



Fourth Sunday of Lent 10th of March 2024

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

Holy Days: Cul 10:30am Dunsh 10am & 7pm

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

Confessions: Saturday 12noon – 12:30pm.

Eucharistic Adoration: Dunshaughlin: Tuesdays 10:30am - 2 pm; 7 - 9 pm (Side Chapel)

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

Saturday 9 th March	Cul Vigil 6pm	Jerry Watters;
Saturday 9 th March	Dunsh Vigil 7pm	Ellen & Michael McHale;
Sunday 10 th March	Dunsh 9am	James, Betty & Tom Lynch & Dec'd Family Members;
Sunday 10 th March	Cul 10:30am	James & Hannah McManus;
Sunday 10 th March	Dunsh 12noon	Raymond Argue; Peter Burke;
Wednesday 13 th March	Dunsh 7pm	Jimmy Greene & Seamus Lynch;
Friday 15 th March	Dunsh 10am	Maureen Phelan & Dec'd Family Members
Saturday 16 th March	Cul Vigil 6pm	Agnes Smith M.M. Josie Murray;
Saturday 16 th March	Dunsh Vigil 7pm	Benny Finn;
Sunday 17 th March	Dunsh 12noon	Joan Fowley; Colm Kavanagh & Dec'd members of the Moore & Kavanagh Families;

Fourth Sunday of Lent

Also called 'Laetare' or 'Rejoice' Sunday because we are getting ever closer to the celebration of Easter.

The Gospel today reminds us the seed is sown in the ground, when its hour comes. In time it bears fruit. Christ through his obedience dies, but through his dying he brings eternal life to all who call on his name. In the new relationship with him that comes about, God remembers our sins no more.

St Patrick's Day

By special dispensation and favour from the Holy See, Lent is interrupted to allow for the Solemnity of St Patrick in Ireland next Sunday 17th March instead of the Fourth Sunday of Lent.

Evening Mass for Lent Wednesday at 7pm

We Remember in Prayer

The souls of **Noel Larkin**, Lagore Road and **Brother James O'Hare**. (SDB)
May they rest in peace.

Looking ahead to Holy Week and Easter

Sunday 24th March: is Palm Sunday with blessing of Palm.

Tuesday 26th March: Reconciliation Service in Dunshaughlin Church 7 until 8 pm

Wednesday 27th March: Mass of Chrism, Cathedral, Mullingar

Holy Thursday: Mass of the Lords Supper, Dunshaughlin Church at 7 pm

Good Friday: *Outdoor stations with Church of Ireland 10am*

(Refreshments served afterwards in the Pastoral Centre)

The Lords Passion: *Dunshaughlin 3 pm and 7 pm, Culmullen 5 pm*

Holy Saturday Easter Vigils, Culmullen 6 pm. Dunshaughlin 8 pm

Faith Formation

Why not join one of our courses this Lent On Monday evenings at 7.30PM we have Robert Barron's Catholicism Course in the Pastoral Centre.

Full details available through email on faithformation@dcp parish.ie

The Chosen Session 2. The Chosen is a course using video looks at what life was like during the time of Jesus and the Apostles in the Gospels. The course takes place each Thursday in the Pastoral Centre at 7.50, no need to register, just come along.

First Confessions

Children preparing for First Communion have their First Penance/Confessions in Lent. Please keep them in your prayers

Meath Pilgrimage to Lourdes.

The Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes will travel on September 10th and will be led by Bishop Deenihan. The diocesan choir will accompany the pilgrimage.

All pilgrims will be accommodated in hotels and there are 4, 5 and 6 night options with fares starting at €769 with various hotels available.

Further information and booking forms are available from Joe Walsh Tours, 89 Harcourt Street, Dublin. www.joewalshstours.ie Tel.: 01 2410800

Dunshaughlin & District Historical Society

AGM on the 13th March, at 8pm in Dunshaughlin Pastoral Centre

Weekly Envelopes 2024

Envelopes for 2024/2025. have now been distributed. If you did not receive a box of envelopes, please contact the Parish Office. There are boxes in the Churches if you would like to contribute, please take a box and write your name and contact details on first envelope returned. We thank all who contribute so generously to our Parish.

A full statement of accounts will be given at a later date.

Prayer for Lent

Hear my prayer this Lent. Let me be honest with myself as I look into my heart and soul noticing the times I turn away from you. Guide me as I humbly seek to repent and return to your love. May humility guide my efforts to be reconciled with you and live forever in your abundant grace

'Jesus Christ, Son of God, have mercy on me a sinner'

