



# Holy Week in Mullingar Parish

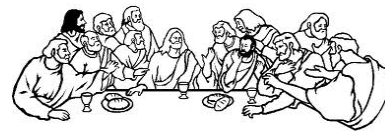


## Spy Wednesday

7.30pm Chrism Mass in the Cathedral with the Bishop and priests from the diocese. All are welcome.

## Holy Thursday

7.30pm Mass of the Lord's Supper in the Cathedral  
*The parish community gathers to re-enact the Last Supper and keep vigil with the Lord until Night Prayer at 10pm.*



**We are delighted to welcome John Bruton (former Taoiseach) who will speak at our Mass about the role of lay Catholics in the Church today.**

**Good Friday** Please observe Good Friday as a special day of expressing faith. *Today is a day of prayer, fasting and abstinence*

12 noon: Way of the Cross please join us on the journey along the canal bank starting from St Paul's Church

12 noon: Stations of the Cross—Brotentown

3.00pm: Good Friday Passion & Veneration of the Cross Cathedral, St Paul's, Walshestown & Gainstown

7.30pm: Taize Prayer around the Cross in the Cathedral.  
Time to reflect on the cross with our folk group leading the music.



## Holy Saturday

9.00pm Easter Vigil Mass in the Cathedral celebrated by Bishop Michael.  
*This Mass celebrates the Lord's Resurrection. A ceremony of light and baptism precede the Liturgy of the Eucharist.*



## Easter Sunday

Mass Times on this special day are as normal.

**Cathedral: 8.30am, 11am & 12.30pm**

**St Paul's 10.30am & 12noon**

**Walshestown 9am, Brotentown 10am & Gainstown 11am**

## Confessions this week— Cathedral

Penitential Service Tuesday 7.30—8.30pm

Holy Thursday 4-5.30 pm

Good Friday 4-5.30 pm

Holy Saturday 2.30 - 4.30pm

*Holy Week is a time when Catholics make a special effort to seek forgiveness and grace from the Lord.*

## Easter Tridium Morning Prayer

Thursday, Friday &

Saturday 9.30am in the Cathedral.

## Mullingar Parish—Easter Raffle

*In aid of the Autism Unit in*

**Presentation Senior School**

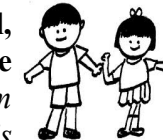
Tickets €2 each or 3 for €5 available from the parish Office & shop Draw will take place Tuesday in the Cathedral Shop after 10am Mass.

**Winners will be in next week's newsletter**

THANKS TO ALL WHO SUPPORTED OUR COFFEE MORNING IN AID OF TRÓCAIRE A TOTAL OF €593 WAS RAISED.  
THANK YOU!!

## Do this in Memory

Today we welcome children and their parents from **St Colmcille's School, Gaelscoil an Mhuilinn** and **Christ the King Group** (*Catholic children from Educate Together and All Saint's schools*) to Mass today as they continue their journey towards First Communion.



**Y**ellow and white flowers are required for Easter Sunday. Please consider donating flowers and leaving them into the Parish Office on Wednesday morning.

## COLLECTIONS LAST WEEKEND

Cathedral: €3,792

Thank

St Paul's: €1,193

You!

Walshestown: €126 Brotentown: €162

Gainstown: €184 Sacred Heart €143

Parish Envelopes €2,209

**Easter Sunday is an Offering Day for the Support of the Bishop and Priests of the parish. Thank you for your support**

## HAIL REDEEMER KING DIVINE

Hail Redeemer King Divine,  
Priest and Lamb, the throne is thine.  
King whose reign shall never cease  
Prince of everlasting peace.

*Angels, Saints and Nations sing,  
Praise to Jesus Christ our King,  
Lord of life, earth, sky and sea,*

## Mass Times & Intentions for this week

**Monday** (Is 42:1-7. Ps 26 Jn 12:1-11.)

Mass in Cathedral at 7.30am Seán Fagan & 10am: Ellen Cullen. St Paul's 9.15am Bridie Hughes.

**Tuesday** (Is 49:1-6, Ps 70 Jn 13:21-33,36-38.)

Mass in Cathedral at 7.30am: James & Margaret Harte. 10am: Margaret Devine & 7.30pm: Pat Jackson. 9.15am Una Hennessy.

**Wednesday** 7.30am Morning Mass only as the parish prepares for the Chrism Mass 7.30pm

**Easter Sunday** (Acts 10: 37-43. Ps 117 Col 3:1-4.)

11am: Monica Flynn, Greenpark, Ballinea (1st Ann) St Paul's 10.30am: Patricia Farrelly, Ginnell Tce (M.M.)

12noon: Betty Grace, Prospect (1st Ann) Walshestown 9am: Fitzgerald family & Zoe Brennan. Brotentown:

10am: John Garvin. Gainstown 11am: Neil McLoughlin.



## Tickets for the Eucharistic Congress 10th—17th June

Tickets for the Eucharistic Congress are now on sale in the Cathedral Shop. Tickets cost €30 and include bus fare and entry. Those purchasing a day ticket to the RDS are given an option to buy a ticket for Croke Park. On **Tuesday** June 12th we encourage those interested in the Church's promotion of family life to attend; on **Wednesday** we encourage Ministers of the Eucharistic & Adorers to attend; **Thursday** is especially for Ministers of the Word and those interested in the scriptures; on **Friday** June 15th members of pastoral and prayer groups eg Legion of Mary, Pioneers, Divine Mercy Group, Charismatic Prayer Group etc are especially invited. Details from the Cathedral Shop.

## Rest In Peace

**Karl Mullen**, Dalton Park: **Alice McConnell**, Walshestown South: **Rose Hamill**, Old Dublin Road: **Thomas Cullen**, Ballinafid & Cathedral View. **Thomas O'Neill**, Tyrrellspass: **Dr Joe Stanley**, late of Bishopsgate Street