



Parish of Mullingar

Cathedral of Christ the King,
St Paul's Church, Walshestown,
Brotentown & Gainstown
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Priests of the Parish:

Fr. Padraig McMahon, Adm.
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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 for Lent

7.45am, 10am and 7.30pm (Cathedral)
9.15am Mass (St. Paul's)

Saturday Confessions

2.30pm-3.30pm

Eucharistic Adoration: 8am — 8pm

Baptisms: Sundays: 3pm

Bereavement Support: 087 6309808

Collections last weekend.

Cathedral: €3,699
St Paul's: €1,299
Walshestown: €160
Brotentown: €179
Gainstown: €282
Parish Envelopes: €1,999

Thank You!

Cathedral Parish Mission

Fr Denis McBride, Redemptorist

Saturday 29 March - Wednesday 2 April

This mission is organised as part of the Cathedral 75th anniversary celebrations.

**“Celebrating our Cathedral,
Celebrating our People,
Celebrating our Gospel”**

Saturday	3.30pm, Session for Ministers of the Word will take place in the Greville Arms
Saturday	6pm, Opening Mass, Cathedral
Sunday	8.30am, 11am and 12.30pm, Mission Masses
Monday	10am, Mission Mass, Cathedral 12 noon, Mission for primary school pupils 3pm, Holy Hour - "Adoration for Mission" 7.30pm, "The Passion of Jesus and his followers"
Tuesday	10am, Mission Mass, Cathedral 12 noon, Mission for secondary school students 3pm, "Mission for Healing" Mass with Anointing of the Sick 7.30pm, "Retelling the story of Jesus"
Wednesday	10am, Closing Mass 11am, Parish Coffee Morning, Bethany

A parish liturgy team meeting will take place this Tuesday at 7.30pm to make final preparations for the Mission.

Lunchtime Fast Friday 28 March

We are inviting parishioners to join us in **giving up lunch** this coming Friday. Lent is a time for fast and abstinence; this is one way of putting Lent into practice.



Everyone can do this, whether you are in school, work or at home. It doesn't need to be done for a charitable purpose, simply in **solidarity** with those less fortunate than ourselves. The fast can be done for a particular intention or **in preparation for our parish mission.**

Adding a prayer dimension to the fast, we invite you to join us on Friday lunchtime (at 1pm) in the Cathedral for the **Stations of the Cross.**

We welcome these children who were recently baptised; Ethan Nally, Dublin; Josh Fagan-Collins, Dalton Park; James & Lorcan Briody, Grange Heights; Tegan & Annabel Lally, Cara Vale; Lorcan Boyle, Ardilaun Green; Anna Farrell, Gaybrook.



THANKS TO ALL WHO HELPED ORGANISE THE ST PATRICK'S DAY LITURGIES.

Multiple Sclerosis Support Group, AGM, Mon, 8pm, Annebrook.

Irish Osteoporosis Westmeath Support Group, meeting, Wednesday, 8pm, Greville Arms.

Open Public Meeting, Alcoholics Anonymous, Wednesday 8.30pm, Fatima Hall, Delvin.

Healing Mass, St Camillus, Killucan, Thursday 8pm

Congratulations to the children from St Kenny's and St Colman's who received their First Confession last week.



Lenten prayer this week: Lectio Divina will take place in St Paul's Church on Tuesday after 9.15am Mass and in the Cathedral on Friday at 3pm.

Pope Francis on the qualities of a Bishop:

"The Church does not need apologists for her causes or crusaders for her battles, but humble and trusting sowers of the truth, who know that it is always given to them anew and trust in its power. Men who are patient, as they know that the weeds will never fill the field. There are five virtues of a bishop: first patience, second patience, third patience, fourth patience, and last, patience with those who invite us to have patience."

Hymn for Lent

Please join in congregational singing during the Mass



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,
King of love on Calvary.

Mass intentions for the week ahead

Monday: (2 Kg 5:1-15. Ps 41. Lk 4:24-30.)

7.45am: Tom Maguire. 10am: James & Ann Lyster & Joseph & Dolores Moran & Paschal Walsh.

7.30pm: Harry Devine.

9.15am: Karl & Jacqueline Mullen.

Tuesday (Is 7:10-14. 8:10. Ps 39. Heb 10:4-10. Lk 1:26-38.) 7.45am: Christy Michael Joyce.

10am: Tom & Rita Mackey. 7.30pm: Peter & Ann Keegan. 9.15am: Linus Fadian.

Wednesday: (Deut 4:1, 5-9. Ps 147. Mt 5:17-19.) 7.45am: Martin Heavey. 10am: Patrick Dooley.

9.15am: Michael Fee & Coffeey family.

Thursday: (Jer 7:23-28. Ps 94. Lk 11:14-23.) 7.45am: Thomas, Patrick & Tomás Manny.

10am: John (1st Ann) Mary, John & Thomas Cleary. 7.30pm: Margret Sheridan.

9.15am: Jo Maguire.

Friday: (Hos 14:2-10. Ps 80. Mk 12:28-34.)

7.45am: McGivney family. 10am: Peter Keegan. 7.30pm: Vincent Moran. 9.15am: Kathleen, Patrick & Sean Garry & deceased members of family.

Saturday: (Hos 5:15-6:6. Ps 50. Lk 18:9-14.) 7.45am: Seán Fagan.

10am: Anniversaries Occurring Mass

6pm: Karen (M.M.) & Pat Jackson, Oaklawns.

Sunday 30 March (1 Sm 16:1, 6-7, 10-13. Ps 22. Jn 9:1-41.) 11am: Mary Quill, Auburn Road (M.M.) St Paul's 10.30am: Edward Gavin, Ginnell Tce & Robinstown (M.M.)

Walshestown 9am: Tom, Josephine & Joe Brennan.

Brotentown 10am: Margaret Scally & daughter Majella. Gainstown: 11am: Patrick & Evelyn Tighe & Patrick Jnr.

Rest in Peace
Kitty Cox, Robinstown
Fred Murray, Ginnell Tce
Shane McManus, Dublin
Gaye Lee nee Flanagan, late of Cathedral View
Sr Alacoque Kearney, late of Gaybrook