

## PARISH MASSES

St. Mary's: Saturday 6pm  
Sunday 8am, 11am, 1pm  
St. Oliver's: Saturday 7pm  
Sunday 10am, 12 noon  
Our Lady's Hospital: Sun 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-1:00pm  
St. Oliver's: Sat after 7pm Mass



St Mary's Parish  
Navan



Holy Year of Mercy 2016

## PARISH OFFICE

Open: Mon 11am-1; 2-5pm  
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DUTY: Fr Robert McCabe  
FUNERALS: Fr Declan Hurley

Please return *List of the Dead* to the Parish Office as soon as possible.

## PERPETUAL LIST OF THE DEAD:

Please contact the Parish Office for information.

## ADVENT IN OUR PARISH

ADVENT BEGINS NEXT SUNDAY 27 NOVEMBER

**Advent Talks: "A voice cries in the wilderness": becoming a person of faith and courage today.**

Tues 29 November: **Fr. Kevin Heery:** *being a person of faith and courage in Ireland today.*

Tues 6 December: **Fr. Louis Illah:** *an African perspective on people of faith and courage.*

Tues 13 December: **Fr. Declan Hurley:** *models of faith and courage in the Scriptures.*

All talks will take place in the Parish Room, St. Anne's Resource Centre, at 8:00pm.

**Sunday Evening Prayer & Benediction**, every Sunday of Advent in St. Anne's Chapel, 6:00pm.

**Morning Prayer of the Church:** daily, 10 minutes before 9:15 and 10:00 Masses.

**Service of Penance & Reconciliation:**

Tuesday 20 December, St. Mary's, 8:00pm.

**Carol Service:** Sun 18 Dec, St. Mary's, 4:00pm.

✠ Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord ✠

Charles Gunning, Clonmagadden Fort

Maureen Smyth, Connolly Avenue

Tony Stanley, Blackcastle Estate

Margaret Fagan, Boyerstown

Patsy Dunne, Scotshouse, Co Monaghan

*Reborn through Water and the Holy Spirit:*

Max Joseph Fitzsimons; Aoibhe Martina Gartland; Amelia Lillie Murray; James Michael Correia; Evie Rose Hirtes; Logan Sean Reilly; Faolán Tom Farrell; David Anthony Joyce.

## Blessing for Expectant Mothers

Expectant mothers are invited to the 6:00pm Vigil Mass on the first Saturday of every month in St. Mary's. A blessing will be offered after Mass at the Shrine of Our Lady of Perpetual Help.

## HYMN OF THE DAY

Hail Redeemer, King divine!  
Priest and Lamb, the throne is thine;  
King, whose reign shall never cease,  
Prince of everlasting peace.

**Angels, saints and nations sing:  
Praised be Jesus Christ our King;  
Lord of life, earth, sky and sea,  
King of love on Calvary!**

King most holy, King of truth,  
guard the lowly, guide the youth;  
Christ the King of glory bright,  
be to us eternal light!

**PARISH BOOKSHOP** Next month's *Magnificat*, 2017 Sunday Missal, Calendars & 2017 Liturgical Calendar are now available for parishioners. Parish Christmas Greeting cards will be available from Wednesday.

The "John Paul II Award" allows recently confirmed parishioners to provide a definite service and support to their parish community. Students in TY or 5<sup>th</sup> year are invited to contact [lizmahonjpw@gmail.com](mailto:lizmahonjpw@gmail.com)

**SACRAMENTAL SUPPORT** Every parishioner has a role in encouraging younger generations to attend Mass on the Lord's Day as an expression of their links with the parish faith community.

**PRAYER OF THE FAITHFUL GROUP:** We invite interested parishioners to contact the Parish Office.

**ROSARY** St. Mary's Church every evening 6.30pm.

THANKS TO ALL WHO CONTRIBUTED TO LAST SUNDAY'S COLLECTIONS

OFFERTORY (plate collection): €4,451

DEVELOPMENT FUND: (envelopes): €2,879

SUPPORTING MEALS ON WHEELS: Thanks to Wesco for their donation of €500.

## COMMUNITY NOTICES

**Parish Bingo** Monday Community Centre 8:45pm  
Snowball: €2,500. €650 if not won. €75 a line.  
Panel prizes €150 & €280. Up to €650 lucky no.

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

**Simonstown GFC Bingo:** Thursday at 8.45pm.

**Blessing of Leighsbrook Well** on Sat next 26<sup>th</sup> Nov at 2pm.

**Navan Pioneer Mass,** St. Mary's Sat 3<sup>rd</sup> Dec 6pm. If you are due a gold or silver pin, please tel 046-9029646/ 9022446 before 25<sup>th</sup> Nov.

