

SUNDAY MASSES

St. Mary's: Saturday 6pm
Sunday 8am, 11am, 1pm
St. Oliver's: Saturday 7pm
Sunday 10am, 12 noon
Our Lady's Hospital: Sunday 9am

WEEKDAY MASSES

St. Anne's: 8.00am (Mon-Fri)
St. Oliver's: 9:15am (Mon-Fri)
St. Mary's: 10.00am (Mon-Sat)

CONFESSIONS

St. Mary's: Sat 12noon-1pm
St. Oliver's: Sat after 7pm Mass



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Navan Parish



DUTY: Fr .Kevin Heery
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THE EPIPHANY OF THE LORD WEDNESDAY 6TH JAN



This great feast celebrates the adoration of Jesus by the wise men (*magi*) from the East. In the magi, whom tradition names as Gaspar, Melchior and Balthasar, the

Gospel sees the first-fruits of the nations who welcome the good news of salvation.

The Epiphany is a Holy Day of Obligation.

MASS-TIMES:

St. Mary's: 8am, 10am
11:30am (Secondary Schools);
6pm
St. Oliver's: 9.15am, 1:30pm; 7pm
Our Lady's Hospital: 9am

HYMN FOR TODAY

The first Noël the angels did say,
Was to certain poor shepherds in fields as they lay
In fields where they lay keeping their sheep,
On a cold winter's night that was so deep.

Noël, Noël, Noël, Noël,
Born is the King of Israel.

They looked up and saw a star
Shining in the East beyond them far:
And to the earth it gave great light,
And so it continued both day and night.
Noël

PILGRIMAGE TO LISIEUX AND
ALENÇON LED BY FR. DECLAN
HURLEY: *"In the footsteps of St.
Thérèse and her parents"*

Mon 11- Fri 15 April, 2016

NOW OPEN FOR BOOKINGS

Total cost €690pps flights, half-board accommodation and coach transfers (single room €820). Deposit of €250.00 to be sent to Parish Office as soon as possible. Balance due by Friday 12th February. Places limited.



Extraordinary Jubilee of Mercy "Merciful like the Father"

Navan Parish is honoured that St. Mary's Church has been chosen by Bishop Smith as a place where the faithful can come to enter the Holy Door of Mercy and receive the plenary indulgence for the Jubilee Year. Over the coming weeks, a "prayer path" will be created in St. Mary's for those visiting the church to make the pilgrimage to the Holy Door. Let us together respond with open hearts to the invitation of Pope Francis to make this coming year a time when we celebrate and experience God's mercy so that we too can be "merciful like the Father". www.im.va

Reborn through Water and the Holy Spirit:
Demi Marie Stokes; Audrey Beth Duignan;
Sophie Belle Byrne; Ethan Patrick Brady;
Cillian Sean McCormack.

✠Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord ✠
Mary Murray, Ardsallagh;
Christina Reilly, Commons Road;
Michael Davidson, Tara Glen Crescent;
Jean Duignan, Beauparc & late of Convent Road,
Athlumney

Parish Hall Bookings Office re-opens Tues 5th Jan

Baptism Preparation Course resumes on Wed next.

THANKS: Hydro International - €500; Lir Award Winning Chocolatiers - €207.45; Impact - €250; Owen & Roisin - €100; Navan O'Mahony's - €270; Anonymous - €100, all for Meals on Wheels

Rosary St. Mary's Church every evening 6.30pm

COMMUNITY NOTICES

O'Mahony's GFC Bingo: Tuesday at 8.45pm.
Simonstown GFC Bingo: Thursday at 8.45pm.

**Bingo every Monday in Community Centre 8.45pm.
Snowball €2,500. €650 if not won. €75 a line. Panel prizes €150 & €280. Up to €650 lucky no**

Please Note: St. Pio Mass will take place on Wed 13th Jan at 8pm in St. Mary's Church

Navan Fundraising Group presentation night to Meals-on-Wheels on Fri next 8th Jan in Newgrange Hotel at 9.30pm. Everyone welcome.

CD by Francis Duffy in aid of St Mary's Special School on sale in Parish Bookshop and most newsagents €10.

