



# Parish of Dunboyne and Kilbride.

Saturday, 25th November - Sunday 3rd December 2017.

Priest on Duty: **Mgr. Dermot Farrell P.P.** Telephone: 01-8255342.

<b>Parish Office Hours:</b>
Monday, Tuesday, Thursday & Friday (closed Wednesday) 9.30 am – 1.00 pm; 1.45 – 3.30 pm.
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Website: <a href="http://www.dunboynekilbrideparish.org">www.dunboynekilbrideparish.org</a> .

Dunboyne Offertory Collection	€1215.00
Dunboyne Development Fund	€1594.00
Kilbride Offertory Collection	€256.00
Kilbride Development Fund	€102.00
Kilbride Restoration Fund	€196.23

## Mass Intentions: Dunboyne.

Saturday	7 pm	Paudge Higgins   Paddy & Maisie Henry & James Norman.
Sunday	9 am	Michael Long   Mary O’Toole.
	11.30 am	Darragh Sludds   Philip Gunning   Tony Mulvany.
Monday	9 am	Donor’s Intention.
Tuesday	9 am	Angela Gorham.
Wednesday	9 am	Parish List of the Dead.
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Friday	9 am	Parish List of the Dead.
	8 pm	
Saturday	10 am	Christy Kelly & Jimmy Malcolm. <span style="float: right;"><i>(Confessions after Mass).</i></span>
	7 pm	Paul Hanley   Mary Lynskey   Eamon O’Shea.
Sunday	9 am	Hubert & Nora Grogan & Jimmy Green.
	11.30	Tom & Laurette Kilcullen   Ann Egan   John McCarney.


## Mass Intentions: Kilbride.

Saturday	6 pm	
Sunday	10 am	Darragh Donohoe.
Saturday	6 pm	Nuala McGovern.
Sunday	10 am	Margaret Lumley.

**November Offering Day:** The priests of the parish would like to thank you sincerely for your generous support.

**R.I.P:** Thomas Barry, Baytown, Dunboyne.  
Darren Flood, Sutton.

**First Friday Calls:** The sick and the housebound will be attended to by the priests of the parish during the week.

 **We welcome the newly Baptised from our Parish** - Skye Mellon, Rivercourt, Alexanne Fox, Ballymacoll, Harry Reilly, Kilbreena, Hannah O’Leary, Dunboyne Castle, Eve Deans, St.Mary’s Court.

“The Mass is the *memorial of Christ’s Paschal Mystery*,” Pope Francis proclaimed on November 22, 2017. “It makes us participants in His victory over sin and death and gives full meaning to our life”. He said that it is vital to understand “memorial” in the Biblical sense: “It is not merely the recollection of past events, but in a certain sense renders them present and real.” The Holy Father reminded us that “Mass is the memorial of *His Passover*, of *His exodus*,’ which He carried out for us, to make us come out of slavery and to introduce us in the Promised Land of eternal life.” He pointed out that, “The Eucharist always leads us to the summit of God’s action of salvation. Every celebration of the Eucharist is a ray of that sun without a sunset, which is Jesus Risen.” Pope Francis concluded by emphasizing: “The Mass is to relive Calvary, it’s not a show.”

**THE DIOCESE OF MEATH SAFEGUARDING CHILDREN POLICY** can be seen on [www.meathsafeguarding.ie](http://www.meathsafeguarding.ie). The Designated Liaison Persons are Fr. Sean Henry and Nuala McLoughlin. If you have any child protection concerns, please contact the HSE and Gardai directly or [delegate@dioceseofmeath.ie](mailto:delegate@dioceseofmeath.ie), Fr. Sean Henry: 046 9431251 or Nuala McLoughlin: 0861574774. Our parish safeguarding representatives are Noeleen Fallon, Adrian Tiernan and Denis O'Leary. Contact phone number through the parish office 8255342. Our parish safeguarding policy can be seen on: [www.dunboynekilbrideparish.org](http://www.dunboynekilbrideparish.org).

