

# Parish of Dunshaughlin and Culmullen

25<sup>th</sup> of July 2021

Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

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Religious Shop; open everyday in the Pastoral Centre

Mass Intentions for the coming week

Saturday 24 <sup>th</sup> July	Culmullen Vigil 6pm –	Lawrence (Lausie) and Polly Geraghty
Saturday 24 <sup>th</sup> July	Dunsh Vigil 7pm –	Francie Rooney; John O’Sullivan (M.M.)
Sunday 25 <sup>th</sup> July	Dunsh 12noon –	Joe Gallagher
Monday 26 <sup>th</sup> July	Dunshaughlin 10am -	Patrick McMonagle
Wednesday 28 <sup>th</sup> of July	Dunshaughlin 10am -	Thomas and Bridget Tyson

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

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

## Eucharistic Adoration

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

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

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

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

Culmullen Church: Second Sunday. Ceremonies are at 2pm.

Please contact the parish office for further information.



## Confirmation Class

Unfortunately we have no date for Confirmation for the class of 2021.

We are hopeful conditions will allow the Ceremonies to go ahead in

early September. We invite boys and girls for Confirmation to come

to Sunday Mass or join us at 12 noon each Sunday on our webcam.

We encourage you all to pray at home with your parents and families.

Say the familiar prayers, the Our Father, the Hail Mary, the Act of Sorrow. The

handouts you have been given will have other prayers and the gifts of the Holy Spirit

**Prayer;**

**Come Holy Spirit fill the hearts of the faithful;**

**enkindle in them the fire of your love.**

Send forth your spirit & you shall be created & you will renew the face of the earth.



## We Remember in Prayer.

We pray for the happy repose of the souls of **Deirdre Murray**, Knockmark and **Elizabeth Briody (née Gibney) Loch Gowna, Cavan** (Mother to Anna McGahern, Seachnall Abbey, Padraig Briody, Growtown and Seamus Briody, Leshamstown)



## Grandparents Day

Next Sunday, the 25<sup>th</sup> of July is the First World Day for grandparents and the Elderly. Pope Francis has reminded us to value the many gifts of our grandparents and elderly and, in recognition of their role, the Holy Father has now instituted an annual World Day into the Church calendar to be celebrated on the Sunday closest to the Feast of Saint Joachim and Saint Anne, parents of Mary and grandparents of Jesus. It will be celebrated for the first time this year on Sunday the 25<sup>th</sup> of July. A new dedicated World Day offers a welcome focus by the Church on grandparents and elders, a cohort of people who have particularly suffered during the recent Covid-19 pandemic. Many older people succumbed to the virus, while others had to cocoon for several months to keep us all safe & were unable to see their grandchildren & extended families. The theme chosen for this inaugural year is 'I am with you always', highlighting that promise of closeness that generations share with each other. Not only are our young people called to be present in the lives of older people, but so too grandparents & elders have a mission to encourage young people on their faith journey.

### Prayer for Grandparents

Lord Jesus, you were born in the Virgin Mary, the daughter of Saints Joachim and Anne. Look with love on grandparents the world over. Protect them!

They are a source of enrichment for families, for the Church and for all of society. Support them!

As they grow older, may they continue to be for their families strong pillars of Gospel faith, guardians of noble domestic ideals, living treasuries of sound religious traditions.

Make them teachers of wisdom and courage, that they may pass on to future generations the fruits of their mature human and spiritual experience.

Lord Jesus, help families and society to value the presence and role of grandparents.

May they never be ignored or excluded, but always encounter respect and love.

Help them to live serenely and to feel welcomed in all the years of life which you give them.

Mary, Mother of all the living,

keep grandparents constantly in your care, accompany them on their earthly pilgrimage,

and by your prayers, grant that all families may one day be reunited in our

heavenly homeland, where you await all humanity for the great embrace of life without end. Amen

**Pray for Vocations:** Vocations Holy Hour on Friday the 30<sup>th</sup> of July at 7pm. With reflections on the Vestments of the Priest, Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament & Benediction. Live from St Mary's Church. Broadcast on Facebook Page: DioceseOfMeathVocations and on the St Mary's Church, Drogheda Webcam.

### Pilgrimage to Our Lady's Shrine at Knock

The Shrine is fully open for prayer, confessions and the Mass. Visit the Apparition Chapel, where Our Lady appeared and also the newly renovated Basilica of Our Lady Queen of Ireland.

**Croagh Patrick;** Pilgrims are invited to climb the Reek any day during the week, rather than as before on the last Sunday of July. Visit [westportparish.ie](http://westportparish.ie) for details.



### 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:** Telephone 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 [accord.ie](http://accord.ie)

### Walk with us to School

100km over seven days, walking each day from Dunshaughlin 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. Joseph Clavin on 01 824 1976 for more information.