



Parish of Dunboyne and Kilbride.

Saturday 24th August 2024 – Sunday 1st September 2024.

Priest on Duty: **Fr. Patrick O'Connor P. P.** Telephone: 01-8255342.

Parish Office Hours:

Monday, Tuesday, Thursday & Friday (closed Wednesday)

9.30 am – 1.00 pm; 1.45 – 3.30 pm.

Email: dunboynekilbride.parish@gmail.com.

Website: www.dunboynekilbrideparish.org.

Mass Intentions: Dunboyne.

Saturday	7 pm	Joseph (Jody) Griffith (Month's Mind) Liam Duke.
Sunday	9 am	Damian Gannon.
	11.30 am	Sean Hobbs (1st Anniversary) Richard Heffernan (1st Anniversary) & Anne Heffernan Mary Brennan (1st Anniversary) & Noel & Susan Brennan Brigid Hyland.
Monday	9 am	
Tuesday	9 am	
Wednesday	9 am	Novena to end abortion and protect the life of the unborn.
Thursday	9 am	
Friday	9 am	
Saturday	10 am	
	7 pm	Christopher, Brigid & Tommy Barker Frances & Sonny Phoenix & Paddy & Carmel Downing Mary Coogan.
Sunday	9 am	Michael (Mick) Reilly (Month's Mind).
	11.30 am	Essie Finn.

Mass Intentions: Kilbride.

Saturday	6pm	Myrtle Kearns (Month's Mind) Anne Farrell.
Sunday	10am	
Saturday	6pm	
Sunday	10am	Jim Bruton.

Picture This:

Exercise your ordinary imagination, picturing the Saviour to yourself in his sacred humanity as if he were beside you just as we are wont to think of our friends, and imagine that we see or hear them at our side. But when the Blessed Sacrament of the Altar is there, then this Presence is no longer imaginary, but most real; and the sacred species are but a veil from behind which the present Saviour beholds and considers us, although we cannot see him as he is.

Saint Francis de Sales.

Pat Sweeney Pilgrimage to Lisieux 2024 - Friday 27th September – Tuesday 1st October 2024.

Spiritual Director: Rev Fr. Simon Nolan O.Carm Provinc

Please contact Marcie Sweeney Duggan on 085 8887549 for further information

Safeguarding Children: The Parish representatives are Eleanor Healy, John Reynolds & Denis O'Leary. Contact (01) 8255342.

Rosary for children continues every Monday at 3pm in the church baptistery. A special invitation for grandparents to join us with their grandchildren. Everybody welcome.

Meath Pilgrimage to Lourdes. The Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes will travel on September 10th and will be led by Bishop Deenihan. The diocesan choir will accompany the pilgrimage. All pilgrims will be accommodated in hotels and there are 4, 5 and 6 night options with fares starting at €769 with various hotels available. Further information and booking forms are available from Joe Walsh Tours, 89 Harcourt Street, Dublin.
www.joewalshstours.ie Tel.: 01 2410800

Confirmation 2025:

The Confirmation will take place for Dunboyne Primary School, Kilbride National School and Gaelscoil Thulach na nÓg on Saturday 15th February 2025. The ceremony times will be advised by the Diocesan office at a later stage.

How to be a missionary synodal Church

The General Secretariat of the Synod of Bishops has published the working document (known as the *Instrumentum Laboris*) for the second session of the Universal Synod that will be held in Rome in October. This document is the fruit of consultation and discernment that took place across the world earlier this year. The consultation that took place in the Diocese of Meath formed part of the submission of the Irish Episcopal Conference.

To read the working document and find out more about the Synod, visit www.synod.ie.

To read the submission of the Diocese of Meath, visit the "Synod 2024" page on www.dioceseofmeath.ie

"The questions that the Instrumentum Laboris asks are: how to be a synodal Church in mission; how to engage in deep listening and dialogue; how to be co-responsible in the light of the dynamism of our personal and communal baptismal vocation; how to transform structures and processes so that all may participate and share the charisms that the Spirit pours out on each for the common good; how to exercise power and authority as service. Each of these questions is a service to the Church and, through its action, to the possibility of healing the deepest wounds of our time." (**How to be a missionary synodal Church**, p.48)

The sister's from St Elisabeth Convent work with children in a psychiatric hospital and orphanage in Belarus and they will pay a visit to our parish church on Wednesday 28th August. They will create a small stall of icons and crafts from which you can purchase after the 9 am Mass. Your support is greatly appreciated.

Visiting the Sick:

As the list of patients is no longer available to the priest at the hospital reception desks, if any member of your family is sick in hospital, nursing centre or at home and would like a visit from the priest please feel free to contact the Parochial House at any time at (01) 8255342

Eucharistic Adoration:



Dunboyne on Tuesday and Friday after 9 am Mass until 8 pm in the Baptistery at the top left hand side of the Church.

Pray for vocations to the priesthood in our Diocese.

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

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

Dunboyne Pioneer Association: If you are interested in joining. Please call 087 1361162.

Vincent's Charity Shop opens Monday to Saturday from 10am to 4.30pm. Shop Phone number: 083 3342873 Need Help: Contact 086 0246170 or Freephone : - 1800 677777.

Community Notices

Comhaltas Dunboyne have vacancies for juniors and adults in a range of traditional music classes starting in September. For information email Dunboyne@Comhaltas.net

Anam Cara are holding an **Online Bereavement Information Evening** on Tuesday 3rd of September at 7pm. Our guest speaker for this month's talk is Bryan Nolan. Bryan has an M.A .Healthcare Chaplaincy DCU , Certified Healthcare Chaplain, End of Life and Grief and loss specialist, Training and facilitation expert.?

If you are supporting any bereaved parents through your line of work, please let them know of this event .The link to join is below: <https://us02web.zoom.us/join/register/tZAqf-6gqT4vGtf09D7YfGe9vJbbfNz82QEA>

SeniorLine is Ireland's national telephone service for older people open every day of the year 10am-10pm, Freephone 1800 80 45 91. Callers may feel isolated, alone, wish to discuss a problem in confidence, or for company during their day.

SeniorLine's older volunteers are trained to listen, to support, to discuss options and to refer caller to other helpful services if necessary. So don't be alone if sharing a problem would help. Phone SeniorLine 1800 80 45 91, open every day of the year 10am-10pm

COLLECTIONS

Dunboyne Offertory - €1,225.00
Dunboyne Development Fund - €1,593.00
Kilbride Offertory - €251.00
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