

## Weekend Masses

**St. Mary's: 6:00pm Saturday**  
**8:00am, 11:00am, 1:00pm Sunday**

**St. Oliver's: 7:00pm Saturday**  
**10:00am, 12:00noon Sunday:**

**Our Lady's Hospital: 9:00am Sunday**

## Weekday Masses

**St. Anne's: 8:00am Monday - Friday**  
**St. Mary's: 10:00am Monday - Saturday**  
**St. Oliver's: 9:15am Monday- Friday**



## Parish Office & Contact Details

Monday: **11am-1pm & 2pm-5pm**  
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Priest on Duty: **Fr Louis Illah**  
Funeral Duty: **Fr Robert McCabe**



The **Week of Prayer for Christian Unity** is being marked with a Service of Prayer in St Mary's Church of Ireland, Navan this **Sunday at 7:30pm**. This prayer service has been prepared by Christian communities in the Caribbean along a theme from the letter of St Paul to the Romans 8:27. *"That all may be Free"* is a challenge to reflect on the brokenness of Christian relationships so that present injustices and past prejudices may be named, acknowledged and healed.

**Sr Mary Hardiman** from Dunderry will share some aspects of life with parishioners and with prisoners from her missionary endeavours in the town of St Marc near Port-au-Prince in Haiti. Some of Sr Mary's work has been captured in a video which can be seen on [www.navanparish.ie/ChristianUnity](http://www.navanparish.ie/ChristianUnity).

Viewers will note the dignity and the faith of the people with whom Sr Mary spent many happy years. Her presence in Navan connects with the theme of this year's Week of Prayer for Christian unity. She will also provide a valuable antidote to some disrespectful comments about the region which have emerged recently. Refreshments will be served after the Service. All parishioners welcome.

**St Ultan's Special School community** will gather in St Oliver's Church for Mass at 12:00noon on **Tues** next in memory of their principal Rosemary Fahey who died on St Stephen's Day. R.I.P.

Parents past pupils, families and all who knew Miss Fahey are invited to attend.

Pupils from **St Patrick's Classical School** are preparing to visit Calcutta in the coming months. Next weekend they will be speaking at Masses in order to raise awareness and funds for their upcoming journey to meet and work with the sisters of Mother Teresa. All support is greatly appreciated.

Hundreds of visitors from different countries visit our parish on a daily basis thanks to our **Parish Webcam and the online Adoration Camera**. We will soon share some of the prayers requests and messages which we receive from online visitors.

Join us on [www.navanparish.ie/webcam](http://www.navanparish.ie/webcam)

**Lá 'le Bríde** 1 Feabhra 2018

**Candlemas** - 2 February - blessing of candles

**Feast of St Blaise** 3 February

## HYMN OF THE DAY

How lovely on the mountains are the feet of Him  
who brings good news, good news;  
announcing peace, proclaiming news of happiness.  
**Our God reigns, our God reigns!**

You watchmen lift your voices joyfully as one.  
Shout for your King, your King!  
See eye to eye the Lord restoring Zion  
**Our God reigns, our God reigns!**

Last Thursday the **Parish Pastoral Council** met to explore some opportunities which are presented by the World Meeting of Families in Dublin and the proposed visit of Pope Francis in August. We will be circulating some family prayer cards and **WMOF 2018 invitations** in the coming weeks. Details available next week also of our Lenten programme.

## RECENTLY DECEASED

**Brian O'Reilly**, Kilcarn Court  
**Sr Pius Sheridan**, St. Mary's Athlumney  
**Eamon Keating**, late of Balreask  
**Michael McGarry**, Chapel Road, Oristown  
**Fr Mattie Reilly SSC**, Dalgan Park  
**Clive David Allen**, Bunclody  
**Philomena Harte**, Manchester & Knockumber  
*Suaimhneas síoraí, tabhair dóibh, a Thiarna!*

The **Love Both** project promotes protection of mother and baby in pregnancy. Details from [www.loveboth.ie](http://www.loveboth.ie). Another site which we are glad to recommend is [www.onedaymore.ie](http://www.onedaymore.ie)

**Family Adoration** in St. Oliver's Church this Sunday at 3:45 pm . Children of all ages welcome.

**Supporting Meals on Wheels:** Sincere thanks to the following **Francis Deane (Live Crib)** for €850; **Anonymous** €400, €100, €50; €50

**Music Workshop Day** in St. Oliver's Church on Sat 10 Feb from 10:30am - 5:30pm . The workshop will be led by Blanaid Murphy (Director of the Palestrina Choir). Free admission. Just bring a pencil -all else will be provided. Details from 086-3540724.

