



Parish of Dunboyne and Kilbride.

Saturday, 2nd – Sunday, 10th September, 2017.

Priest on Duty: **Fr. Michael Hinds C.C.** Telephone: 01-8255342.

<p align="center">Parish Office Hours: Monday, Tuesday, Thursday & Friday (closed Wednesday) 9.30 am – 1.00 pm; 1.30 – 5.00 pm. Email: dunboynekilbride.parish@gmail.com. Website: www.dunboynekilbrideparish.org.</p>	Dunboyne Offertory Collection	€1,223.00
	Dunboyne Development Fund	€1,528.00
	Kilbride Offertory Collection	€222.76
	Kilbride Development Fund	€106.20
	Kilbride Restoration Fund	€224.56

Mass Intentions: Dunboyne.

Saturday	7 pm	Christopher & Brigid Barker Seamus & Marcella Wallace Liam Duke.
Sunday	9 am	
	11.30 am	Desmond & Christina O’Loughlin Shay Crawley James J. Carr.
Monday	9 am	Donor’s Intention.
Tuesday	9 am	Donor’s Intention
Wednesday	9 am	Gerard Smyth.
Thursday	9 am	Una, John and Ben Markey.
Friday	9 am	
Saturday	10 am	Dunboyne Eucharistic Adorers, current, past, deceased and deceased family members. <i>(Confessions after Mass).</i>
	7 pm	Dick Manning (1st Anniversary) Anne Ruane and deceased family members Charlie and Frances Wall.
Sunday	9 am	Ita Long.
	11.30	Ann (1st Anniversary) and Breda Hanway Helen Meehan & deceased members of the Meehan & Carty Families.

Mass Intentions: Kilbride.

Saturday	6 pm	Johnny and Pauline Curry.
Sunday	10 am	James Bruton.
Saturday	6 pm	
Sunday	10 am	

September Offering Day: Today Sunday 3rd September is an Offering Day towards the salaries for the Priests of the Parish. Please use the yellow envelope provided in your box of envelopes. Thank you.

R.I.P: Tommy Barker, formerly Whitelands | Willie Greaney. Claregalway (brother of Mary Minch, Caulstown) | Rose Lynch, Cavan (mother of Dympna McCarthy, Beechdale).

The earth cries out ...

Pope Francis on Wednesday appealed for “a respectful and responsible attitude towards Creation” ahead of the third World Day of Prayer for the Care of Creation. “With this Message, I renew my dialogue with “every person living on this planet” (*Laudato Si*: 3) about the sufferings of the poor and the devastation of the environment. God gave us a bountiful garden, but we have turned it into a polluted wasteland of “debris, desolation and filth” (*ibid.*, 161). We must not be indifferent or resigned to the loss of biodiversity and the destruction of ecosystems, often caused by our irresponsible and selfish behaviour. “Because of us, thousands of species will no longer give glory to God by their very existence, nor convey their message to us. We have no such right” (*ibid.*, 33).

Global warming continues, due in part to human activity: 2015 was the warmest year on record. This is leading to ever more severe droughts, floods, fires and extreme weather events. Climate change is also contributing to the heart-rending refugee crisis. The world’s poor, though least responsible for climate change, are most vulnerable and already suffering its impact.

As an integral ecology emphasizes, human beings are deeply connected with all of creation. When we mistreat nature, we also mistreat human beings. At the same time, each creature has its own intrinsic value that must be respected. Let us hear “*both the cry of the earth and the cry of the poor*” (*Laudato Si*: 49), and do our best to ensure an appropriate and timely response.”

Meals on Wheels will resume on Monday next, 4th September. For information call: 086 1535913.

Vocation Retreat Day - 'Speak Lord, Your servant Is Listening': A retreat day for young adults (18-40) will take place in Dalgan Park, Navan on Saturday September 30th from 9:30 am - 5pm. The day will revolve around conversation and reflection on the Priesthood, Married Life, Religious Life and Single Life and include Prayer of the Church, Eucharistic Adoration, discernment talks, testimonies, an opportunity for confession & the celebration of Mass. If you are interested in attending please contact one of the following - Fr. Joe Campbell: 086 6036506, John Howard: 087 2478519, Sr. Una Kearney 090 648 1666 or youthretreats@gmail.com. A donation will cover the cost of lunch & tea-breaks.

Grandparents National Annual Pilgrimage 10th September, 2017, Knock Shrine 2.30 pm. Everybody welcome to honour & thank Grandparents alive & dead for all they have done for us down through the ages. Chief Celebrant: Archbishop Eamon Martin - Ballina School Choir – Dana sings 'Our Lady of Knock'.

