



**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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**THIRTIETH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**  
Weekday Cycle 2

27<sup>th</sup> October 2024  
Psalter Week 2

**FEAST OF ALL SAINTS AND FEAST OF ALL SOULS**

Friday next (1<sup>st</sup> November) is the Feast of All Saints and Mass is at 11am in the St Michael's church, Clogherhead.

Saturday next (2<sup>nd</sup> November) is All Souls Day,

Mass at 11am in St Michael's church, Clogherhead



**November Rosary at the Graveyards**

As November approaches the Legion of Mary will be reciting the Rosary in the four graveyards of the parish for our beloved dead. On Sunday 3<sup>rd</sup> November the Rosary will be recited in the Mullagh Cemetery followed by St. Denis' on Sunday 10<sup>th</sup> November, Mayne on Sunday 17<sup>th</sup> and Rathdrummin on Sunday 24<sup>th</sup> November, all at 3pm. Come, join us as we reverently pray for our families & neighbours. May they rest in peace.



The Parish List of the Dead, deceased benefactors  
and the recently deceased: **Shane Martin** (*Strandhill*), **Martin Lynch**,  
**Alan Halpin & May Adams**

**Mass Intentions This Week**

Saturday 26 October @ **7.30pm** Termonfeckin ~

Mark Sweeney (*Month's Mind*) • Mary O'Neill (*Month's Mind*) • Vincent McGlew & family deceased • Eamon Murphy • Ann Murphy

Sunday 27 October @ **9.15am** Sandpit ~

Sunday 27 October @ **10.45am** Walshestown ~

Sunday 27 October @ **12noon** Clogherhead ~

Yvonne Mitchell (*1<sup>st</sup> Anniversary*) • John & Mary Tuite • Margaret Ryan +Teresa Kavanagh • May Byrne (*John Kirk Park*)

Thursday 31 October @ **9.30am** Clogherhead ~

Friday 1 November @ **11.00am** Clogherhead ~ ***Feast of All Saints***

Saturday 2 November @ **11.00am** Clogherhead ~ ***Feast of All Souls***

Saturday 2 November @ **7.30pm** Termonfeckin ~

Barbara Duff • Paddy Mooney

Sunday 3 November @ **9.15am** Sandpit ~

Sunday 3 November @ **10.45am** Walshestown ~

Martin & Anne Boland +Pat, Eileen, John, Anthony & Mary Marry

Sunday 3 November @ **12noon** Clogherhead ~ Alan Halpin (*Month's Mind*) • Sheila, James & Seán Boylan, James Tuite, Fanny & Jane Boylan & deceased family members • Margaret & Joe Donnelly (*Belfast*) • Michael Burke • Peter, Kathleen & Peadar Dunne • Luke, Mona & Anthony Sharkey

**Sunday 20<sup>th</sup> October** you gave €1,119.80 (€658.00 in 61 parish envelopes, €461.80 on the plate). *Grateful thanks for all your support.*

**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



**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.



**Ministers of the Word for November - St Michael's @ 12noon**

Lorraine Duff (3<sup>rd</sup> - 10<sup>th</sup> November) & Ruth Moore (17<sup>th</sup> - 24<sup>th</sup> November)

- **Ss Peter & Paul's @ 10.45am** Mary Marry

**Extraordinary Minister of the Eucharist for November**

**St Michael's @ 12noon** Ann Wilkinson

**Church Altar Society Team –**

Siobhan Faulkner, Fran Boylan & Margaret Connor

***Sincere thanks to our October teams.***

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

**Pope's Intentions for November** *For anyone who has lost a child: We pray that all parents who mourn the loss of a son or daughter find support in their community and receive peace and consolation from the Holy Spirit.*

**Mission Month** On behalf of Pope Francis, thank you for supporting World Mission Sunday. Your kindness means that overseas missionaries can continue to share the love of God with some of the world's most marginalised and vulnerable people. If you would still like to donate, you can do so by texting the word 'Mission' to 50300 to make a €4 donation. Alternatively donate at [www.missio.ie](http://www.missio.ie) or call Missio Ireland on 01 497 2035. To learn more go to [www.missio.ie](http://www.missio.ie) \*

**Oasis of Peace Retreat Centre** New Catholic Young Adult Group (18-35years). Join us for a relaxed Meet Up, first Sunday of each month @ 1pm. Mellifont Abbey, Collon Co Louth. Join us to make new friends, enjoy an Italian coffee & cake. Live Worship music, time to reflect, Fun & Faith, discuss some life issues like, Finding Happiness, Purpose in Life, Is God Real. Contact Daryl or Deacon John Taaffe (089) 615 2568 [www.apostlesoflove.ie](http://www.apostlesoflove.ie)

**Medical Missionaries of Mary** Are hosting a Christmas Craft Fair on Saturday 23rd November 10.30am-4pm in the MMM Convent, Beechgrove , Hardman's Garden, Drogheda A92 XkXO. Proceeds go to the MMM Sisters' Missions in Africa and Brazil.

## **Lú Festival of Light St Peter's Church Drogheda 25 October – 3 November**

Once again St Peter's Parish, Drogheda, is happy to be part of the **Lú Festival of Light**. St Peter's Church is a major location of the very impressive, immersive light installations / animated projections throughout the town. Very fittingly as we prepare for the 400th anniversary of the birth of St Oliver Plunkett in 2025, the story of his life is very effectively told. Dates and times are as follows: Fri 25 - Sat 26 Oct, 7.00pm - 9.30pm; Sun 27 - Mon 28 Oct, 6.30pm - 9.30pm; Tue 29 - Wed 30 Oct, no show; Thu, 31 Oct, 6.30pm - 9.30pm, as Gaeilge; Fri 1 - Sun 3 Nov, 6.30pm - 9.30pm. 4 shows per hour.

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**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.

## **Verbum Domini—The Gospel of the Lord**

**Mark 10 : 46 - 52**

1. In this story Jesus cures the blind man, Bartimaeus. Recovery of sight in the Bible is often a metaphor for coming to faith. Perhaps during your life you have had moments of insight, of deeper understanding, of appreciating who Jesus is for you. What was it that helped you to see more clearly?
2. Who was the 'Jesus person' who helped you to see more clearly? Perhaps, as a parent, a teacher, or a friend, you have also been a 'Jesus person' for another and helped her or him to a clearer understanding of the meaning of life, love, and faith.
3. To get to Jesus, Bartimaeus threw aside his cloak so that he would not be impeded. What have you had to discard to be able to see more clearly (e.g., a prejudice, a rigid opinion)?
4. 'Your faith has saved you' Jesus said to Bartimaeus. Recall situations in which you have been grateful for the faith that is yours because in some way it saved you.

*John Byrne OSA*