

WEEKEND MASSES

St. Mary's: 6:00pm Saturday
8:00am, 11:00am, Sunday
St. Oliver's: 7:00pm Saturday
10:00am, Sunday
Our Lady's Hospital: 9:00am Sunday
St. Oliver's: 9:15am Monday - Friday
St. Mary's: 10:00am Monday - Saturday

SATURDAY CONFESSIONS

St. Mary's Church from 12:00-1:00pm
St. Oliver's after 7:00pm Vigil Mass



PARISH OFFICE & CONTACT DETAILS

Monday: **11am-1pm & 2pm-5pm**
Tuesday-Friday: **9am-1pm; 2pm-5pm**
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Priest on Duty: **Fr Declan Hurley**
Funeral Duty: **Fr Kevin Heery**

The 12:00noon & 1:00pm Masses are cancelled next Sunday so that clergy, parish staff and parishioners can attend Mass with Pope Francis and the pilgrim families of the world in the Phoenix Park. **Please share this information with neighbours and relations who might normally attend the 12:00noon and 1:00pm Masses.** More details on www.navanparish.ie/wmof2018

World Meeting of Families in our Parish

Monday 20 August

Arrival of Fr José Enriquez with 10 families from the diocese of Léira-Fatima to host families in Navan.

Tuesday 21 August

St Mary's Church 7:30pm

All families around Navan are invited to join with neighbouring parishes in a prayerful gathering in St Mary's from 7:30pm – 8:20pm. A reflective time of gathering and renewal of baptismal promises will also offer a focus on the icon of the Holy Family. Refreshments afterwards in the Community Centre.

Wednesday 22 - Friday 24 August

RDS Congress: Coaches will depart from Fair Green at 8:00am. Tickets for buses travelling to all WMOF2018 events must be secured by payment at Parish Booking Office, **Monday & Tuesday from 9:30am - 3:30pm** (open through lunchtime).

All buses are fully booked for the events on Wednesday, Saturday & Sunday. A limited number of tickets are available for RDS events on Thursday and Friday.

Saturday 25 August

Festival of Families in Croke Park

Details from Parish Office on Monday & Tuesday. This ceremony will be broadcast live on RTÉ.

Sunday 26 August

Papal Mass in Phoenix Park: Tickets have been issued as a 'print at home' ticket. ALL NINE PARISH BUSES FULLY BOOKED. **Booking Office** open 9:30am - 3:30pm, Monday and Tuesday for payment.

BAPTISED INTO OUR PARISH FAMILY

Finley Robert Brian Clements
Rose Elizabeth MacSweeney
Anna Grace Turner

UNITED IN MARRIAGE BEFORE THE ALTAR OF GOD

Niamh Farrell & Isaac Lobo
Catriona Joyce & John Joyce

MAY THE LIGHT OF HEAVEN SHINE ON THEM

Paul Kane, Graigs Lane
Eamonn Keeleghan, Woodlands
Sheila Sexton, St. Brigid's Villas
Bridget Gaughan, Ros na Rí
Almantas Simanavicius, Limekiln

PRAYER FOR THE WORLD MEETING OF FAMILIES

God, our Father,
We are brothers and sisters in Jesus your Son,
One family, in the Spirit of your love.
Bless us with the joy of love.
Make us patient and kind,
gentle and generous,
welcoming to those in need.
Help us to live your forgiveness and peace.
Protect all families with your loving care,
Especially those for whom we now pray:

[We pause and remember family members and others by name].

Increase our faith,
Strengthen our hope,
Keep us safe in your love,
Make us always grateful
for the gift of life that we share.
This we ask, through Christ our Lord,
Amen.

Mary, mother and guide, pray for us.
Saint Joseph, father and protector, pray for us.
Saints Joachim and Anne, pray for us.
Saints Louis and Zélie Martin, pray for us.

HYMN FOR TODAY

Love bears all things, endures all things
Love longs for all things good, love never ends.

Love is patient, and love is kind.
Love is not resentful; it is not rude.
Love is not arrogant, nor boastful, nor jealous
But love rejoices, rejoices in the truth.

The joy of love, a joy for all God's family,
The joy of love transcending time and space.
Our love for each other mirrors God the Father's love.
The joy of love: a joy for all the earth.

Here in God's family all find their home.
All can find salvation troubled souls find peace.
Here is found tenderness, compassion and justice.
Here God reaches down to us and touches us with grace.

Well done to all the **Leaving Certificate Students** who received their results. May God direct you in the next stage of your journey, and a thank you to the schools for the tireless work and support of our young parishioners

Rosary every day in St. Mary's Church at 6:30pm.

National Grandparents Pilgrimage to Knock: Sun 9 Sept. Bus from Fairgreen 7.45am. Booking 087-9408195 or 087-6556386.

