



Parish of Mullingar

Cathedral of Christ the King, St Paul's Church
Walshestown, Brotenstown & Gainstown
www.mullingarparish.ie

Priests of the Parish:

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Parish Office Hours:

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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
Brotenstown: 10am
Gainstown: 11am

Daily Masses

7.45am & 10 am in the Cathedral
9.15am St Paul's

Confessions Saturdays

2.30pm-3.30pm & after Vigil Mass
Eve of First Friday after 10am Mass

Eucharistic Adoration: 8am — 8pm

Baptisms Sundays: 3pm

Bereavement Support 087 6309808

Collections last weekend

Cathedral: €3,518 *Thank You!*
St Paul's: €1,144
Walshestown: €171
Brotenstown: €226
Gainstown: €266
Sacred Heart: €156
Parish Envelopes: €1,446

Prolife – Human Life is Sacred

The Church believes that from the moment of conception, every human life is precious. Legislating for abortion in any country denies the dignity and humanity of the child in the womb and violates the most basic human right – the right to life. While recognising the absolute need to protect the life of the mother and the complexity of the issues involved pro-life people believe that everything possible must be done to safeguard against the deliberate intention to take life in the womb. For information www.chooselife.ie or www.prolifecampaign.ie



The ancient pilgrim island of Lough Derg is now open for the summer season. Many people visit the island to retreat from their daily existence and to spend time with God in prayer and reflection.

A 3 day local pilgrimage is being organised to Lough Derg from 27-29 June. Bus €30 Island €70 for more details contact 9374818 or 9342449.

Wedding Papers

Many weddings will take place in our churches in the coming months. Our priests work hard to ensure that couples are well prepared and give necessary attention to organising the ceremony. We ask all couples getting married to ensure that all their paperwork is in order before the end of this month.



WE CONTINUE TO PRAY FOR OUR YOUNG PARISHIONERS DOING EXAMS AT THIS TIME.



Cemetery Prayers

The following are a list of dates and times of cemetery devotions in the coming months:

Walshestown

Sunday 16th June 3pm

Famine Cemetery

Wednesday July 3rd 7.30pm

Kilronan (after Mass), Ballyglass (3pm)

Marlinstown (12.15pm)

Sunday 4th August

Sunday 7th July Kenny 10.45am
Hopetown 11.10am
Kilpatrick 11.30am



St Anthony

Thursday next is the Feast of St Anthony of Padua. St Anthony was born in Lisbon. He was so impressed by the life of St Francis he decided to become a Franciscan. St Anthony was known for being a great preacher and was called the 'Hammer of Heretics'. Many miracles have been attributed to Francis and he is known for being the patron of the lost. St Anthony's shrine in Northern Italy attracts pilgrims from all over the world. St Anthony is well loved by Irish Catholics. *A dvd will be shown on the life of the saint next Thursday after 10am Mass in the Bethany Centre for approx 80 minutes.*

St Colmcille

Today is the feast of St Colmcille, third patron of Ireland. St Colmcille was born in Glencolmcille, Donegal. He is closely associated with our diocese. He studied in Clonard at the great monastery of St Finian (in Kinnegad parish). One of the monasteries Colmcille founded was in Durrow near Tullamore, another in Kells in County Meath. Gainstown School is called after this saint. This weekend we remember St Colmcille as his feast is celebrated in the diocese and in Iona, Scotland- the place of his burial.

Memorial Garden



In the coming weeks we hope work will start on a new parish project to create a new memorial garden to the Mullingar Monks. Many people do not know that the Monks are now buried in the Cathedral Grounds. During the summer the parish will be highlighting Mullingar's link with the ancient pilgrim city of Santiago de Compostela. If you would like to donate to this community project please contact the parish office. All donations welcome.

Walk the Way of the Mullingar Monks

The parish walk to highlight the link of Mullingar to Compostela will take place on Saturday 27th July. Please read local papers this week for details or contact the parish office for information sheet.

Mass Intentions next week

Monday: (2 Cor 1:1-7. Ps 33. Mt 5:1-12.)

7.45am: John & Essie Grimes & family.

10am: Jacobus Vanderloo.

9.15am: Anne Marie O'Herron & Michael Connors.

Tuesday: (Acts 11:21-26, 13:1-3. Ps 97. Mt 10:7-13.)

7.45am: Taide Hughes & daughter Tina.

10am: Annie, Joe & John O'Brien.

9.15am: Thomas Houlihan.

Wednesday: (2 Cor 3:4-11. Ps 98. Mt 5:17-19)

7.45am: Dolly Leonard. 10am: Paddy Cleary & Peggy Tighe. 9.15am: Moya Keane.

Thursday: (2 Cor 3:15-4:1, 3-6. Ps 84. Mt 5:20-26.)

10am: Thomas & Roseanne Reilly & Brigd Neary & Madeline Whyte. 9.15am: Mary Regan.

Friday: (2 Cor 4:7-15. Ps 115. Mt 5:27-32.)

10am: Finch family. 9.15am: Peter, Martha & Kitty McEnroe. *Wedding Mass Cathedral 2pm.*

Saturday (2 Cor 5:14-21. Ps 102. Mt 5:33-37.)

10am Anniversaries Occurring Mass.

Vigil 6pm: Catherine Collins, Ballyglass (1st Ann)

Next Sunday (2 Sam 12:7-10, 13. Ps 31. Gal 2:16, 19-21. Lk 7:36-8:3.) 8.30am: Peter Delaney, Ginnell Tce (1st Ann) 11am: Salome Brennan, Belvedere (1st Ann)

St Paul's 10.30am: Nellie Lynam, Clongowney (1st Ann) 12 noon: Maureen Shaw, Lynn Heights (M.M.) & Malachy & Ray Shaw.

Walshestown 9am: For all buried in cemetery

Brotenstown 10am: Phil & Kathleen Smith & granddaughter Sharon.

Rest in Peace

Mary Conway, Glascom
Fr Michael Walsh, retired PP Tubber
Fr Brendan Jordan, late of Kilbeggan