

St Mary's: 6pm [Sat Vigil]
9am, 11am, 1pm [Sun]
St Oliver's: 7pm [Vigil]
8am, 10am, 12noon [Sun]

Monday – Friday
7:30am (St Mary's)
Monday – Saturday
9:30am (St Mary's)
Monday – Friday
7:30pm (St Oliver's)



Happy Feast of St James (25 July) to our parishioners who have made the pilgrimage to his Shrine!

Parish Office Hours
Monday: 11am – 5pm
Tuesday – Friday: 9am – 5pm
[Lunch break daily from 1pm – 2pm]
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PRIEST ON DUTY: Fr Robert McCabe
FUNERAL DUTY: Fr Declan Hurley

Sacrament of Confirmation, Tuesday 25th August

Bishop Deenihan will administer the Sacrament of Confirmation in our Parish on Tuesday 25 August. He will be assisted by Bishop Smith and the Vicars General. The ceremonies have been organised in line with current restrictions which allow for churches to be divided into separate sections with a limit of 50 persons per section.



St. Mary's Church

St. Anne's, Scoil Mhuire, Scoil Éanna	10:30am
St. Joseph's Mercy, St. Ultan's	12:30pm
St. Oliver Plunkett	3:30pm
Scoil Bhríde Cannistown	5:30pm

St. Oliver's Church

Scoil Naomh Eoin	10:30am
St. Paul's (1)	12:30pm
St. Paul's (2)	3:30pm

The schools and the Parish will communicate directly with the children, their parents/guardians, and sponsors to help everybody prepare for the day.

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION: We are planning (in so much as we can!) to celebrate this Sacrament in late September / October. Dates and times will be announced in line with government and health authority guidelines for that time. Parents can enrol for email updates via sacraments@navanparish.ie

CONFESSION: A "Confession area" has been created in St. Mary's church. ALL welcome to celebrate God's mercy on Saturdays 12 noon to 1pm.

BAPTISMS: To arrange a Baptism, please contact the Parish at office@navanparish.ie or 046 - 902 7518.

ALTAR SERVERS: We invite parents/guardians to contact the Parish Office to plan a return to duties.

To receive our parish bulletin by email, register at www.navanparish.ie/bulletin

Bishop Deenihan will celebrate the annual Mass of Chrism on Tuesday 28 July in the Cathedral of Christ the King, Mullingar. This Mass which is usually celebrated during Holy Week has been deferred due to the Corona-virus pandemic. Holy Oils and Sacred Chrism will be blessed for use in the celebration of Baptism, Confirmation, Ordination and Anointing of the Sick.

We invite parishioners to join us in prayer online via www.mullingarparish.ie/livestream from 7:00pm.

First Friday calls to the housebound.

We are glad to announce the resumption of our First Friday calls at the beginning of August. The priests of the parish will follow the same schedule of visits to those who are living on their own in the town and in the country townlands of our parish.

We will be following the same health and safety and sanitizing protocols as we visit the homes of the sick and elderly in our community.

ADORATION in St. Mary's church every day 2pm to 7pm (Saturdays 2pm to 5pm).

24/7 livestreaming from the Adoration Chapel. Thanks to parishioners who are keeping their Holy Hour during the week. We ask you to remember the Confirmation candidates and their sponsors as they recommit to exploring their faith and prepare for the gift of God's Holy Spirit.

RECENTLY BAPTISED

Layla Duffy Murphy
Rian Edward Bradley McGuinness
Eva Blake McGuinness

BLESSING OF EXPECTANT PARENTS resumes after the 6pm Mass from next Saturday 1 August at the Shrine of Our Lady of Perpetual Help and on the first Saturday of every month.

Supporting Meals-on-Wheels during the COVID-19 crisis: Anonymous €50

ACCORD free and confidential *Relationships Support Phone Line* offers support to those experiencing extra pressure due to social restrictions caused by the COVID-19 pandemic: **01 531 3331**

For parishioners who do not have internet, **Daily Mass** is on RTÉ News Now on Saorview 21 or Sky 521. If you have appreciated the public broadcast of Mass, we invite you to drop a note of thanks to The Religious Department, RTE, Donnybrook, Dublin 4.