## MASS SCHEDULE FOR THE THIRD WEEK IN ORDINARY TIME

SATURDAY:	<b>St. Mary's 6:00pm</b>	<b>Kathleen Cuffe</b> , Preston, England (Month's Mind)
	<b>St. Oliver's 7:00pm</b>	<b>John Wogan</b> , Windtown (First Anniversary)
SUNDAY:	<b>St. Mary's 11:00am</b>	<b>Vincent Blake</b> , Academy Street (Month's Mind)
	<b>St. Mary's 1:00pm</b>	<b>Anne Lyons</b> , Boyne Road (First Anniversary)
SATURDAY:	<b>St Mary's 10:00am</b>	<b>Anniversaries occurring:</b> Marion Gogarty - Frances Cremin - Michael Smyth - Molly Bartley - Eileen Dowdall - Doris Horgan née Clusker - Tom & Nancy McLoughlin - Paddy & Mary Boyle - Julia Boyle - Francis Cremin - Marie Lynch - Christina Reilly - Reilly fam - S.S. Devi - Anna Selva - Patsy Ratty - Maureen Malone - Hugh Brady - Eileen & Thomas Conlon - Madge Gaffney - Mary Jane Smith - Martin McCafferty - Mary McGoona - Mary Cahill - Kathleen Bradley - Bradley fam - Angela & Valentine Farrell - William Kelly - Angela Clarke - Michael Smyth & Mary Bartley - Peggie Smith - Mary Toole - Francis Kearney - Seamus Heaney - Hugh Fitzsimons - Paddy, Angela & James Casey - Patrick Carolan John & Nellie Cuddihy
	<b>St. Mary's 6:00pm</b>	<b>Yvonne O'Callaghan</b> , late of Parnell Park (Month's Mind)
	<b>St. Oliver's 7:00pm</b>	<b>Derek Reilly</b> , Mellows Terrance (First Anniversary)
SUNDAY:	<b>St Mary's 11:00am</b>	<b>Margaret Peggy Flynn née Gibney</b> , Mellows Terrance (First Anniv)
	<b>St. Oliver's 12noon</b>	<b>Ann Brady</b> , Blackcastle Estate (Month's Mind)
	<b>St. Mary's 1:00pm</b>	<b>Anne Nolan</b> , Silverlawn (First Anniversary)
	<b>St. Anne's 2:00pm</b>	<b>African Catholics' Community Mass</b>

We encourage all parents and godparents to support the young children who are preparing for their **First Confession** in the coming weeks. Confessions every Saturday in St Mary's at 12:00noon.

### Masses requested:

Eileen & Vincent Smyth & Eilish McNally - Audrey Gibney - Thomas & Bridget Sheridan (2) - Mattie Snr, Mattie Jnr & Ken McGoona, Anne McNulty & Helen Borez - Joe Cahill - Maggie & Johnny Fitzsimons - John Fitzsimons - Eileen & Vincent McNally & Eilish McNally née Smyth Jim & Kathleen Tancred

Many thanks to Parishioners who contributed to last Sunday's Collections  
**Offertory:** (plate collection) €4,012      **Development Fund:** (envelopes) €2,954  
Family Envelope Boxes are Available in the Parish Office

**THIS SPACE IS AVAILABLE FOR ADVERTISING TO READERS IN 2,000 HOMES**  
**DETAILS FROM THE PARISH OFFICE**      [WWW.NAVANPARISH.IE/CONTACT](http://WWW.NAVANPARISH.IE/CONTACT)

### COMMUNITY & LOCAL AREA NOTICES

**O'Mahony's GFC Bingo:**  
Tuesday at 8:45pm.

**Simonstown GFC Bingo:** Thurs  
at 8:45pm.

<b>Parish Bingo</b>	Monday
Community Centre	<b>8:45pm</b>
Snowball:	<b>€2,500. €650</b> if not won. <b>€75</b> per line. <b>Panel prizes €150 &amp; €280.</b> Up to <b>€100</b> lucky no.

**Navan Vincent de Paul** wish to acknowledge the generosity of the local community before Christmas. The churchgate collections amounted to €17,095



**St Vincent de Paul** freephone:  
**1800 677 777.**

**Holy Land Trip** 4-13 June with Fr Mark English. Details from Navan Travel, 046 9068600.

**Kingscourt Parish Pilgrimage to Loreto** 2-9 September 2018. Details: MAP Travel 01-8783111.

**Meath Partnership** Free SmartPhone or Tablet Classes in Claremont Stadium on 19 Jan from 10am - 12noon - Meath Partnership. 046 9280790

**Dunboyne College of Further Education** are offer a range of Adult Night Classes from 23 January 2018. Details: [www.dunboynecollege.ie](http://www.dunboynecollege.ie)

**Diabetes Programme** for all patients with TYPE 2 Diabetes in Navan. This free course runs for two and a half days. Tel (041) 6860766 for info.

**Singing for Wellbeing** in Trim Library on Thurs 25 Jan 7:00-8:30pm. Admission free.

Monthly meeting of the **Navan Red Cross Friendship Club** Sun next in the Parish Room 3:00pm-5:00pm. New members welcome.

The latest **Meath Local Sports Partnership** Ezine for Spring 2018 is now available. Packed full of news, updates & upcoming events. Click here to view [Meath LSP Winter/Spring Ezine 2018](#)

**An Tobar** Retreat & Spirituality Centre Ardraccan: Mindfulness Course 30 Jan. For information tel 046-9078973