



St Mary's Parish, Drogheda A92 X096

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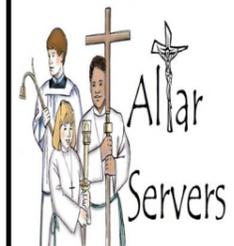
MASS TIMES SUNDAY: 9:00am, 11:00am, 7:00pm
MONDAY TO FRIDAY: 8:00am & 10:00am
SATURDAY: 10:00am **HOLYDAYS :** 8:00am, 10:00am & 7:00pm

Confessions: Saturday after 10am Mass & Sunday after 7:00pm Mass
Baptisms: Saturday 11:00am & Sunday 2:00pm; Call Parish Office
Adoration: Every Thursday & Friday from 10am-9pm in St Mary's Blessed Sacrament Chapel

Supporting St. Mary's Parish:
Sun 11th May Offertory: €1,525.00
Dev. Fund: €830.00
Vocations Sunday Collection: €1,635.00

Mass Intentions for Sunday 18th May - 25th May 2025

Sun 18th 9am Sean Judge & deceased members of the Judge & Smith Families
11am Bridie & Rita O'Hare; Marie & Tony Wade; Paddy Keegan; Sean Judge & deceased members of the Judge & Smith Families; Bernie & John Mc Ginn & their children; Pauline O'Neill; Realtán O'Neill; Paul McGowan; Margo Bellew;
7pm -
Mon 19th 8am John, Mary & Pat Durkin; Pat & Laura McEvoy
Tue 20th 8am -
Wed 21st 8am -
Thurs 22nd 8am -
Fri 23rd 8am -
Sat 24th 10am Brendan McCullough; Michael & Mary Pentony & Frank Pentony;
12pm & 2pm **FIRST COMMUNION CEREMONIES FOR ST. MARY'S PARISH PRIMARY SCHOOL.**
Sun 25th 9am -
11am Patricia Woods; Pat O'Brien; Maura Donnelly; Marie & Tony Wade.
7pm -

 **New Altar Servers: Girls and Boys in 4th 5th and 6th class, would you like to become an Altar Server in St Mary's?** Dear Parents we're hoping to start the recruitment of new Altar Servers in the forthcoming weeks. We wish to enrol children from 4th, 5th, and 6th classes for the team. Prior to becoming an Altar Server, a short training programme takes place. The training programme aims to provide each child with the necessary skills to serve mass and other liturgical celebrations. This includes learning about the order of the mass, the vestments, the sanctuary, and the sacred books and vessels used. Parish Child Protection guidelines are followed. Please contact St Mary's Parish Office if you are interested.

 **Annual Cake Sale:** The youth of the parish will be hosting a cake sale in **Holy Family on Saturday 17th & Sunday 18th May** after all the Masses and in **St Mary's in the Pastoral Centre on Sunday 25th May** to raise funds for those attending Camp Veritas this summer. Come and join us for tea and a bun!
Camp Veritas is a weeklong Catholic summer camp for teenagers, please support our young people as they seek to grow in their faith this summer.

 **Calvary Cemetery Sunday will take place on Sunday 15th June at 3:00pm**
To prepare for this special occasion in our parish we are organising a number of **clean up evenings over the next few weeks on Wednesdays at 7pm (21st & 28th May and 4th & 11th June).**
If you have an hour to spare we would welcome your help. It is important that all of us look after the graves of our ancestors, one day someone will be looking after ours.
N.B. A reminder that those who bring their dog for a walk in the Cemetery must keep their dog on a leash and take away any dog foul.

LEGION OF MARY: Rosary in Five Oaks on the 24th May at 5pm.

 **A Prayer for Pope Leo XIV**
Lord, source of eternal life and truth, give to your shepherd a spirit of courage and right judgment, a spirit of knowledge and love. By governing with fidelity those entrusted to his care, may he, as successor to the Apostle Peter and Vicar of Christ, build your Church into a sacrament of unity, love and peace for all the world. Amen.

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MASS TIMES
SATURDAY VIGIL: 7:30pm
SUNDAY: 10:00am & 12:00pm
MONDAY TO FRIDAY: 10:00am
HOLYDAYS: 10:00am

Parish Activities:
Eucharistic Adoration: Daily: 3.00pm- with Divine Mercy Chaplet & Holy Rosary
Baptisms: Sat – 12pm; Sun – 12.45pm; call Parish Office.
Confessions: Saturday at 6:45pm before Vigil Mass.
Mass intentions: Call into sacristy or leave a message on **(041) 9831991.**
Prayer for Vocations & Priests: Fr. Willie Doyle Prayer Group: Hymns, Holy Rosary, Reflection, Litany for Priests 7pm – 8pm every Thursday.

Supporting Holy Family.
Sun 11th May Offertory: €1,625.00

Holy Family Mass Intentions 17th May - 25th May 2025

Sat 17th 7.30pm Josie Branigan; Molly Judge; Paul Reilly; Patsy Farrell; Mary Campbell; Sijo Jose; Devasy.
Sun 18th 10am Christina Connor; Una O'Connor;
12pm Imelda McDonnell; Anne O'Brien; Wayne McQuillan; Kathleen Faulkner; Christopher Healy; Olive Curran; Ita & Peter O'Brien; Get well intention.
Mon 19th 10am Una O'Connor;
Tues 20th 10am Nellie McDonnell;
Wed 21st 10am -
Thurs 22nd 10am -
Fri 23rd 10am Souls in Purgatory; Thomas Berrill;
12pm **FIRST COMMUNION CEREMONY FOR MARYMOUNT N.S.**
Sat 24th 7.30pm Jim & Ettie Tierney;
Sun 25th 10am June Murphy (From the Legion of Mary); Fintan McGee;
12pm Patrick Murray; William Reilly & deceased members of the Reilly & Faulkner families; Christopher Healy.

 **All Ireland Rosary Rally - Knock 7th June 2025**
Holy Family & St. Mary's Parish are organising a Bus to Knock for the annual **Rosary Rally** on the 7th June 2025. For details contact Mary McNally in Holy Family Church at 041-9831991 or call into the Sacristy, or email holyfamilyballsgrove@outlook.ie for more details.

Holy Land & Vocations Sunday Collections (Holy Family Church) : The Holy Land Collection on Good Friday amounted to €425.00 and the Vocations Sunday collection on May 11th amounted to €1,070.00. Thanks to everyone for their continued generosity.

HOLY FAMILY PRAYER GROUP - LIFE IN THE SPIRIT SEMINARS (7 WEEKS)
Wednesday 21st May at 8.15pm in Holy Family Community Centre.
Week 2: Salvation.
All are welcome to attend.

D-Strings Charity Concert: Thursday 29th May at 7.30pm in the Augustinian Church, Shop St, Drogheda. A great evening's entertainment is promised as D-Strings present an evening of your favourite Bridgerton, film and pop music - with special guests including winners of Sky's "Got to Dance" *Prodjig* and Soprano Amie Dyer.
All profits will be donated to **Make a Wish** and **Oscar's Kids.**
Tickets €20 or Concession tickets €15 - available from https://www.eventbrite.ie/e/d-entertainment-d-strings-guests-charity-concert-tickets-1297285669359?aff=ehometext&keep_tld=1

Meath Diocese Pilgrimage to Knock Sunday 10th August. Knock Shrine, Croagh Patrick, and Lough Derg are issuing a Jubilee Year Pilgrimage Passport for 2025.
See <https://www.pilgrimpassport.ie/>

 *A prayer for those who died*
Maura O'Connor, Weirhope.
Anthony (Tony) Brady, Wheaton Hall & formerly Beamore Road.
May they rest in peace.