The Parish Pastoral Council wish to express a word of gratitude to all who have helped us to adapt to our prayer together these past few weeks.

Thanks to all our volunteers in both churches and to all our parishioners. Your patient and prayerful cooperation is making a difference around our parish.

We have chosen some scripture quotations to guide congregations for these times.



Approach routes and doors of
St Mary's & St Oliver's
**"I rejoiced when I heard them
say, let us go to God's house!"**
(Psalm 122:1)



Face covering are very welcome
**"It is your face, O Lord that I
seek. Hide not your face"**
(Psalm 27:8)



Hand sanitising stations
**"Those with clean hands and
pure heart shall climb the
mountain of the Lord."**
(Psalm 24:4)



Stewards will assist with collection
baskets at the exit doors. Thank
you for your generous support.
**"A thanksgiving sacrifice
I make."** (Psalm 116)

SEVENTEENTH WEEK IN ORDINARY TIME 26 JULY – 1 AUGUST 2020

We invite families and neighbours of those listed below to join us via the livestream at the time arranged.

Saturday:	St. Mary's 6:00pm	Philomena Dunphy , Connolly Avenue (First Anniversary)
	St. Oliver's 7:00pm	John Coghlan , Clare (First Anniversary)
Sunday:	St. Oliver's 10:00am	Liam McGough , Blackcastle Estate (Month's Mind)
	St. Mary's 11:00am	Francis O'Reilly , St. Ultan's Terrace (First Anniversary)
	St. Mary's 1:00pm	Dorothy Leahy , Balreask Manor (First Anniversary)
	St. Oliver's 2:00pm	African Mass
Monday:	St. Mary's 9:30am	St. Joseph's Young Priests – prayer for vocations
Thursday:	St. Mary's 9:30am	Divine Mercy devotions before Mass
Saturday:	St. Mary's 9:30am	Anniversaries: Frank McDonagh – Catherine Bedford – Colm McEvoy – Eamonn & Paul Fennessy – Thomas Clarke – Toddy Boyle – Jane Moran & dec mem Moran fam – Frank & Betty Moran – Matthew & Margaret Leonard – Maura Halpin – Patrick Hand – Margaret Fitzsimons – Nellie Ryan – Bertie & Bridget Carroll – Mary Carolan – John O'Neill
Saturday:	St. Mary's 6:00pm	Julia Newman , Dean Cogan Place (First Anniversary)
Sunday:	St. Mary's 11:00am	Margaret 'Maggie' Brennan , Mellows Terrace (Month's Mind)
	St. Mary's 1:00pm	Sinead McNamee , Flower Hill (Month's Mind)

Masses requested: James, Gertrude & Bernie Lane – dec mem Fennessy fam & Edward Knox – Patrick, Jimmy, Teresa & Anne Ratty – Moira, Mattie, Audrey & Jimmy Proctor – Edward, Jane & Johanna Moyles – Dolores, Seamus, Kathleen & Bob Collins – Eddie & Betty O'Toole & Joan Rattigan – Brian & Bridie O'Connor – Henry & Rita McKiernan & Kevin Honan – Kevin, Mary & Bridie Coogan – Colm Irwin & Laura Kenny

Sincere thanks to Parishioners who delivered envelopes from Last Sunday's collection or who contributed by Standing Order last week. Thanks also to our online viewers and the new "virtual" parishioners who have been making donations to support the running costs of the parish via www.paypal.me/NavanParish.

Contributions to last Sunday's collections from envelopes handed in at the Parish Office

Basket collection: €4,043

Development Fund: €2,904

Trócaire: €140

COMMUNITY & LOCAL NOTICES

COVID-19 Support Line for Older People: ALONE manage a national support line and additional supports for older people who have concerns or are facing difficulties relating to the outbreak of COVID-19 (Coronavirus). Professional staff are available to answer queries and give advice and reassurance where necessary. The support line is open seven days a week, 8:00am – 8:00pm, by calling 0818 222 024.

Navan Order of Malta welcomes donations through their "go-fund-me" link on their Facebook page.

Dowdstown Counselling Services 046-903 1196. www.dowdstowncounsellingservices.com

St Vincent de Paul Confidential line: 1800 677 777