For details of preparation and events relating to next August's "**World Meeting of Families**" and how to register for tickets please visit : [www.worldmeeting2018.ie](http://www.worldmeeting2018.ie)

**St. Joseph's Young Priests Society** would like to thank all those who contributed to the Church Gate Collection on 18th & 19th November. The proceeds of this collection goes towards the education of Semanarians.



**Children's Liturgy** is on Sunday, in Dunboyne Church at 11.30 sharp and Kilbride at 10 am sharp. All school going children are welcome

What might we do to start our **Advent** preparation for Christmas?

What about a traditional religious Advent Calendar (available in Veritas)? Or perhaps we could make a Advent Wreath for the family dinner table, lighting the candles as we share meals together on each Sunday of Advent, grounding us anew in the imminent coming of our Lord.

#### **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.

#### **Community Notices**

**Dunboyne Musical Society** is proud to present this year's pantomime, Little Red Riding Hood And The Big Bad Wolf. It will take place in Dunboyne GAA club on the Rooske Road from Monday 6th of December to Sunday the 10th of December, with an extra matinee performance on Saturday the 9th. All tickets are €15 and are available from Monica at the Broadway Cafe, or at the door while stocks last.

**Annual Art Exhibition incl. D.A.R.A. Art Groups** opens on Saturday 2<sup>nd</sup> Dec. 7pm and Sunday 3<sup>rd</sup> Dec. 9 am – 3 pm. Lots of prizes for Raffles with proceeds going towards cost of Defibrillator. Please Support.

**Dunboyne Library** – Parent and Toddler Story Time Session and Games every Friday from 11.15 – 12noon. Story time for the tots and then games, toys and colouring. Suitable for pre-school ages and it's free. We hope to see you soon.

**St. Peter's College Dunboyne** presents 'A TASTE OF CHRISTMAS' at AVOCA A sumptuous mix of food, gift ideas & music. Featuring St Peter's College Orchestra & Choir on Tuesday 5th December 5.30-8pm.

10% Discount on all non-food retail items.

Tickets €5 Available now from Dunboyne Sports & at the door on the evening.

**Children's Choir** for 9 years+ to sing for Family Mass on Christmas Eve 5pm. Practices in Old School 8th, 15th and 22nd Dec. 5-6pm Contact Ger 087 2861220.

**Dunboyne Community Employment:** Have the following four vacancies:

2 Grounds Maintenance Persons: To work with Sports Facilities in Dunshaughlin & Dunboyne. Duties to include maintenance of sports grounds facility & common areas. 1 Coaching and Administrative Assistant: To work with Dunboyne Athletics Club Duties to include assisting coaches during juvenile, fit4youth in all aspects of athletics; administrative duties in club office. 1 Youth Development Officer: To work with Dunshaughlin Parish Duties include working with young people on a one-to-one and group basis. Assisting with trips and activities. For persons eligible to work under the Community Employment Scheme. These positions are part-time (19.5 hours). Full training programme will be put in place for successful candidates. For further details on these positions please contact Danny Gaughan Email: [dunboyneace@eircom.net](mailto:dunboyneace@eircom.net) or 087 2626727 / 8252864

**Are you 50+ and Interested in an Important Volunteering/work Opportunity?**

Third Age, Summerhill, Co Meath invites men and women aged 50+ to become an AgeWell Companion in South County Meath. AgeWell is a new peer-to-peer befriending service in which you will visit older people at home provide social engagement and help to link them to health care systems and community services. You will receive training, ongoing support and relevant expenses.

If you would like to know more, please contact Third Age on 046-9557766 [nationaloffice@thirdageireland.ie](mailto:nationaloffice@thirdageireland.ie) or drop into our information sessions in the Third Age Centre on Tuesdays at 2.30pm – running every Tuesday in November.