



Parish of Dunboyne and Kilbride.

Saturday May 13th – Sunday 21st May 2023.

Priest on Duty: **Fr. Declan Kelly C.C.** 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 00 pm	Rita Young (Month's Mind) John Maguire (1st Anniversary) Catherine Watters.
Sunday	9 am	Alan Geoghegan.
	11.30 am	
Monday	9 am	Rita Bruen.
Tuesday	9am	
Wednesday	9am	Novena to protect the life of the unborn and end abortion.
Thursday	9 am	Agnes Bruen.
Friday	9 am	Peter Austin (1st Anniversary).
Saturday	10 am	First Holy Communion.
	11.30 am	First Holy Communion.
	7 pm	Bernard Smyth Jack & Nancy Moran Laurence McCormack Tommy & Mena Kane, Johnny & Betty Reilly & deceased family members.
Sunday	9 am	Patrick, Margaret & Maureen Breslin.
	11.30am	Thos Farrell Grainne & Liam Clancy John & Bridget Brennan George & Mary Griffith & deceased family members.

Mass Intentions: Kilbride.

Saturday	6pm	James & Catherine White.
Sunday	10 am	
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Sunday	10am	

Regina, coeli, laetare, alleluia
Quia quem meruisti portare, alleluia
Ressurexit sicut dixit, alleluia
Ora pro nobis Deum, alleluia.

R.I.P: Paddy Hodgins, Clogher Head, father of Joan Hodgins, Garnett Hall | Fionnuala Hanlon, Longford, mother of Jennifer Connolly, Hamilton Hall and sister of Carmel Nally, Luttrell Hall.

Jesus never goes back on his word. So, when he says in today's Gospel, "I will come to you" and "I will love him and reveal myself to him," we can be sure that Jesus intends to do this. This is faith. But there is a qualifying clause, "If you love me" (verse 15). IF ... That's a sobering thought. Peter says to Jesus, "You know I love you" (Jn 21:15). We might say the same. But when pressed further, Peter becomes distressed. The same should be said of us. A careful examination of our conscience might reveal that we might love Jesus, but there are also other 'loves' in our lives which attract us. Perhaps, we can be honest with ourselves by saying that there are many loves that occupy our hearts and minds. And from that starting point, let's learn to have a conversation with Jesus about what — or who — the 'main thing' in our lives should be.

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Meath Pilgrimage to Lourdes: The annual Meath Pilgrimage to Lourdes will travel on September 12th and will be led by Bishop Deenihan. There is a 4 night or 6 night option with Fares from €729 full board. Booking forms are now available from JWT Travel contact 01-2410800.

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION



We congratulate the children from Dunboyne Junior School, who received Holy Communion for the first time yesterday. We assure them of our prayers and thank their teachers for all the work in preparation for the ceremonies.

(Other Parish Holy Communion ceremony : *Kilbride and Gaelscoil - Saturday 20th May*).

First Holy Communion 2024 - Dunboyne, Kilbride & Gaelscoil.



The First Holy Communion will take place on the following dates:

18th May 2024	Dunboyne Junior School	10am
25th May 2024	Gaelscoil Thulach na nÓg - Scoil Bhríde, Kilbride	10 am 11.30 am

Lough Derg Pilgrimage:

A small group of parishioners are planning a three-day pilgrimage to Lough Derg Thurs 13th July returning mid afternoon Sat 13th. If you fancy joining us, please leave your contact details at the Parochial House office at (01) 825 5342.

Meath Diocesan Pilgrimage to Knock: will take place on 13th August accompanied by the Diocesan Choir. Further information to follow at later date.

Cemetery Devotions will take place in the Parish on Sunday, 25th June 2022.

Kilbride:	after the 10.00 am Mass.
Roske	3.00 pm
Loughsallagh:	5.00 pm
Old St Peter's:	6.00 pm



Eucharistic Adoration:



Dunboyne on Tuesday and Friday after 9 am Mass until 8 pm in the Baptistry 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 Baptistry 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, 10am - 3pm. Shop Phone: 083 8516127. Need Help: Contact 086 0246170 or Freephone 1800 677777.

Community Notices

Dunboyne Active Retirement are hosting a Charity Coffee Morning in aid of Meath Palliative Care on Tuesday 30th May 2023 in the Old School Dunboyne from 9:30 until 12:00. Drop in and have a cuppa and support this event.

Dunboyne Consort - Part of Dunboyne life for nearly 50 years, the Dunboyne Consort and friends invite you to our Maytime concert, featuring a wide variety of music - including the Pentettra String Quartet, choral music and solo singers. The venue is St. Peter's Church of Ireland on Saturday May 13 at 8pm." Proceeds to the local Vincent de Paul and Meals on Wheels. No tickets needed, a collection will be gratefully accepted on the door.

Anam Cara North Dublin, the organisation that supports bereaved parents, is holding a Parent Evening for bereaved parents on Wednesday 24th May at 7:15pm in the Hilton Hotel, Malahide Rd, Northern Cross, Dublin, D17 Y924. This event is free and open to all bereaved parents regardless of the age your child died, the circumstances of their death, or whether their death was recent or not. Please contact us on info@anamcara.ie or 085 2888 888 for any queries.

COLLECTIONS

Dunboyne Development Fund	- €1,444.00
Dunboyne Offertory	- €1,274.00
Kilbride Development	- €98.00
Kilbride Offertory	- €226.00