

Sunday Masses

St Mary's: 6pm [Vigil]

9am, 11am, 1pm [Sunday]

See changes below from 20 September

St Oliver's: 7pm [Vigil]

8am, 10am, 12noon [Sun]

8:00am St Mary's [Mon - Fri]

9:30am St Mary's [Mon - Sat]

7:30pm St Oliver's [Mon - Fri]



St Mary's Parish Office

Monday: 11am - 5pm

Tuesday - Friday: 9am - 5pm

[Lunch break daily from 1pm - 2pm]

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PRIEST ON DUTY: Fr Declan Hurley



from Sunday 20 September 2020

St Mary's Church

Vigil 6:00pm

Sunday 8:30am & 10:00am

11:30am & 1:00pm

St Oliver's Church

Vigil 7:00pm

Sunday 8:00am & 10:00am

12:00noon

A REVISED SCHEDULE OF MASSES is published above.

The main changes relate to Sunday Mass in St Mary's. The additional Mass will enable an additional 200 parishioners to attend Sunday Mass.

We are very grateful to the volunteers who have enabled this change to be implemented. **We would like to hear from some more potential volunteers or families so that we can sustain the disinfecting schedule which has been in operation since June.**

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION 2020 Revised dates have been circulated to all parents and guardians. We ask you to continue rehearsing the prayers of the Mass with First Communion candidates. Please visit: www.navanparish.ie/FirstHolyCommunion2020.

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION ALL are invited to celebrate God's mercy on Saturdays 12 noon - 1pm in St Mary's and in St Oliver's Church on Saturdays after the 7pm Mass.

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

ACCORD's 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**

DAILY & WEEKEND SCRIPTURE READINGS available via **Universalis** link on www.navanparish.ie

HYMN FOR TODAY

Christ be beside me, Christ before me,
Christ behind me King of my heart;
Christ within me, Christ below me,
Christ above me never to part.

Christ on my right hand, Christ on my left hand,
Christ all around me shield in strife;
Christ in my sleeping, Christ in my sitting,
Christ in my rising light of my life.

Christ beside me, Christ before me,
Christ behind me King of my heart;
Christ within me, Christ below me,
Christ above me never to part.

BLESSING OF SCHOOL BAGS: On Monday 14 September, pupils are invited to meet their school chaplains after school at the doors of St Mary's Church or at the doors of St Oliver's Church. This short blessing ceremony was delayed until this week in order to give classes time to settle back to a new rhythm of work and study. **Beannacht Dé ar an obair agus ar an lucht oibre!**

RECENTLY BAPTISED INFANTS

Emmy & Evie Tobin
Lux Ettie Rose Horan
Thomas Joseph Moran

RECENTLY DECEASED

Harry Clarke McDermott, Belcourt Estate
Noel Burns, Old Road, Athlumney
Victor Chinaka, Nigeria

FEAST DAYS NEXT WEEK:

Mon: The Exaltation of the Holy Cross
Tues: Our Lady of Sorrows
Wed: Ss Cornelius & Cyprian, bishops & martyrs
Thurs: St Robert, patron of catechists.
Sat: Memorial of Our Lady

ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT continues at the Sacred Heart Altar daily from 2pm - 7pm.

Adorers are needed for the following hours:

Friday: 4:00pm-5:00pm

Saturday: 2:00pm - 3:00pm

Contact 046 907 0596

National Grandparents Pilgrimage to Knock takes place this Sunday 13 September. Join livestream from Knock basilica at www.knockshrine.ie/watch

The RTÉ Mass at 10:30am on Tuesday 15 September from St Mary's, Navan will include prayers for the pilgrims from the diocese of Meath who are unable to travel to Lourdes this year.

Details and links are available at www.dioceseofmeath.ie/lourdes2020

On Thursday next 17 September, a candle will be lighting at the Grotto for the Meath pilgrimage group. Pilgrims' intentions will also be included during the English Rosary at 2pm (Irish time) and the 4pm Mass which follows later that afternoon.

