

# Parish of Dunshaughlin and Culmullen

1<sup>st</sup> of August 2021

**Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time**

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**Pastoral Centre: Phone** 01 802 4780 or **email** [pcmanager@dcp parish.ie](mailto:pcmanager@dcp parish.ie)

**Religious Shop; open everyday in the Pastoral Centre**

**Mass Intentions for the coming week**

Saturday 31 <sup>st</sup> July	Culmullen Vigil 6pm –	Michael Walsh
Saturday 31 <sup>st</sup> July	Dunsh Vigil 7pm –	Billy Hand
Sunday 1 <sup>st</sup> of August	Culmullen 10:30am –	Michael Spillane, his parents Thomas and Catherine
Sunday 1 <sup>st</sup> of August	Dunsh 12noon –	Angie and Bernard Reilly, deceased members of Reilly family
Monday 2 <sup>nd</sup> of August	Dunshaughlin 10am -	Andy Neary, deceased members of Neary family
Wednesday 4 <sup>th</sup> August	Dunshaughlin 10am -	Teresa and John Quinn
Friday 6 <sup>th</sup> of August	Culmullen 9am -	<b>List of the Dead</b> Duns 10am and 7pm - <b>List of the Dead</b>
Saturday 7 <sup>th</sup> of August	Dunsh Vigil 7pm –	Dermot Collins; Laura Keating
Sunday 8 <sup>th</sup> of August	Dunsh 12noon –	Mary Christie

**Dunshaughlin Masses:** *Saturday* Vigil Mass - 7pm, *Sundays* 9 am, 12 noon,

**Culmullen Masses:** *Saturday* Vigil Mass - 6pm, *Sunday* 10:30am,

**Weekday Masses:** Culmullen 9am, Dunshaughlin 10am

**Confessions:** *Saturday* 12noon - 1pm.

**Eucharistic Adoration** *Dunshaughlin:* Tuesdays 10:30am until 2 pm; 7pm until 9 pm

*Culmullen:* Thursdays 9:30am until 11 am

**Baptisms:** Dunshaughlin Church: First Saturday and Fourth Sunday.

Culmullen Church: Second Sunday. Ceremonies are at 2pm. Contact the parish office for information.



## **The Bread of Life**



As we listen to the words of Jesus in today's Gospel, we come to realise that food is but basic fodder and that if we are really to live, something more is required. There is another kind of nourishment needed by the human heart, because there are other hungers that we need to satisfy. Deep down within each of us there is a hunger to love and be loved, to be listened to and to be appreciated. We also hunger for meaning and for an eternal value to our lives. These are the hungers of the heart and the yearnings of the spirit of which Jesus wants us to be conscious and which he alone can satisfy. At this depth is our hunger for God.

*'Man is the shuttle to whose winding quest, God ordered motion but ordained no rest'* Poet John Donne

*'You have made us for yourself O Lord and our hearts are restless until they rest in thee'* St Augustine

### **First Friday Communion Calls:**

Fr Sean and Fr Joe will call on Friday the 6<sup>th</sup> of August. If you would like a priest to call or you know someone please let us know. The Sacrament of the Sick is available at all times on request.

### **Relics of St Oliver Plunkett**

Next Sunday the 8<sup>th</sup> of August the Knights of St Columbanus will bring the Relics of the Saint for veneration after the 12 noon Mass in St Patrick and St Seachnalls Church, Dunshaughlin.

### **Rotas for August**

Readers of the Word and Special Ministers of the Eucharist rotas are now available for August. If during this holiday time you are unable to assist please organise a substitute. We thank all of our Readers, Ministers, Stewards and servers for their commitment to the Liturgy.

### **We Remember in Prayer**

We pray for the happy repose of the souls of **Patrick Magee**, College Park; **Philomena Colgan (née McDonnell)** and **Christina (Dina) Weafer (nee Walsh)**, Hillview. May they rest in peace.

## Collections

It is still not possible to hold a plate collection at Masses. Baskets are available at the doors of the Church if you wish to make a donation. We thank all who continue to contribute each week, those who use envelopes, standing orders and give in other ways.

### **Collections for July**

**Plates € 3,040**

**Development €2,544**

**Shrines €1,620**

### **Sick or in Hospital**

If you know anyone who is sick or in hospital please let us know so that we can pray for them at our Masses on Sundays and weekdays. The Sacrament of the Sick is available to all. Contact Parish office on 01 825 9114 or email [office@dcparish.ie](mailto:office@dcparish.ie)

### **Walk with us to School**

100km over seven days. Walking each day from Dunshaughlin Church after morning mass, to Culmullen and back. To raise awareness and support for Fr. Paul Mukasa, (a friend of the parish who visited in May 2019) who needs to complete St. Peter's Nursery School in Lukaya, Uganda, a 4 classroom school for 175 children. Starting from Dunshaughlin Church Carpark on Sunday the 8<sup>th</sup> of August (9:40am approx.) and finishing on Saturday the 14<sup>th</sup> of August (starting weekdays after mass - 10:30am approx.) Please feel free to join us any day. Pick up a leaflet in our church or contact Fr Clavin on 01 824 1976 for info.



### **Pastoral Centre**

The Centre is closed for the month of August. It is hoped that with the help of God & the vaccination programme, that we will be fully open for activities in September.

### **Meath Diocesan Pilgrimage to Knock**

Takes place on Sunday the 8<sup>th</sup> of August and will be accessible online through the Knock Shrine Website. There will be Rosary at 2:30pm followed by Mass at 3 pm. The Main Celebrant will be Bishop Tom Deenihan. Even though Knock Shrine is open to pilgrims, they only allow 200 to attend Mass in the Basilica.

### **Community Notices**

**St Vincent de Paul:** Local help line 1800 677777

**Irish Hospice Foundation:** Bereavement Support Line Contact 1800 80 70 77

**Dowdstown Counselling Services:** Phone 046 9031196. Visit [www.dowdstowncounsellingservices.com](http://www.dowdstowncounsellingservices.com)

**Bereavement Support;** Sosad Ireland. Telephone 046 - 9077682 or email [navan@sodadireland.ie](mailto:navan@sodadireland.ie)

**Accord Central Office:** Free Support Line 01 – 531331. Visit [www.accord.ie](http://www.accord.ie) for more information.

## **Prayer**

O Christ you take upon yourself all our burdens,  
so that, freed of all that weighs us down,  
we can constantly begin anew, to walk, with lightened step,  
from worry towards trusting,  
from the shadows towards the clear flowing water,  
from our own will towards the vision of the coming Kingdom.  
And then we know, though we hardly dared hope it,  
that you offer to make every human being  
a reflection of your face.

*(Songs and Prayers from Taize)*

