

# Twenty Third Sunday in Ordinary Time 10<sup>th</sup> of September

# Parish of Dunshaughlin and Culmullen

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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

Rosary: recited each morning in Dunshaughlin before 10am Mass, Tuesday 7pm

Confessions: Saturday 12noon – 12:30pm. Eucharistic Adoration: Dunshaughlin: Tuesdays 10:30am - 2 pm; 7 - 9 pm

Culmullen: Thursdays 9:30am until 11 am

Baptisms: Dunshaughlin Church: First Saturday and Fourth Sunday of the month.

Culmullen Church: Second Sunday of the month. Ceremonies are at 2pm.

Baptism Programme: Call Íde Ó Dúshláine 087 – 153 2994

#### Mass Intentions for the coming week

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Saturday 9 <sup>th</sup> of September	Cul Vigil 6pm	Joan Rattigan and Aaron McGuinness;	
Saturday 9 <sup>th</sup> of September	Dunsh Vigil 7pm	Joe and Bridget (Bree) Corry;	
Sunday 10 <sup>th</sup> of September	Cul 10:30am	Eamonn Griffin;	
Sunday 10 <sup>th</sup> of September	Dunsh 12 noon	Philomena Stoney;	
Tuesday 12 <sup>th</sup> of September	Dunsh 10am	Ronan Everette	
Thursday 14 <sup>th</sup> of September	Dunsh 10am	Monica & Seamus Daly;	
Saturday 16 <sup>th</sup> of September	Dunsh 10am	Tommy Brennan	
Saturday 16 <sup>th</sup> of September	Cul Vigil 6pm	Monica Lynch;	Jack Maeve & Michael Lamb;
Saturday 16 <sup>th</sup> of September	Dunsh Vigil 7pm	Tom & Josephine Hayes;	Ted & Claire Caffrey;
Sunday 17 <sup>th</sup> of September	Dunsh 9am	Michael , Joe & Josephine Toolin;	
Sunday 17 <sup>th</sup> of September	Cul 10:30am	Denis Leonard;	
Sunday 17 <sup>th</sup> of September	Dunsh 12noon	Maurice Delany & Peter & Molly Downes;	

#### **September Offerings:**

For the support of the Priests of the parish will be taken up at all Masses this weekend. Please use the offerings envelope marked September Offerings or a plain envelope with your name and address on the outside. Thank you for your support.

#### **Neighbourly Correction**

The three readings today by chance deal with the same theme of neighbourly correction. This is a difficult art and can only be exercised through genuine love and the purest of motives. We have to learn to help and heal each other. In this we have to avoid attitudes of prying, denunciation, jealousy and informing. The spirit of the Gospel which lays down a procedure must be our guide.

#### **Famine Cemetery**

Prayers and remembrance in the Famine Cemetery behind the Workhouse next Sunday 17<sup>th</sup> September at 3pm. All welcome to join in this annual commemoration. Reception afterwards in the Pastoral centre.

#### **Praver Group**

Resumes Tuesday, the 12<sup>th</sup> of September at 8pm, in the Pastoral Centre. New members always welcome.

Welcome to the Community of Faith – Recently Baptised
Fiadh Byrne, Oak Way, The Willows, & Cara & Cillian Duggan, Willow Drive.

## We Remember in Prayer

The happy repose of the souls of: Ciaran Briody, Growtown, Breda **Tomlinson**, (Nee O'Reilly, sister of Phil Sheehy, Drumree Rd.) **Fr Sean Smith**, Kiltegan, (brother of Ido Delany, Johnstown Lane,) and **May Morrin**, who died in the UK. May they rest in peace.



## **Alpha Course**

The Parish has been running Alpha in the Pastoral Centre for a number of years now. Many have participated and have found the course, helpful, informative and an occasion to meet others for discussion on faith and scripture. Next Sunday Leaders from 'Alpha Ireland' will speak at our Masses in the Parish.

The Alpha Course commences on Monday 25<sup>th</sup> September in the Pastoral Centre. For registration email alphadunshaughlin23@gmail.com

#### **Autumn Courses**

The Faith Formation Committee of the Parish Pastoral Assembly have prepared an information leaflet outlining faith formation projects starting in our Parish soon. Leaflets available in the Churches. It is hoped to hold a Parish Mission during Lent next year.

# **Confirmation Meeting**

Confirmation will be administered on Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> February 2024. A meeting for all parents and children for Confirmation will be held in Dunshaughlin Church on Monday 18<sup>th</sup> September at 7.30 pm. Application forms will be available and preparation programme will be outlined.

### **Retreat**

An Tobar, Ardbracan, Navan on Sunday, September 17<sup>th</sup> beginning at 10 am with Holy Mass and finishing at 4pm. (€30 inc. lunch) Arranged by the Legion of Mary. Everyone is welcome! Please contact May 087 - 133 4872

## **East Meath Pioneer Region**

Celebrates its 50<sup>th</sup> anniversary on Sun Sept 24<sup>th</sup> with Mass in Johnstown Church, at 3pm, followed by dinner, dance and social evening in Ardboyne Hotel, Navan. Tickets; €30. Please let me know if any Pioneers pins (enrolment or special occasions) are required. These will be presented on the day. For further info please contact May 087 - 133 4872

#### **Alone**

Would you be willing to provide companionship, make calls to Older People or help out on the NSRL once a week? ALONE are seeking volunteers in your area. Full training and support provided. For more information please telephone 086 – 085965 or you can also email volunteer@alone.ie

#### **Pastoral Centre Coffee Dock**

Mon & Thurs after 10am Mass tea coffee & home made scones available. Bring your friend for a chat!

## **Prayer for the Care of Creation**

In 'Laudato Si' Pope Francis has designated this month leading to the Feast of St Francis as a time to focus on creation and the gifts of nature

# **Prayer of St Francis of Assisi**

Praised be you, my Lord, with all your creatures, especially Sir Brother Sun, who is the day and through whom you give us light. And he is beautiful and radiant with great splendour; and bears a likeness of you, Most High. Praised be you, my Lord, through Sister Moon and the stars, in heaven you formed them clear and precious and beautiful. Praised be you, my Lord, through Brother Wind, and through the air, cloudy and serene, and every kind of weather through whom you give sustenance to your creatures. Praised be you, my Lord, through Sister Water, who is very useful and humble and precious and chaste. Praised be you, my Lord, through Brother Fire, through whom you light the night, and he is beautiful and playful and robust and strong.

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