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

Supporting Meals-on-Wheels:
Thanks to Jan Muylaert for €150



Daily Mass is on RTE NEWS on Saorview 21 or Sky 521

If you appreciate the public broadcast of Mass, we encourage you to drop a note to The Religious Department, RTE, Donnybrook, Dublin 4.

**“Set, O Lord, a guard over my mouth.
Keep watch at the door of my lips!”**

[Psalm 131]

The use of face-coverings, hand-washing and social distancing is recommended for all indoor gatherings at this time.

We remind parishioners to remove their face-coverings immediately before the priest or the Extraordinary Minister says “The Body of Christ.”

Children are welcome to approach the priest at this time with their arms crossed for a blessing. Please also ensure that social distancing is observed while leaving the church

TWENTY-FOURTH SUNDAY & WEEK IN ORDINARY TIME 13 - 19 SEPTEMBER 2020

Saturday:	St. Mary's 6:00pm	Audrey Cassidy , Oakleigh (<i>Month's Mind</i>)
	St. Oliver's 7:00pm	Ann Hussey , Liscarton (<i>Month's Mind</i>)
Sunday:	St. Mary's 9:00am	Michael Ball , late of Knockumber (<i>Month's Mind</i>)
	St. Oliver's 12:00pm	Eugene 'Gene' Garvey , St. Mary's Park (<i>First Anniversary</i>)
	St. Mary's 1:00pm	Christy Meehan , Reask Crescent & late of Carrickmacross (<i>Month's Mind</i>)
Saturday:	St. Mary's 9:30am	Anniversaries: Julia & Stephen Kane – Sophia Peel – Oliver Rennicks – Rose Rowe – George 'Guggy' Gibney – Larry Reilly – Bernard & Elizabeth Markey – Terence & Sarah O'Reilly – Margaret & James Walsh – Sean Holland – Kiely & Holland fam – Aidan Rafferty – Fred Toner – Seamus & Maire Daly – Mary, Pat & Neil Daly – Carmel Fox – Alice Henry (2) – Patrick & Brigid O'Connor & dec mem Walsh & O'Connor fam - Judy Brady – Terry Skelly – Olive Hoskins – Conrad Sharkey – Roger Hanratty - Thomas Conlon – James & Margaret Walsh- Dolores Collins – Helen Borez
Saturday:	St. Mary's 6:00pm	Cellie Bennett , Woodlands (<i>First Anniversary</i>)
Sunday:	St. Mary's 1:00pm	Joseph Levins , Moatlands Drive (<i>First Anniversary</i>)

Masses requested: Josie King née Gibney – Bridget Rowe – Mary Cassidy – Denis & Bridie Miller – John Foley – Benny & Alice Mahon – Liam & Julia Murray – Mary, Mattie Snr, Mattie Jnr & Ken McGoona & Ann McNulty

Collections from last weekend and envelopes received at the Parish Office:

Basket collection: €4,184 Autumn Offerings: €2,589 Recent Paypal donations : €3,210.

Sincere thanks to our Parishioners who contributed by envelope or by Standing Order last week.

Thanks also to those who have made donations via www.paypal.me/NavanParish.

The Parish envelope system is being renewed at present and will be ready from the first Sunday of October 2020. We are grateful to all parishioners who completed a green Envelope Request form last year. These have been kept on file and are allowing us to prepare the 2021 envelope system. Additional Registration forms are available in both churches for parishioners who might not yet be contributing by envelope and whose may wish to do so. See www.navanparish.ie/support
The generosity of parishioners - particularly since March - has facilitated a continuum of pastoral care and spiritual support during a very difficult year. **Nár laga Dia sibh!**

COMMUNITY & LOCAL NOTICES

St Vincent de Paul Confidential line: 1800 677 777

COVID-19 Club Grants of up to €1,500 available via Meath Local Sports Partnership (LSP). www.meathsports.ie.

COVID-19 Support Line for Older People: is open seven days a week, 8:00am – 8:00pm, by calling 0818 222 024.

Dowdstown Counselling Services offer counselling on a wide range of issues. You can contact us on 046 903 1196 . Website: www.dowdstowncounsellingservices.com

Bective GFC Bingo will take place this **Sunday 13 September at 3:00pm**