

CLONDALKIN PARISH

Clondalkin Village - Knockmitten - Clonburris
Parish Newsletter - 16th March 2025

(Working in partnership with Bawnogue, Deansrath and Sruleen parishes)

2nd Sunday
of
Lent

JUST HOPE - Reflective Prayer Resource for LENT 2025

Prepared by the Mission & Ministry Office, Archdiocese of Dublin

PILGRIMS OF HOPE PRAYER

Father in heaven, may the faith you have given us in your son, Jesus Christ, our brother, and the flame of charity enkindled in our hearts by the Holy Spirit, reawaken in us the blessed hope for the coming of your Kingdom. May your grace transform us into tireless cultivators of the seeds of the Gospel. May those seeds transform from within both humanity and the whole cosmos in the sure expectation of a new heaven and a new earth, when, with the powers of Evil vanquished, your glory will shine eternally. May the grace of the Jubilee reawaken in us, Pilgrims of Hope, a yearning for the treasures of heaven. May that same grace spread the joy and peace of our Redeemer throughout the earth. To you our God, eternally blessed, be glory and praise for ever. Amen

This Lent we are inviting you to spend time praying with and reflecting on the **Jubilee Pilgrims of Hope Prayer**. Each week there will be a recorded podcast to listen to, with an accompanying printed version for those who want it. You can use the resource individually, or you could gather in a small group, as a family, in a ministry group etc. to reflect and pray together.

Each week follows the same series of moment

- A moment to prepare for the time of reflection
- A moment to pray a part of the Jubilee Prayer
- A moment of guided reflection
- A moment to consider a follow up action
- A moment of intercessory prayer

To follow this resource & to share, please go to: <https://www.missionministry.ie/lent-2025/>

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Mass Times and Services

Clondalkin Village

Sunday: Saturday Vigil 6.30pm
Sunday 9am (in Irish), 10.15am & 12 noon

Weekdays: Monday to Friday 7.30am & 10am
Saturday 10am

Confessions: Saturday 10.30am to 11am

Knockmitten

Sunday: 11.30am
Weekdays: Mon, Wed & Fri - Liturgy of the Word at 10am

Clonburris

Sunday: 10.45am

SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION

First Holy Communion

We invite Parents and Guardians to the meeting about **THE EUCHARIST / MASS (part 1)**.

Please choose **one** of two options:

Option 1: In person meeting will take place in Knockmitten Church on **Tuesday, 25th March at 7 pm.**

Option 2: Zoom Session on **Wednesday, 26th March at 7.30 pm.**

We invite your children to come to two **GODLY PLAY** sessions this Lent in our Parish Pastoral Centre (*beside the Church main entrance*) on **Tuesdays 1st and 8th April**, straight after school till 3:45 pm.

A reminder will be emailed with the Parental Consent Form which can also be filled on the day. The children will take part in the story called **"THE FACES OF EASTER"**

Godly Play Team: Fiona Minogue, Rosemary Lavelle and Saule (Parish Pastoral Worker)

Confirmation

Connect 2 : RITE - The "Our Father"

The Sacramental Preparation Team and Priests invite all Confirmation candidates and Parents/Guardians to attend Clondalkin Parish Church on **19th March at 8.15 pm (after the 7.30 pm Mass)**. This RITE will conclude Connect 2 with Connect 3 to follow in April.

Thank you for participating in the programme of Preparation.

FEAST DAYS THIS WEEK

<i>Monday 17th March</i>	St. Patrick, Bishop
<i>Tuesday 18th March</i>	St. Cyril of Jerusalem, Bishop & Doctor of the Church
<i>Wednesday 19th March</i>	St. Joseph, Husband of Mary
<i>Friday 21st March</i>	St. Enda of Aran, Abbot

PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL

PPC meeting will take place on Wednesday, 26th of March at 7.30pm in the Parish Centre.

Please keep our ministry in your prayer.

PARISH PARTNERSHIP PASTORAL COUNCIL

(Parishes of Clondalkin, Sruleen, Bawnogue & Deansrath)

PPPC meeting will take place on Tuesday, 25th of March at 7.30 pm in Sruleen Parish Centre.

MONDAY CLUB

The Monday Club will be starting a Craft Class on Thursday 20th March in the Parish Centre from 2pm - 4pm.

If interested, please contact Kathleen on 086 4041255.