Legion of Mary Pilgrimage to Knock, Sunday, 24th Sept. - Everyone Welcome! A bus will leave Ashbourne Church at 8 am, Ratoath Church at 8.15 am, Dunshaughlin Church at 8.30 am and Dunboyne Church at 8.45 am. To book a seat on the bus, please contact: Peggy 087 784 6455 (Dunboyne. & Dunshaughlin).

Study Liturgy at the National Centre for Liturgy, St Patrick's College, Maynooth: Masters, Higher Diploma. Contact: Phone: 7083478 email: liturgy@spcm.ie. See: www.liturgy-ireland.ie

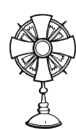
St. Joseph's Young Priest's Society meeting takes place after 9 am Mass on 1st Thursday of each month in the Blessed Sacrament Chapel. New members are very welcome.

Bethany Bereavement Support: One to One/ Group Confidential Service 1st Wednesday of the month in the Parish Office or home visits etc., can be arranged. Phone 086/8497176. If at any time in the future you feel the need for support or a listening ear, we would be glad to help you.

Safeguarding Children: The parish representatives are Noeleen Fallon, Adrian Tiernan and Denis O'Leary. Contact: 8255342.

Community Notices

Eucharistic Adoration:



Dunboyne on Tuesday and Friday after 9 am Mass until 8 pm in the Adoration Chapel.

Kilbride on the First Saturday of each month after 6 pm Mass until 7.30 pm. *Pray for vocations to the priesthood in our Diocese.*

Rosary and Prayer for Priests in Adoration Chapel on Saturday mornings after 10 am Mass. All welcome.

Divine Mercy Prayer Meeting in the Adoration Chapel on Tuesdays at 7 pm. All welcome.

Dunboyne Pioneer Association: If you are interested in joining. Please call 8252799.

Vincent's Charity Shop is open Mon, Tues, Wed & Fri 10 am - 5 pm and Thurs & Sat, 10am - 4pm. Shop Phone: 083 8516127. Need Help: Freephone 1800 677777.

Dunboyne Community Employment has the following 5 vacancies: **3 Grounds Maintenance Persons** to work with Sports Facility in Dunshaughlin & Dunboyne. Duties include maintenance of sports grounds facility & common areas. **1 Coaching & Administrative Assistant** to work with Dunboyne Athletics Club. Duties to include assisting coaches during juvenile, fit4life & junior in all aspects of athletics, administrative duties in club office. **1 Receptionist** to work with Lagore Community Childcare, Dunshaughlin. Duties to include all aspects reception and administration duties. For persons eligible to work under the C E Scheme. These positions are part-time (19.5 hours). Full training will be provided for successful candidates. For details, contact Danny Gaughan: Email: dunboyneace@eircom.net, Ph: 087-2626727 or Office: 825 2864

Dunboyne Social Dancing (First Sat of each month): Sat next, 2nd Sept., in the Oak Centre (C of I Hall), Maynooth Rd., 9 pm – Midnight, sit down supper, Price €10.

Comhaltas Dunboyne have a range of traditional music classes for juniors & adults starting 19th Sept. Registration 12th Sept, from 6 to 7.30 pm, in Snr. Primary school. Also Comhra' classes. Fees are very reasonable. For information: 087 6851495 or dunboyne@comhaltas.net

Dunboyne College of Further Education Night Class: Classes Tues & Thurs beginning Sept 26th. Courses include photography, drawing, pilates, yoga, computer courses for all levels, parenting, first aid, CPR & many QQI Level 5 & Level 6 courses. For information, ph: 8026577. Enrolment Night: Monday 11th September from 6 – 8 pm.

Are you an unemployed early school leaver aged 17-35? QQI Level 4 course including City & Guilds Home Maintenance course starting at Navan Career Start on Monday 18th September. Modules include Painting & Wallpapering, Decorative Tiling, Installing a Lighting System, IT, Communications, Digital Media and Work Experience. Classes run Monday-Friday, 9.30-3.30. For info, ring Marie: 046 9031418.

Coffee Morning in aid of St Francis Hospice on the 14th September, in the Oak Centre.

Meath Alzheimer Cafe: Wed., 6th Sept., from 7 - 9.00 p.m. in the Pastoral Centre, Dunshaughlin. All families/carers & loved ones living with Alzheimer's Disease/ Dementia are welcome to attend. Guest speaker is Avril Easton, Advocacy Officer, ASI, who will give a talk on 'Dementia Friendly Communities'. Music, tea/coffee & scones. Admission is free. Contact: Day Centre at 046-9027007.