

#### WEEKEND MASSES

St Mary's: 6:00pm Saturday Vigil  
8:00am, 11:00am, 1:00pm Sunday  
St Oliver's: 7:00pm Saturday Vigil  
10:00am, 12:00 Sunday  
OUR LADY'S HOSPITAL: 9:00am Sunday

#### WEEKDAY MASSES

ST ANNE'S: 8:00am Monday - Friday  
ST OLIVER'S: 9:15am Monday - Friday  
ST MARY'S: 10:00am Monday - Saturday

#### SATURDAY CONFESSIONS

ST MARY'S 12:00noon - 1:00pm  
ST OLIVER'S after 7:00pm Vigil Mass



"My friend, move up higher!"

#### ST MARY'S PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Monday: 11am - 1pm; 2pm - 5pm  
Tuesday-Friday: 9am - 1pm; 2pm - 5pm

Telephone: 046-9027518  
email: office@navanparish.ie



Online Broadcast from St Mary's  
[www.navanparish.ie/webcam](http://www.navanparish.ie/webcam)

PRIEST ON DUTY: Fr Louis Illah  
FUNERAL DUTY: Fr Robert McCabe

#### Blessing of Pupils and their Schoolbags

We invite Primary School pupils and their parents/guardians to the annual blessing of schoolbags which will be celebrated on **Monday 9 September at 3:15pm** in St Mary's Church and in St Oliver's Church.



#### PARISH CATECHETICAL PROGRAMME

Parents of children in schools NOT under the patronage of the Bishop of Meath are welcome to apply for the Parish Catechetical Programme.

Children in second class or above can now apply for a preparation programme leading to First Penance in 2020, First Holy Communion in 2021, and Confirmation in 2023 (*note change*).

Children who have already received First Penance and First Holy Communion can apply for a preparation programme leading to Confirmation in 2021.

Application forms are available from the church sacristies or from the Parish Office.

**Closing date for receipt of applications is Monday 30<sup>th</sup> September 2019.**

The next **baptism meeting** will take place on **Wed next 4 Sept**. Participants are asked to book their place on the course via the parish office. There will be **no course** on Wednesday 11 September.

#### RECENTLY BAPTISED

Evanas Bučus  
Jack Aaron Pullen  
Layla McMeel  
Bradley Christopher Kelly  
Olivia Mairead Byrnes

#### RECENTLY DECEASED

Pat Pearse, Claremont Estate  
Michael Reynolds, Abbeygrove  
Ann Smith, Graig's Lane  
John Foley, Blackcastle Estate

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

#### REGISTRATION FOR ST OLIVER'S CHILDREN'S CHOIR

Registration will take place for current and new members on Wed 11 Sept 6:30pm-7:15pm in St. Oliver's Church. **Children MUST** accompany parents to complete registration forms. Children from Second class upwards are welcome to register.

#### PARISH SCHOOLS' PREPARATION FOR 2019-2020

Parents/guardians who wish to enrol children (from parish primary schools) for Confirmation in 2020 are asked to attend a meeting in St Mary's Church at 8:00pm on **Monday 16 September**.

A meeting for families who are preparing for First Confession & First Holy Communion will take place in St Mary's at 8:00pm on **Tuesday 17 September**.

#### HYMN FOR TODAY

All people that on earth do dwell,  
Sing to the Lord with cheerful voice;  
Serve him with gladness, praise him well;  
Come now before him and rejoice

Know that the Lord is God indeed,  
In his great love created man:  
God is our shepherd, every need  
He has supplied since time began

**Expectant Mothers** are invited to receive a blessing after the 6:00pm Vigil Mass on Sat next in St Mary's Church at the Shrine of Our Lady of Perpetual Help.

**Teams of Our Lady:** Family Picnic at Ardgillan Castle, Balbriggan, **this Sun 12:00 pm**. Playground, walks, gardens & coffee shop. All are welcome. Free parking and entrance to grounds.

#### National Grandparents Pilgrimage to Knock:

Sun next 8 Sept. Bus from Fairgreen 7:45am.  
Booking 087-940 8195 or 087-655 6386.

**National St. Pio Day at Knock** Sun 22 Sept. Bus leaves Fair Green 8:00am. Enquiries to 087 3131293, 046-9027115 or 046-9072239

**Life in the Spirit Seminars** begin on 25 Sept from 7:30pm - 9:30pm in St Oliver's Church, and will continue until 13 Nov. This year's theme is "*Seek and you will find; knock and the door will be opened to you.*" (Luke 11:9). Info from 086-2338971 or 086-3088334. See [www.navanparish.ie/lifeintheSpirit](http://www.navanparish.ie/lifeintheSpirit)

**Hospital Visits:** Please contact the parish office if one of your relations or neighbours might appreciate a visit in a hospital or nursing home outside the parish.

The weekly meeting of **Navan Active Retirement** will resume on Thurs next in community Centre at 10:30am.