MAY 2ND TO 5TH 2025

Spiritual Exercises

SILENT IGNATIAN RETREAT
FOR MEN

An Tobar Retreat Centre

Ardbraccan Navan Co. Meath C15 T884

Cost: €190

includes all meals and accommodation
*Student rate available upon request

For more information contact:

087 348 2148
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Religious Family of
the Incarnate Word



REGISTRATION



RECENTLY DECEASED

Sadie Byrne
George Wilkie
Jean Redmond

May They Rest in Peace

Village Church



Sunday 16th March

6.30pm Vigil Aoibhe Martin-Quinn (1st An)
Gretta Priest (An)
Thomas & Benny Raftery (An)
Stella & John Raftery (Rem)
Della & John Raftery (Rem)
John McDonagh (Birthday Rem)

10.15am Mary McConalogue
Rosaleen & Joseph Walsh
and sons (Rem)
Mary & Michael Duffy and
daughter (Rem)
Rita & Annie Byrne (Rem)
Eamon McDonagh (An)

12 noon Doreen & William McKittrick
Skelton family
Thomas McLoughlin (4th An)
Rose & James McKenna (25th An)
Peg Storan (An)
Nuala O'Connor (Birthday Rem)
Tottie & Andy McHugh
Sr. Martina Hamilton

2.00pm Mass for the African Community

7.30pm Vigil Mass for St. Patrick's Day

Monday 17th March - Feast of St. Patrick

9.00am Paddy McDonnell (Rem)
Patricia Heffernan (Birthday Rem)

10.15am Jack, Katie & Michael Fitzgerald
and deceased members of the
Fitzgerald family

Patrick & Mary Cosgrove and
deceased members of the Cosgrove
family

12 noon Padraig Doyle (Birthday Rem)
Patrick Doyle (An)

Tuesday 18th March

10.00am Seán Harrington (6th An)

Wednesday 19th March

7.30am Doreen McKittrick

Sunday 23rd March

6.30pm Vigil Carmel Harris (Month's Mind)
Madeline Lennon (Month's Mind)

LENT 2025

**Evening Mass in the Village Church at 7.30pm
Monday to Friday.**

**Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament on
Thursday evenings after the 7.30pm Mass
until 8.30pm.**

**Stations of the Cross in the Village Church on
Fridays at 10.30am**

**Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament every
Sunday in the Village Church from
4.00pm to 5.30pm.**

St. Patrick's Day - 17th March

Village Church: Sunday 16th – Vigil Mass
at 7.30pm

Monday 17th – Mass at 9am (in Irish),
10.15am and 12 noon

Clonburris: Monday 17th – Mass at
10.45am

Knockmitten: Monday 17th - Mass at
11.30am

Sunday 23rd March

10.15am Jack & Mary Finlay (Rem)
Joe Creavan (3rd An)
Mary Mealy (An) and deceased members
of the Mealy & Jordan families

12 noon Elizabeth & Nicholas West & deceased
family members

Mary & Patrick Hendley & deceased family
members

Nuala O'Connor (14th An)
Mary & Dalton McElroy (An)

LECTIO DIVINA

Sacred Reading

Lectio - Reading
Meditatio - Reflecting
Oratio - Praying

To PRAY together with the SUNDAY GOSPEL.
Join us on ZOOM for 3 Thursdays this Lent.

13th, 27th March & 10th April
and
Holy Week Monday 14th April
8 - 9 pm

Led by Sr. Anne & Saule (PPW)

To register for a Zoom link, please email
saule.cameron@dublindiocese.ie



Clondalkin Cares Food Bank

WE NEED YOUR SUPPORT

Please keep your donations and support coming.

Donations can be dropped off at the following venues:

- Clondalkin Parish Office Mon-Fri 10.00-12.30
- Neart Le Chéile Thurs 10.00-3.00
- Neilstown Church Mon-Wed 10.00-3.30
- Quarryvale Community and Youth Centre
Mon-Fri 11.00-3.00
- Ronanstown Youth Service Tues 10.00-12.00

To register for food or for any other information,
please email manager@quarryvalefrc.ie or call
085 202 0300 during normal office hours.

To donate please use our Go Fund Me page
<https://www.gofundme.com/f/please-help-our-food-bank>

We welcome any other place that would like to
volunteer to act as a drop-off point for donations.
Just contact us and let us know.

**IF YOU NEED SUPPORT OR KNOW OF SOMEONE
WHO DOES, PLEASE DO NOT HESITATE TO EMAIL
OR CALL.**

CHILDREN'S LITURGY OF THE WORD DURING LENT

We invite your child/children to
participate at the Children's Liturgy of
the Word at the 12pm
Sunday Mass.

If you would like to become a Leader for
this Ministry, please talk to us or the
Parish Team.

The Children's Music Ministry practice
takes place on Mondays from 2.45 until
3.45pm in the Village Parish Centre.

Leaders: Pauline Devaney and Saule Cameron.

LECTIO DIVINA

The Lectio Divina Group, led by Sr. Anne,
meets each Tuesday in the Parish Centre
after the 10am Mass and Rosary.

We remember the people and
intentions we have been asked to pray
for during this week.



Hail, glorious St. Patrick, dear saint of our Isle,
On us thy poor children bestow a sweet smile;
And now thou art high in the mansions above
On Erin's green valleys look down in thy love.

On Erin's green valleys, on Erin's green valleys,
On Erin's green valleys look down in thy love.

Ever bless and defend the sweet land of our
birth,
Where the shamrock still blooms as when thou
wert on earth,
And our hearts shall yet burn, wherever we
roam,
For God and St. Patrick and our native home.

For God and St. Patrick, for God and St. Patrick,
For God and St. Patrick and our native home.

Wishing all our readers, both
near and far, a very Happy
St. Patrick's Day next
Monday, 17th March.

