



Parish of Mullingar

Cathedral, St Paul's, Walshestown,
Brotentown & Gainstown

www.mullingarparish.ie

Priests of the Parish:

Fr. Padraig McMahon, Adm.
Fr. Michael Kilmartin
Fr. Paul Crosbie
Fr. Joseph Naikarakudy

Parish Office Hours:

Monday-Friday: 9am-1pm; 2-5pm
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Vigil Mass (Saturday)

Cathedral: 6pm

Sunday Masses:

Cathedral: 8.30am, 11am, 12.30pm
St. Paul's: 10.30am, 12noon
Walshestown: 9am
Brotentown: 10am
Gainstown: 11am

Daily Masses:

Cathedral: 7.45 & 10am Mass
St Paul's: 9.15am

Confessions:

Saturday 2.30 - 3.30pm
& after 6pm Vigil Mass

Eucharistic Adoration:

Cathedral Daily 8am—8pm

Baptisms Sundays: 3pm

Bereavement Support 087 6309808

COLLECTIONS LAST WEEKEND TOWARDS VOCATIONS

Cathedral: €4,610
St Paul's: €1,533
Walshestown: €156
Brotentown: €223
Gainstown: €195
Parish Envelopes €1,339

**Thank
You!**

Today is the Day for Life 2012.



Day for Life is a day dedicated to raising awareness about the meaning and value of human life at every stage. The theme for this year is Choose Life. See www.chooselife2012.ie for more information on the month of prayer announced by the bishops.

Every human life is beautiful, every human life is precious. Choose Life!

Enrolment for First Holy Communion

This weekend we welcome children enrolling for First Holy Communion in our parish. Today the families make a commitment to



- ◇ Teach their child the Prayers from Alive-O
- ◇ Pray with their child at home
- ◇ Bring their child to Mass each Sunday
- ◇ Discuss the Alive-O program with their child

Baptismal Certificates

Children enrolling for the Sacraments must be baptised; the parish is requesting Baptismal Certificates in the coming weeks. We thank all who are helping with this process.

First Holy Communion Registration meeting for **St. Colman's School** Wednesday 7.30pm in the School.

First Confession in First Class

This year children in First Class will be invited to make their First Confession. We hope that this will give the children and their families a chance to focus on the Sacrament and give the children an opportunity to receive the Sacrament a few times before First Holy Communion Day in Second Class.

October: Mission Month



Mission Sunday is celebrated this year on 21st October. Our new curate Fr Joseph will give a short talk on his experiences as a Camillian missionary in India on Monday 15th at 7.30pm in the Social Services Centre. Please come to meet Fr Joseph and get to know him.

Mullingar Apostolic Works Society is getting ready for its annual sale of work on 20 - 21 October. The Apostolic Works very generously make vestments and supply altar linen and Mass kits for up to 17 missionary societies, including the Columbans, Kiltegan and Salesians.

"The number of those awaiting Christ is still immense. The Second Vatican Council and the subsequent teaching of the Church insist in a very special way on the missionary mandate, which Christ entrusted to his disciples." Pope Benedict XVI

We welcome these children who were baptised

last Sunday: Claire O'Brien, Prospect Avenue; Mina Sheridan, Greenpark Meadows; Domas Palubinskas, Ardilaun Green; Senan O'Neill, Pettitswood.



Loreto College, Opening of School Year
Mass, Monday 2.20pm in the Cathedral.

First Anniversary of Ordination of Fr Kevin Heery

You are warmly invite to join Fr Kevin as he celebrates a Mass of Thanksgiving on the anniversary of his Ordination to Priesthood on Tuesday at 7.30pm in Sacred Heart Chapel in Ballinderry.

Thanks to all who helped to decorate the church at Our Lady of Good Counsel and St Therese, Brotentown for the Feast Day.

Rest in Peace

Frank Curley, Walshestown
Kathleen Connolly, St Dominic's, College St.
Tommy Loughrey, Multyfarnham
Sheila Burke, Kerry
Fr. F.X. O'Reilly, Oldcastle

Mass Intentions this week

Monday (Gal 1:6-12. Ps 110. Lk 10:25-37.)
10am: Kevin & Mary Herity.
9.15am: Gerry Forde & deceased family.
Tuesday (Gal 1:13-24. Ps 138. Lk 10:38-42.)
10am: Mick Mulligan.
Wednesday (Gal 2:1-2, 7-14. Lk 11:1-4.)
10am: Denis Ryan.
Thursday (Gal 3:1-5. Ps Lk 1:69-75. Lk 11:5-13.)
10am: Katie & John Reilly. 9.15am: Ann McDonnell.
Friday (Gal 3:7-14. Ps 110 Lk 11:15-26.)
10am: Margaret Rita Byrne.
9.15am: Seamus Brogan.
Saturday (Gal 3:22-29. Ps 104. Lk 11:27-28.)
10am: Anniversaries Occurring Mass.
Wedding Mass Gainstown 2pm.
Cathedral 6pm: Bridget Doherty, Valley Cottages (M.M.)
Sunday (Wis 7:7-11. Ps 89. Heb 4:12-13. Mk 10:17-30.)
11am: Denis (Dinny) Mee, Fairgreen (M.M.)
Walshestown 9am: Thomas & Mary McCormack & Andy & Masie Nolan. Brotentown 10am: Rosie & Anthony Allen. Gainstown 11am: Joe, Nellie & Aoife Marie McNicholas.

Noticeboard

Legion of Mary, Rosary, Cathedral Grounds today 5pm.

Meath Diocesan Pioneer Association, Spirituality Day, next Sunday 2pm-5pm, Franciscan Friary, Multyfarnham

Rainbows, recommences on Monday 15th at 6.30pm.
Westmeath Rural Transport: are running a trial service every Friday until December: Free to Travel Pass Holders and only €1 per journey! Further information from www.wetmeathruralcommunitytransport.ie

Public Rosary each Friday in October at 6.30pm beside the grotto at railway station.

The Knights of St. Columbanus, meeting in the Cathedral Social Services Centre, on Wednesday at 8.00pm.

Flu Vaccine, available now to all over 65 years, contact your GP.

Diabetes Information meeting, Tuesday 16th October, 7.30pm, Annebrook Hotel.

Retired Nurses Association, meeting, Monday at 8.30pm.

LARCC, Cancer Care, collection this weekend.

"See The World" Art exhibition on Thursday 18th of October 2012 at the Atrium in association with Ashbrook Centre and Edgewater House (Mental Health Services).

Renewable Energy Opportunities: in the Midlands, information meeting Wednesday 8pm, Mullingar Park Hotel.

Notices for Newsletter must be in Parish Office before 1pm on Wednesdays. Check out our parish website at www.mullingarparish.ie