



Parish of Mullingar

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

Priests of the Parish:

Fr. Pdraig 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
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: €3,700 *Thank You!*
St Paul's: €1,299
Walshestown: €176
Brotenstown: €158
Gainstown: €480
Parish Envelopes: €1,287

Fr Denis Nulty - Bishop of Kildare and Leighlin



We are delighted that Pope Francis is appointing Fr Denis Nulty as the new Bishop of Kildare and Leighlin. Fr Denis worked in Mullingar parish for ten years from 1988—1998. Fr Denis is remembered fondly for his deep faith as well as for his humour and tremendous work rate. He is 49 years old and is celebrating this 25th year as a priest of Meath diocese. We keep Denis in our prayers and look forward to his Episcopal ordination.

Ascension Sunday

Today is Ascension Sunday. The beautiful mosaic over the high altar in the Cathedral records Jesus' ascension and his enthronement as King. We hear in today's readings that we are asked by our Lord to continue his work here on earth.

Next Sunday is Pentecost Sunday, the Feast of the Holy Spirit. Please note next weekend some of the Masses are linked to Confirmation Enrolment and First Holy Communion. To facilitate parishioners we have an extra Mass in the Cathedral at 10am.



The Sunday Mass Schedule next Sunday in the Cathedral is as follows: Vigil 6pm (Sat), 10am, 11am & 12.30pm. St Paul's and country churches as normal.



The last 2 Masses next Sunday in the Cathedral are First Holy Communion Masses. We welcome to the Cathedral the children from Christ the King Group at 11am and Gaelscoil an Mhuilinn at 12.30pm and this Mss will be as Gaeilge.

May—Month of our Lady

Monday is the Feast of our Lady of Fatima. After the 10am Mass for the feast the film 'The Call to Fatima' will be shown in the Bethany Centre. Refreshments will be provided.



Fore Trail and Tale



People in the parish of Collinstown have been restoring the trail around Fore Abbey. On the last Saturday of May a 5km (3m) pilgrim walk will take place at 12 noon. Everybody is welcome and refreshments will be served afterwards. This event is a good 'appetiser' for our own parish walk taking place at the end of July which will start in Fore and bring us across the scenic back roads to Mullingar!

Did you ever do the Camino?

Mullingar Parish is drawing up a list of parishioners who did some or all of the Camino in Spain down the years. If you have completed the trek or know of someone who has please let us know. You can email us on www.mullingarparish.ie

We welcome these children who were recently baptised: Erwan Tanudra, Lakepoint Park; Conor O'Reilly, Radharc an Chuain; Toni Wallace, Greenpark Meadows; Liadh Moynihan; Kiayah Walsh, Pettitswood Manor.

Quote from Bishop Leahy's Homily in Knock last Saturday's 'Vigil For Life' -

"For the sake of the common good, Catholics need to propose their view on this topic. We do so not to impose some obscure teaching of our own but rather to respectfully offer what we consider a reasoned position echoed by many with other religious or indeed non-religious convictions, convictions based on human reason."

Walshestown Cemetery Devotions are Sunday 16th June. In preparation there is a community clean-up day next Saturday afternoon from 2-6pm. All help appreciated.

Mass Intentions next week

Monday: (Acts 19:1-8. Ps 67. Jn 16:29-33.)

7.45am: Oliver, Cyril, Patrick & Oliver Keena.
10am: Cecelia Carroll. 9.15am: Thomas Bennett.

Tuesday: (Acts 1:15-17, 20-26. Ps 112. Jn 15:9-17.)

7.45am: Frank Geraghty. 10am: Christy Gorman.
9.15am: Nancy Foley.

Wednesday: (Acts 20:28-38. Ps 67. Jn 17:11-19.)

7.45am: James Maguire. 10am: Murtagh family.
9.15am: Michael & Mary Purcell.

Thursday: (Acts 22:30, 23:6-11. Ps 15. Jn 17:20-26.)

7.45am: Margaret & Edward Hickey.
10am: Ita & Charles Tomkins.
9.15am: Mary, Owen, James & Bobby Moore.

Friday: (Acts 25:13-21. Ps 102. Jn 21:15-19.)

7.45am: Patrick & Tomás Manny. 10am: Antoinette Gallagher. 9.15am: Joseph & Moya Keane.

Saturday (Acts 28:16-20, 30-31. Ps 10. Jn 21:20-25.)

7.45am: Ben Kelly.
10am Anniversaries Occurring Mass.
6pm William (1st Ann) Freddie & Bridie Gaye, Nuala & Frank Gilligan, New Ballinderry.
Next Sunday (Acts 2:1-11. Ps 103 Rm 8:8-17. Jn 14:15-16, 23-26.) St Paul's 10.30am: Helen Whitelaw, Auburn Road (1st Ann) 12 noon: Teresa Downes, Robinstown (1st Ann)
Walshestown 9am: Mick & Gretta Lyons.
Brotenstown 10am: Pat Ballesty.
Gainstown 11am: Alice & Edward Kearney.

Annual Pioneer Mass, Sunday 19th May, 3pm, Taghmon Church. **Charismatic Prayer Group**, Mon, Bethany, 8pm. **Our Lady Queen of Peace**, prayer group, Thurs, Cathedral, 7-8pm. **Meath Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes**, Led by Bishop Smith 12 -17 September 2013 5 nights Hotel full board, insurance & taxes €699. Contact: Pilgrimages Abroad Tel: 01-6359300. **St Joseph's Young Priests Society**, Monday 7.30pm, Bethany. **Retired Nurses Association**, meeting, Monday 8.30pm, Greville Arms. **Meals on Wheels**, thank all who contributed to their recent collection. **LARCC Centre**, Flora Women's Mini Marathon Monday 3rd June. Contact 9371971. **"The Golden Era of Ceili Dance & Music** by Brian Lawlor 1955-1970" 11.00 a.m. Tuesday 21 May.

Rest in Peace

Maura Briody, Hillside Drive
Maureen Shaw, Lynn Heights
Sheila Purcell, Lynn Heights
Christy Buckley, Ballinderry & Blackhall
Seamus Horan, Grange Court
Margaret Smith, Ballynacargy
Alacoque Clarke, late of St Loman's Tce
Thomas McKeogh, Raharney
Bill O'Callaghan late of Dominick Street