



Parish of Dunshaughlin and Culmullen

2nd Sunday of Advent

8th of December 2024

Parish Newsletter



Priest of the Parish: Fr. Seán Henry P.P. Fr. Joseph Clavin A.P.

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Dunshaughlin Masses: Saturday Vigil Mass 7pm, Sunday 9 am, 12 noon Culmullen Masses: Sunday 10:30am

Weekday Masses: Culmullen 9am, Dunshaughlin 10am Confessions: Saturday 12noon - 1pm.

Eucharistic Adoration: Dunshaughlin: Tuesdays 10:30am until 2 pm; 7-9 pm Culmullen: Thursdays 9:30am - 11 am

Baptisms: Dunshaughlin Church: 1st Saturday and 4th Sunday of the month.

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

Baptism Programme: Call Íde Ó Dúshláine 087 – 153 2994 to book a place.

Mass Intentions for the coming week

Saturday 7 th December	Dunsh Vigil 7pm	Martin Mulvaney; Joe West;
Sunday 8 th December	Dunsh 9am	Phil, Margaret, Francis & Connie Ward;
Sunday 8 th December	Cul 10:30am	Patrick & Bridget Doyle;
Sunday 8 th December	Dunsh 12 noon	Margaret Conroy; Jim Marsden; Rose & Donald Moore;
Monday 9 th December	Dunsh 10am & 7pm	Holy Day
Tuesday 10 th December	Dunsh 10am	Patrick Byrne
Wednesday 11 th December	Dunsh 10am	Dec'd members of the Vesey & Carmody Families
Friday 13 th December	Dunsh 10am	Rose & James Kellegher & Leon Acrich
Saturday 14 th December	Dunsh 10am	Thérèse Connolly
Saturday 14 th December	Cul Vigil 6pm	Joe Rattigan; Kathleen O ;Brien;
Saturday 14 th December	Dunsh Vigil 7pm	Benny & Rose Foley;
Sunday 15 th December	Dunsh 9am	James & Angela Connolly;
Sunday 15 th December	Cul 10:30am	Louis Murray & Martin & Ellen Kennedy; Peter, Margaret, Joe & Petey McCann; William Rattigan;
Sunday 15 th December	Dunsh 12noon	Adrian (AD) Corrigan M.M; Michael & Mark Faherty;

Second Sunday of Advent

We light our second candle today WHICH is called ‘the Peace of Bethlehem’ candle reminding us that Christ is the Light of the World.

Immaculate Conception

Monday is the Feast of the Immaculate Conception of the Blessed Virgin Mary. A day in the Calendar when we pray with devotion to Mary, who gave birth to her Son at Christmas. We share the joy of the Nativity with the whole world. **Masses: Dunshaughlin 10.00 and 7.00 pm Cul 10:30 am.**

First Communion Children

We welcome the children and their parents to Masses this Sunday.

We support them on their journey with prayer.

Society of Saint Vincent de Paul

Annual Collection which will be held this weekend

Sat 7th Dec and Sun 8th Dec 2024. Please give generously.

Programme for Christmas

Penential service; on Monday 23rd of December from 7pm-8pm.

Confessions also on Saturday 21st and on Christmas Eve.

Christmas Masses; Christmas Eve: Dun 6 pm Children's Mass, and **9 pm** Mass of the Nativity. **Christmas Day:** 9 am and 12 noon

Culmullen Christmas Eve: 8 pm **Christmas Day** 10.30am

Bambinelli Sunday, children and parents invited to bring the baby Jesus figurine from their crib for special blessing on Sunday 22nd Dec.

Anointing of the Sick

The Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick and infirm will be celebrated at the 10 am Mass next Saturday in Dun Church

Hallelujah Christmas Concert

Dunshaughlin Church on Thursday 19th December at 7.30 pm

A Classic Christmas Carol Concert for the whole family.

Tickets €20 at Parish Office or www.barkenproductions.ie

Confirmation 2025

We welcome the boys and girls from our parish schools preparing for their Confirmation to Masses next Sunday.

Eucharistic Adoration

We thank members of the Diocesan Adoration Committee who facilitated the renewal of Adoration in the Parish. We are grateful to everyone who signed up for one hour adoration with the Lord, thanks also to our own local Adoration Committee.

Adoration takes place in Dun Church for 7 hours on Tuesdays from 10am until 2 pm and from 6pm till 9 pm. Adoration in Culmullen on Thursday from 9 until 11 am.

The number of adorers has greatly increased in both Churches. Adoration will bring great blessings on our Parish. We pray also for vocations to priesthood and religious life in the Diocese and for the sick and as always peace in the world.

Women's Self defence Classes

Starting at Dunshaughlin Community Centre Friday 10th January 2025 at 7pm.

Further details Contact Anthony at 083 – 0664141 email:

selfdefenceforall222@gmail.com

Pastoral Centre Coffee Dock

Monday & Thursday after 10am Mass tea coffee & home made scones available.

Bring your friend for a chat!

Hymn for Sunday Masses - Please join in

O Come Emmanuel

O come, O come, Emmanuel
And ransom captive Israel
That mourns in lonely exile here
Until the Son of God appears.
Rejoice, rejoice, Emmanuel
shall come to thee, O Israel



O come though dayspring, come and cheer
Our spirits by thine advent here,
Disperse the gloomy clouds of night,
And death's dark shadows put to flight.
Rejoice, rejoice, Emmanuel
shall come to thee, O Israel