St Marys Musical Society Presents "Cinderella The Panto" in Solstice arts Centre, Sat Jan 2nd 2pm & 7pm & Sun 3rd Jan @ 2pm. Tickets tel 046-9092300 www.solsticeartscentre.ie The Society will start rehearsals for its Musical "Some like it Hot /Sugar" in the

Community Centre 8pm - 7th Jan. All adult chorus especially men welcome. Tel 0857080800

Toastmasters resumes Wed next 6th Jan in Ardboyne Hotel 8pm. New members welcome.

Blood Transfusion in Community Centre today Sun 11.30am - 3pm. Please support.

Introduction to Mindfulness 4 sessions Beginning Mon 11th Jan 7.30 - 9 pm in St Anne's Parish Resource Centre. Enquiries or booking tel 086 8846107r Email: theheartofmindfulness@yahoo.com

Meath Alzheimer Cafe: Wed next, 6th Jan, 7- 9. pm. in The Pastoral Centre, Dunshaughlin. All families/carers and loved ones living with Alzheimer's Disease/Dementia are welcome. Guest speaker is Dr Bill Burke, Geriatrician. Music, tea/coffee and scones. Adm free. Contact: Day Centre at 046-9027007.

Operation Transformation national walk day takes place Sat 9th Jan. in Blackwater Park 10am. All ages and abilities welcome. Walk distance 5km.

Works by **Kathleen Maher** will be launched in Navan Library on Thurs 7th Jan 7 pm. All welcome.

Stamps for the Missions: Please send your used stamps to Sr Maria, Mission Centre, Handmaids of the Sacred Heart, Upper Kilmacud Road, Stillorgan, Co Dublin. Tel 01-2889963.

Spring 2016 Grants for local courses available for Community Groups. www.lmetb.ie or 1800 991 898

Kingscourt Parish Pilgrimage 2016 to Salzburg and Vienna 20th - 26th Sept inclusive. Early booking offer of €995. Tel Map Travel 01-8783111

LITURGICAL NOTICES

SATURDAY: St. Mary's 6pm Thomas Dowdall, Knockumber (Month's Mind)

St. Oliver's 7pm Una Sherlock, Kennedy Crescent (First Anniversary)

SUNDAY: St. Mary's 11am Noel Gough, Emmet Tce (First Anniversary)

St. Mary's 1pm Bridie Shields, Claremont Est (First Anniversary)

WEDNESDAY: St. Mary's 10am Phyllis MacNamee, Woodlands (Month's Mind)

SATURDAY: St Mary's 10 am: Anniversaries occurring: Mary Molly O'Malley - Kitty Nugent - Michael Cahill - Harry Percy - Donal Murray - Harry Jones - Margaret Mulvany - Michael Mulvany - James Russell - Dominic Corley - James & Mary O'Byrne - Michael Geraghty - Richard, Julia, Una & James Timmons - Una Duignan - Peter Conaty - Geraldine Farrelly - Molly McEvoy - John Heery - Mary Hopkins - Paddy Leddy - Mark Brady - Kate Dunphy (3) - Jimmy Nathan - Sarah Murtagh - Julia Rogers - George Parrott (2) - Annie & Peter McAndrew.

St. Mary's 6pm Paddy Foley, Ardsallagh (Month's Mind)

SUNDAY: St. Oliver's 10am Seamus (James) Tully, Grange Bective (Month's Mind)

St. Mary's 11am Pa Wall, Emmet Tce (First Anniversary)

St. Mary's 1pm Teresa Ball, Knockumber (First Anniversary)

MASSES: John Clarke - Mary Conaty - Fergus Keegan - Pat Finn - dec mem Finn fam - dec mem Keegan fam - dec mem Hughes fam - dec mem Heery fam - Norman, Ben, Jimmy & Gerry Smith - Chris Trinder - Bill, Mattie, Seamie & Michael Heery - Ada Murray - Eileen Monaghan - Thomas & Mary Hopkins - Breda Polly - Willie Murray (2)

THANKS TO ALL WHO CONTRIBUTED TO LAST SUNDAY'S COLLECTIONS:

OFFERTORY (plate collection): €4,197

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