## MASS SCHEDULE FOR THE TWENTY-SECOND WEEK IN ORDINARY TIME – 1– 7 SEPTEMBER 2019

<b>Saturday:</b>	<b>St. Mary's 6:00pm</b>	<b>Phyllis Carroll</b> , Athlumney (First Anniversary)
<b>Sunday:</b>	<b>St. Mary's 11:00am</b>	<b>Celina Okodogbe</b> (First Anniversary)
	<b>St. Mary's 1:00pm</b>	<b>Philomena Dunphy</b> , Connolly Avenue (Month's Mind)
<b>Wednesday:</b>	<b>St. Mary's 8:00pm</b>	<b>St. Pio Mass</b>
<b>Thursday:</b>	<b>St Oliver's 7:30pm</b>	<b>Mass for pilgrims travelling on the Meath pilgrimage to Lourdes</b>
<b>Friday:</b>	<b>All Masses offered for those whose names are on the Parish List of the Dead.</b>	
<b>Saturday:</b>	<b>St. Mary's 10:00am</b>	<b>Anniversaries occurring</b> : Mary Jane Connell – Kevin, Vincent & Bridie Gilsean – Dick Stapleton – William McLarney – Gerry Byrne – Liam & Kitty Walsh – Michael Sweeney – P. J. Cassells – John Walsh – Thomas Moyles – Monsignor Tom Fallon – Hilary Brady – Shelia & Finn Owens – Monica Brady – Liam Spillane – Donna Spillane – Paul Peppard – John Lightholder – Michael Lightholder
<b>Saturday:</b>	<b>St. Mary's 6:00pm</b>	<b>Monica Parker</b> , St. Benildus Villas (First Anniversary)
	<b>St. Oliver's 7:00pm</b>	<b>Michael 'Mickey' Leddy</b> , Juniper Avenue (Month's Mind)
<b>Sunday:</b>	<b>St. Mary's 11:00am</b>	<b>Francis O'Reilly</b> , St. Ultan's Terrace (Month's Mind)
	<b>St. Mary's 1:00pm</b>	<b>Julia Newman</b> , Dean Cogan Place (Month's Mind)

**Masses requested:** Patrick, Teresa, Jimmy & Anne Ratty – Conrad Sharkey (2) – Patrick Wolfe – May Bradley – Bridie Farrer – Dermot Dunphy – Pat & Anthony Rogers – Phyllis & Joseph O'Hagan – Rose Kinsella – Michael & Mark Brady – Bridget Rowe (2)

### MANY THANKS TO OUR PARISHIONERS WHO CONTRIBUTED TO LAST SUNDAY'S COLLECTIONS

Offertory (plate collection): **€3,610** Development Fund: **€2,425** Webcam donations by Paypal: **€190**

**A new envelope system** (as outlined at all Masses in recent weeks) is coming into operation in our Parish from the first Sunday of October 2019. This will enable our Parish to record both the Development Fund and the Basket collection. All parishioners are asked to register (via the green application forms in both churches) to indicate your preferred means of contributing (envelope box or standing order). This will also allow us to update our parish records.

### ST MARY'S PARISH SHOP IS OPEN DURING LUNCHTIME

Monday - Saturday 9:30am - 5:00pm; Sunday after 11am & 1pm Masses Tel **046-9027518** Ext **127**



### NAVAN PIONEER CENTENARY CELEBRATION SATURDAY 19 OCTOBER 2019

6:00pm Mass in St Mary's celebrated by Bishop Deenihan. Social in the Newgrange Hotel. Tickets will be available from Committee members in the Parish Shop from 08 September.

### COMMUNITY & LOCAL AREA NOTICES

**St Mary's Parish Bingo** takes place every Monday in the Community Centre at **8:45pm**. Panel **€150**. Jackpot Sheet **€150** per line and **€1,000** per panel.

**O'Mahony's Bingo:** Tues 8:45pm  
**Simonstown Bingo:** Thurs 8:45pm  
**Bective GFC Bingo:** Sun 15 Sept 3:00pm

**An Autumn Day in Dalgan** with Dr John Feehan on Sat 7 Sept from 9:30am-4:00pm at Columban Ecological Institute, St. Columban's, Dalgan Park. For info [devofficemail@gmail.com](mailto:devofficemail@gmail.com) Cost €20.

**Meath Local Sports Partnership** is aiming to beat the record for the largest chair based exercise to music 6 Sept @11:00am – 12:00pm in Simonstown GAA Centre. Email [mlsp@meathcoco.ie](mailto:mlsp@meathcoco.ie) or call 0469067337 for info.

**Navan Camera Club** Enrolment 2 Sept 7:30pm in Clubhouse, Liscarton at 7:30pm. 8 week Beginners course Tues 10 Sept. All grades welcome. [www.navancameraclub.ie](http://www.navancameraclub.ie)

**Royal Tara Bridge Club** resumes 6 Sept at 7:20pm in St. Columban's Dalgan Park. New members welcome  
**St. Michael's Bridge Club** resumes Mon 9 Sept at 7:30pm.  
**Blackwater Bridge Club** resumes Tues 10 Sept at 7:30pm

**Dowdstown Counselling Services** offer individual support. Appointments via 046-903 1196. [www.dowdstowncounsellingservices.com](http://www.dowdstowncounsellingservices.com)

**Meath Alzheimer Cafe:** Wed, 4 Sept, from 7.00 - 9.00 p.m. in The Pastoral Centre, Dunshaughlin. **Contact: Day Centre at 046-9027007.**

**Rathkenny Revels AGM** will take place in Rathkenny Hall on Mon the 9 Sept at 8.30pm. All Welcome.

**Navan Career** Starts new program for unemployed people on Sept 9. Tel: 046-9031418 or 086-8273857

**St. Mary's Musical Society** are holding a read through for their pantomime "Aladdin" on Thurs 5 Sept at 8.00pm. Open to all adults. Auditions on Sun 8 Sept. A registration evening for children and teens on Tues 3 Sept at 7.30pm in Community Centre.

**Irish Dancing classes** in Community Centre begins Sat 7 Sept 2-3pm. Tel to 086 158 3811

**Clonfert:** Bus leaving St. Oliver's Sat next at 7:30am & St. Mary's at 7:50am. Tel. 087-9837741

New beginners **LineDance Class** in Scoil Mhuire 11 Sept at 8:10pm

Auction in aid of **Athboy Parish** Sun next 8 Sept at 2:00pm in Athboy Community Centre