**Aisling Group** 5k Run/jog/walk Wed next 23 Nov. 11am. Visit [www.aislinggroupinternational.ie](http://www.aislinggroupinternational.ie)

**Legion of Mary** welcomes new members to help in the Apostolate. Members will talk with people after Masses on weekend 26<sup>th</sup> & 27<sup>th</sup> Nov.

**Free Aspergers Support Group & Youth Club.** Sat 11am – 1pm Castleknock Community Centre. Details: [www.aspergersanonymous.org](http://www.aspergersanonymous.org)

**Scoil Naomh Eoin Christmas Fair** Thurs 24<sup>th</sup> Nov 6pm-9pm in the school. Christmas decorations, cards and crafts. Santa will be in his grotto.

**Christmas Concert** with Navan Silver Band; St Joseph's Mercy & St Oliver's Primary Schools on Sun 4<sup>th</sup> Dec in Newgrange Hotel 7.30pm. Tickets €10 from both schools or parish bookshop.

**Clonfert:** Bus leaving St. Oliver's next Sat at 7.30am & St. Mary's at 7.50am. Tel. 087-9837741.

**Special Hands Activity Group** - Annual 'Bingo' Family Fun Fundraiser Sun next 27<sup>th</sup> Nov at 3.30pm in Claremont Stadium.

**Monthly Lay Apostle Prayer Meeting** Thurs next in St. Columbanus House, Canon Row, 8pm.

Sincere thanks to all who contributed to the **Mercy Mission Appeal for Zambia**. The Sisters there greatly appreciate the generosity of the people of Navan and the money they receive will be spent on medical and educational needs.

**Handel's Messiah** Sat next 26<sup>th</sup> Nov in Whitefriar, St. Carmelite Church Dublin. Adm €15. Flexibus €10 leaving Fair Green at 6pm Tel 046-9074830 to book

**Blood Donation Clinic** in Ardboyne Hotel on Tues; Wed and Thurs next from 4.30pm – 8pm

**Blood Donation Clinic:** Scoil Naomh Eoin. Sun next 27<sup>th</sup> November from 11.30am – 3.00 pm.

Over 21 on a Social Welfare payment You may be eligible to join **Community Employment** to work (19.5 hours per week) and train as a Care Assistant with Navan EDP Tel 046 9071938

**Medjugorje film:** The documentary film "Apparition Hill" will be screened in the Diamond Cinema on Tues 17<sup>th</sup> Jan at 8pm. Tickets cost €10 and must be purchased in advance. Tel. 083 3559937 or 089 4112284.

**Pilgrimage** to Tuscany, based at Viareggio 1<sup>st</sup> – 8<sup>th</sup> Oct. Special booking offer €995, half board before 23<sup>rd</sup>Dec. Tel 01-8783111.

## LITURGICAL NOTICES

**SATURDAY: St. Mary's 6pm**

**Terry Brennan,** Balreask, Trim Road (First Anniversary)

**SUNDAY: St. Mary's 11am**

**Kitty Reilly,** Canon Row (Month's Mind)

**St. Mary's 1pm**

**Adele De'Ciantis,** Sora Italy (Month's Mind)

**SATURDAY: St Mary's 10 am**

**Anniversaries** occurring John O'Farrell – Nell Smith – Noel Dunphy (2)

– Thomas Carlin – Patsy Connolly (2) – Jack Mulvany – Marie Crinion – Barbara Hoye – Nellie Gibney – Vera Elliott – David Walls – Mick Lyons – May & Billy Waters – Mary Kerby – Patrick Lynch – Michael Flanagan – Ann Brennan – Fr Tom Finegan – Deirdre O'Grady – Brigid Dunne – Moira Proctor – Nuala Shiels – Bridget Cregan – Leo O' Reilly – Michael & Mary O'Toole – Dominick & Bridget Corcoran – Mary Matthews –

**St. Mary's 6pm**

**Paddy Foley,** Cannistown (First Anniversary)

**SUNDAY: St. Mary's 8am**

**Peter Gorman,** late of Kells Road (Month's Mind)

**St. Mary's 11am**

**Paddy Clarke,** St. Brigids Vls (Month's Mind)

**St. Oliver's 12noon**

**Mass for Blackcastle Residents & their deceased relatives**

**St. Mary's 1pm**

**Deceased Members of Meath Macra Na Feirme**

**St. Anne's 2pm**

**African Catholics' Community Mass**

**MASSES:** Santino Tuzi – Dinny Gibney – Mary & Jane Cunningham – Helen Healy née Lynch – Jim & John Fitzgerald – Bridget & Joseph Cregan & fam – Maureen Monaghan – Jimmy, Teresa, Patrick & Anne Ratty – Joe, Noel, Oliver Matthew & Marie Lynch née Matthews

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