Supporting Meals on Wheels: Sincere thanks to **Christine Reilly** for €10.

MASS SCHEDULE FOR THE TWENTIETH WEEK IN ORDINARY TIME

Saturday	St. Mary's 6:00pm	Rose Carolan , Proudstown Hill (Month's Mind)
	St. Oliver's 7:00pm	Nicola Curry , Kennedy Crescent (Month's Mind)
Sunday	St. Mary's 11:00am	May Seery , Boyne Road (Month's Mind)
	St. Mary's 1:00pm	Christy Nolan , Kilcarn Court (Month's Mind)
Saturday	St. Mary's 10:00am	Anniversaries occurring: Fred & Tera McDonagh - Jennie Conlon - Dermot Callaghan - Alan Callaghan - Mary McLoughlin - Jacqueline McDonagh - Gary Tully - Annie McDonagh (2) - William Dowdall - Mary & Anne O'Rourke - John, Catherine & Leo Murray - Sis & John Norris - Thomas Gaffney - Michael Whelan - Tom Walsh - Sean Lawlor - Mary & James Watters - Ann Smyth - Michael Curley - Tom Dowdall
	St. Mary's 6:00pm	Aiden O'Donnell , Beechmount Lawns (Month's Mind)
Sunday	St. Oliver's 10:00am	Christopher Rogers , Beechdale Drive (Month's Mind)
	St. Mary's 11:00am	Seamus Conlon , Trim Road (First Anniversary)

Masses requested: Christy & Delia Callaghan - Frank McDonagh - Francie McDonagh - Stanley McDonagh - Cyril McDonagh - Maeva Toomes, req of Res of Connolly Avenue (8) - Teresa Gaffney & Helen Weldon - Sean Coffey - Conrad Sharkey (2) - Teresa Boland née Sharkey

Parish Pilgrimage to Poland in the footsteps of St. Faustina and Pope St. John Paul II, 1st - 6th October
€750 per person sharing, half-board. Contact the Parish Office for information

The annual **TARA-SLANE PILGRIMAGE WALK** will take place on Saturday 22nd September this year.
More information to follow in the coming weeks.

Singers from Navan and many parishes are busy preparing for the WMOF ceremonies in the RDS and in the Phoenix Park. See our dedicated parish website page for details of the rehearsals which have been held recently by the Meath diocesan choir. MeathDaily TV have an interview with Fr Robert on www.navanparish.ie/wmof2018

Many thanks to our Parishioners who contributed to last Sunday's Collections
Offertory: (plate collection) €3,435 **August Offerings:** (envelopes) €4,639,
Family Envelope Boxes are available in the Parish Office.

ST MARY'S PARISH SHOP IS NOW OPEN DURING LUNCHTIME

Opening Hours: Monday - Friday 9:30 am - 5:00pm; Saturday 10:00am - 4:00pm

www.navanparish.ie/shop

Tel 046-9027518 Ext 127

This space is Available for Advertising to readers in 2,000 homes. Details from the Parish Office

COMMUNITY & LOCAL AREA NOTICES

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

O'Mahony's GFC Bingo Tues 8:45.

Simonstown Bingo Thurs 8:45.

Bective/Cannistown Bingo, this Sun 19 August at 3:30pm

One Day Retreat to Lough Derg Sat 1 September. Info: 085-1677325 before 15 August.



Divine Mercy Conference in Ardboyne Hotel on Sat 8 Sept from 2:00pm - 5:30pm. Guest Speaker Professor William Thomas. The National Virgin Pilgrim statue will be present along with numerous relics. Contact 085-8021382.

Pilgrimage to Medjugorje: 17 Oct for 7 night half board on sharing basis €669. Tel 08508021382 Fr Ray Kelly Spiritual Director.

Join Navan Tidy Towns Committee. For info contact 087-0651829 and join the Facebook group created to get involved.

Navan Red Cross Friendship Club monthly meeting on this Sun 19 Aug in Parish Room from 3:00pm - 5:00pm. New members welcome.

Drogheda & North East Samaritans Recruitment Information Sessions Tues 28 Aug or Sat 1 Sept at 2 Leland Place, Stockwell Street, Drogheda. Tel 041-9843844

August Recovery Meeting every Thurs 8:00pm at Dalgan Park for people suffering from Anxiety, Panic, Anger, Depression, Bipolar. Tel 01-6260775 or www.recoveryireland.ie

LMETB: Further Education & Training Open Day in Newgrange Hotel On Tues next 21 Aug from 10:00am - 1:00pm

The Official Opening of **Vincents** in Blackcastle Shopping Centre will be held on 22 August from 3:00pm - 5:00pm. All welcome.

