

Dunleer Parish Bulletin

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Parish Synodal Gathering Monday March 24th 7pm St. Kevin's Centre, Philipstown

"In virtue of their baptism, all the members of the People of God have become missionary disciples. All the baptized, whatever their position in the Church or their level of instruction in the faith, are agents of evangelization, and it would be insufficient to envisage a plan of evangelization to be carried out by professionals while the rest of the faithful would simply be passive recipients." (Pope Francis, *The Joy of the Gospel*, 2013)

Parish gatherings are taking place throughout our diocese, our country and throughout the world at this particular time. Our parish gathering on Monday March 24th will be an opportunity for deep discernment, using the Conversation in the Spirit method, as we revisit the themes that emerged from the earlier stages of the Universal Synod in Ireland. These spring gatherings will lead to a national pre-assembly on 18 October 2025, where representatives will reflect on the year's insights and set future priorities for the Catholic Church in Ireland.

This gathering is not just another consultation asking for opinions or repeating the same questions, rather it marks a decisive moment in shaping how the Church in Ireland – locally and nationally – responds to the call of the Holy Spirit.

The Holy Spirit is calling us to walk together in new ways, and now is the time to respond with faith and courage.

"But if we allow doubts and fears to dampen our courage, instead of being creative we will remain comfortable and make no progress whatsoever. In this case we will not take an active part in historical processes but become mere onlookers as the Church gradually stagnates." (Pope Francis, *The Joy of the Gospel*, 2013)

	Mass Intentions This Week
Sat 15 th 6pm	Av. Peter Halligan
Sat. 15 th 7.30pm	Av. Linda, Oliver & Olive Matthews; Av. Tony Dunne; Av. Frank Hughes, Hughes Family & Trevor Murtagh
Sun 16 th 10.30am	<i>Pro Populo</i> (for the people of the parish)
Sun 16 th 11.30am	Av. Anthony Cunningham
Mon 17 th 10am	Av. John Gotts
Sat 22 nd 6pm	Av. Aine, Bride & Johnny Bellew & Moira Belton
Sat 22 nd 7.30pm	Av. Anna & John King; Av. Agnes & Bernard Wogan, Josephine Wogan (Sr. Lucina), Kieran & Ciaran Wogan & Gogan Family; Av. Gertie & Hugh Conlon & Coyle & Conlon Families; Av. Elizabeth McCullough & Family
Sun 23 rd 10.30am	<i>Pro Populo</i> (for the people of the parish)
Sun 23 rd 11.30am	Av. John & Elizabeth McArdle; Av. Molly & John Hogan; Av. Alice McKenna
Recently Deceased	Florrie Connolly Anne Caffrey

Tuesdays in Lent: *Lectio Divina* (guided prayer with Scripture) in St. Brigid's Church after 10am Mass.

Thursdays in Lent: Pre-recorded guided prayer with Scripture video posted to "Dunleer Parish Media" YouTube channel at 6pm.

Fridays in Lent: Stations of the Cross in St. Brigid's Church at 7.30pm, The Stations this coming Friday will be "Stations with St. Joseph."

St. Patrick's Day – Mass at 10am & 7pm