



Parish of Mullingar

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

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Priests of the Parish:

Fr. Padraig McMahon, Adm.
Fr. Michael Kilmartin
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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:

Cathedral: 7.45 & 10am Mass

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

Cathedral: €3876
St Paul's: €1207 Thank You!
Walshestown: € 171
Brotentown: €162
Gainstown: €203
Parish Envelopes: €1394

St Paul's Mass on RTE 1 Television



There will only be one Mass in St Paul's next Sunday. It will be at 11am and broadcast live on our national broadcaster. Thanks to all who are working to make this a special celebration and to all who enrich Sunday Mass with their presence. Parishioners coming to Mass should try to be punctual. Please let people know about the televised Mass particularly those at home and hospital who might like to tune in.

Next Sunday is Cemetery Sunday

Times of Devotions

Kilronan (after Gainstown 11 am Mass)
Marlinstown 12.15pm
Ballyglass 3pm

People are again encouraged to walk to Ballyglass and park in the Cathedral grounds and town car parks.

- ⇒ Parishioners who intend parking in St Finian's College grounds please note that weather permitting it is hoped to follow the same parking arrangements as last year (detailed below).
- ⇒ Cars parking in the college will have to enter by the **main gate** opposite the Cemetery and park in one of the playing pitches to the side and rear of the school. No entry from Irishtown gate. Note it is a ten minute walk from the pitches to the cemetery.
- ⇒ Two Collection boxes will be in the cemetery to defray costs associated with Cemetery devotions (ie sound system, donation to Civil Defence).



Meals on Wheels

As we hear today's gospel about Jesus feeding the 5,000 it is worth calling to mind the work of the Meals on Wheels in Mullingar. Meals on Wheels provide meals to those unable to cook for themselves. The organisation is always looking for volunteer drivers to do deliveries. If you have some spare time to commit during the week they would be glad to hear from you. Contact Bernie on 9344566.



Our Lady of Knock

August is a Month when many people visit Knock. The Meath Diocesan Pilgrimage to Knock led by Bishop Michael Smith takes place on Sunday August 12th. The Annual Marian Novena takes place from August 15th (Feast of our Lady's Assumption) and ends on August 21st (Anniversary of the Apparition).

Brief Account of the Apparition

At 8 O'clock on Thursday evening the 21st August, 1879, Our Lady, St Joseph and St John the Evangelist appeared at the South gable of the Church at Knock. Our Lady wore a large white cloak and her hands and eyes were raised towards heaven, in a posture of prayer. On her head was a brilliant crown and where the crown fitted the brow, as a beautiful rose. On her right was St Joseph, head bowed and turned slightly towards her as if paying her respects. He wore white robes. On Our Lady's left was St John the Evangelist, dressed as a bishop, with a book in his left hand and right hand raised as if preaching. A little to the right in the centre of the gable was a large plain altar. On the altar stood a lamb, facing the West and behind the lamb a large cross stood upright. Angels hovered around the lamb for the duration of the Apparition. There were fifteen official witnesses to the Apparition- men, women and children of various ages. They watched the apparition for two hours, in the pouring rain and recited the Rosary. It is so real that an one parishioner, Brigid Trench, went up to the gable and tried to kiss the feet of Our Lady.

Our Lady of Knock, pray for us.

London 2012

Best wishes to our local Olympians John Joe and Joe as they participate in the Games this week. The Intercessions at Mass today were devised by Christian Church leaders in London for Olympics '12

We welcome these children who were baptised by Fr Michael last Sunday in St. Paul's:

Isabella Carroll, Newdown, Ava Culbert, Ardleigh Vale, Eva Golden, D'Alton Pk. Tara Bella Linney, Sherwood Park. Luke Sheerin, Greenpark Meadows, Hannah Cleary, Bellview, Shane McCarthy-Molloy, Tower View.

We congratulate these couples who were married in the parish in May & June

Marion Connaire & Denis Reynolds
Michelle Dann & Edward Collins
Patrick Nevin & Ann Marie Kavanagh
Sinéad Cronin & Anthony Yorke
Tammy Duffy & Matthew Lambden
Marie Coyle & Patrick Hickey
Linda Hynes & Vincent Cunningham
Margaret Eyres & Paul O'Connor
Shane Foster & Sinéad Marshall

Mass Intentions this week

Monday (Jer 13:1-11. Ps Deut 32. Mt 13:31-35)
7.45am: Michael Murtagh. 10am: Mairead Hanevy.
Tuesday (Jer 14:17-22. Ps 78. Mt 13:36-43.)
7.45am: Jim Murray 10am: Thomas Quirke.
10am: Mattie, Mathew & Mary Burke.
Wednesday (Jer 15:10, 16-21. Ps 58. Mt 13:44-46.)
7.45am: Laurence & Jane Haniffy & deceased members of family. 10am: Eamon Boyle.
Thursday (Jer 18:1-6. Ps 145. Mt 13:47-53.)
10am: Charles Kane.
Wedding Mass Gainstown 2pm, Wedding Mass Cathedral 2pm.
Friday (Jer 3:14-17. Ps Jer 31. Mt 13:18-23.)
7.45am: Brian O'Reilly. 10am: Kenny & Whelan families.
Wedding Mass Cathedral 2pm
Saturday (Jer 26:11-16, 24. Ps 68. Mt 14:1-12.)
7.45am: Betty & Liam Walsh.
10am: Anniversaries Occurring. *Wedding Mass Gainstown 2pm*
Cathedral 6pm: Michael Tyrrell, Ginnell Tce (M.M.)
(1st Ann) **Sunday** (Ex 16:2-4, 12-15. Ps 77. Eph 4:17, 20-24. Jn 6:24-35.)
All Masses next Sunday (Bank Holiday Weekend) are for parishioners buried in our cemeteries.