunday 3rd November</u> and <u>Friday 1st November</u> you gave €1,124.55 (€655.00 in 80 parish envelopes, €469.55 on the plate). Grateful thanks for all your support.



<u>Remembering Mass</u> will be held in St Michael's Church, Clogherhead on Wednesday 20th November at 7.30pm. All are welcome.

November Dead List November Dead List sheets and envelopes are now available in both churches. You are invited to take an envelope for the List, when you have done this, return the envelope with the offering enclosed, to any Mass in the Parish or drop the envelope into the letterbox at the Parochial House.



November Rosary at the Graveyards In the month of November the Legion of Mary will be reciting the Rosary in the graveyards of the parish for our beloved dead. Today (Sunday 10th November) the Rosary will be recited in the St. Denis' followed by Mayne on Sunday 17th and Rathdrummin on Sunday 24th November, all at 3pm. Come, join us as we reverently pray for our families & neighbours. May they rest in peace.

Clogherhead RNLI Fundraiser Quiz Night in Sharkey's Bar in Clogherhead on Friday 22nd November at 8.30pm. Tables of four are €40 with some great prizes for the winning teams and a raffle on the night. Everyone will be guaranteed a fun night packed with laughs, trivia and the challenge of testing your team's knowledge on just about everything!!! All welcome.



<u>St Lawrence O'Toole (1128-1180) - Feast Day 14th November</u> Reflection from Saint Lawrence O'Toole, bishop: 'I thank God that I have not a penny in the world to dispose of.' Said on his deathbed when someone asked him if he had made a will.

Prayer: Saint Lawrence O'Toole. You, as a holy and poor bishop, gave all you had to the poor and the needy, putting your trust in God alone. Pray that I may have the same trust in God, despite my financial woes and lacks, that you had. Through Christ our Lord. Amen

<u>Winter Road Safety Prayer</u> In ainm an Athar le bua, In ainm an Mhic a d'fhulaing an phian, In ainm an Spiorad Naoimh le neart, Muire is a Mac linn inár dtriall. Áiméan

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

<u>Pioneer Pledge for the Month of the Holy Souls</u> A short-term pledge gives spiritual support and encouragement to people and their families who are living under a shadow of addiction. Contact the Pioneers on 01 805 4226 or via www.pioneers.ie/pray

For Thy greater glory and consolation, O Sacred Heart of Jesus, for Thy sake to give good example, to practice self-denial, to make reparation to Thee for the sins of intemperance, and for the conversion of excessive drinkers, I will abstain for life from all intoxicating drinks. Amen.

<u>Praise & Worship Prayer</u> 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.

<u>Internet Broadcasting</u> 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.

Verbum Domini—The Gospel of the Lord Mark 12:38-44

- 1. The scribes are presented as ostentatious and devious, acting more out of self-interest than the love of God or people. There can be a element of self-interest in each of us. Perhaps there have been times when you have been disturbed by glimpsing in yourself 'other motives' in your doing good. Recall when you were awakened to this fact. Where was the good news for you in that awakening?
- 2. In material terms what the widow had to offer was very little. Recall when you felt yourself called to give and gave even though you apparently had very little. Perhaps you have had the experience of finding that what you thought was little and insignificant meant a great deal to another person. Recall some of those moments.
- 3. At this critical moment for the church Pope Francis has called a synod and has invited all believers to make a contribution. It's easy for us to see this as a call to professional church people, clergy and religious. They have always taken care of this kind of thing. Now the call is that the voices of the little ones can also be heard. How can you help this to happen in your church community?

 John Byrne OSA