



## Parish of Dunboyne and Kilbride.

Saturday 13th April 2024 – Sunday 21st April 2024.

Priest on Duty: **Fr. Warren Collier 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.

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Website: [www.dunboynekilbrideparish.org](http://www.dunboynekilbrideparish.org).

### Mass Intentions: Dunboyne.

Saturday	7 pm	Vera & Denis Keague   Philip, Margaret & Michael Cauldwell   Peter Barron.
Sunday	9 am	Gerry Connaughton   Josie Dunne.
	11.30 am	Muirgheas Quinlan   John Mannion   Tommy Kane   Gerry Ryan.
Monday	9 am	
Tuesday	9 am	Bee Martin.
Wednesday	9 am	Novena to end abortion and protect the life of the unborn.
Thursday	9am	
Friday	9 am	
Saturday	10 am	Noel Reilly & Patrick & Rose Fox.
	7 pm	Bobby Eager   Della Brady   The Maguire Family, Castlefarm.
Sunday	9 am	
	11.30 am	Patrick McHugh (Month's Mind)   Nicholas Murphy (Month's Mind).

### Mass Intentions: Kilbride.

Saturday	6pm
Sunday	10am
Saturday	6pm
Sunday	10am

Do not remain attached to worldly ways of thinking and behaviour. You know better. Hence, claim your freedom by embracing your call to holiness. The call to holiness, which is the normal call, is our call to live as a Christian, namely living as a Christian is the same as saying 'living as a saint'. Many times we think of holiness as something extraordinary, like having visions or lofty prayers ... or some think that being holy means having a face like that in a cameo ... no. Being holy is something else. It is to proceed along this path that the Lord tells us about holiness. And what is it, to proceed along the path of holiness? Peter says it "Put all your hope in that grace that will be given to you when Jesus Christ manifests Himself."

*Pope Francis*



**Trocaire** Please return your Trocaire boxes to the Church. They can be left in the sacristy after any of the Masses or dropped into the parish office. Do not leave unattended in the Church.

**Accord Catholic Marriage Care Service** : Getting married in 2024? Marriage Preparation Programme in Dunboyne Castle Hotel, Dunboyne, Co. Meath on 5th & 6th July just added. Contact [www.accord.ie](http://www.accord.ie) to book your place.

**Meath Diocesan Pilgrimage to Knock** will take place on Sunday 11th August 2024. The Pilgrimage will be led by Bishop Tom Deenihan and will also be accompanied by the Meath Diocesan Choir. The Fr. Willie Doyle Pilgrimage will also take place on Sunday 11th August.

### Parish Development Envelopes for 2024:

There are still a number of boxes ready for distribution or collection. We invite the people who so obligingly distribute the boxes, to collect them at the parish office. Alternatively, if families wish to collect their own box, they are welcome to do so from the parish office. If you do not receive a series of envelopes and wish to contribute to the parish building fund, you can contact the parish office, or collect a standing order form from the church.



### First Holy Communion 2024 - Dunboyne, Kilbride & Gaelscoil.

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

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

**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.joewalstours.ie](http://www.joewalstours.ie) Tel.: 01 2410800

**A Day for Choirs, Musicians & Cantors at the Dominican College, Newbridge** Saturday 16 April, 10am to 7pm. Presented by a Dominican friar from Poland, Australian soprano and liturgical music expert, an Irish Dominican friar. Content: New liturgical music from Poland, good liturgical practice, filling gaps in your repertoire, launch of a new hymnal, record music for Irish Dominicans' 800 years in Ireland. €32 including three-course lunch. Book: [DominicanDayChoirs2024.eventbrite.com](http://DominicanDayChoirs2024.eventbrite.com)

**Stained Glass Windows:** A programme for the restoration of the windows of Dunboyne Church will begin soon. It will continue for a few years as it will be an expensive project. We have applied for a heritage grant from Meath County Council to a maximum of €10,000 as determined by the heritage officer. The windows where the lead was perished were re-leaded last summer and they will begin the phase of re-pointing the windows, many of which are leaking. The first phase will commence with the windows at the front of the church which are in the worst condition being re-pointed. The windows will be removed from the building for restoration.

**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.

### 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.

**Bethany Bereavement Support:** One to One/Group Confidential Service 1<sup>st</sup> Wednesday of the month in the Parish Office or home visits etc., can be arranged. Phone 085 1848258 If at any time in the future you feel the need for support or a listening ear, we would be glad to help you

### We welcome the newly Baptised from our Parish:



Marley McGillacuddy, Kilbreena | Phoebe Doonan, Dunboyne Castle  
Eloa Souza Lynch ; Rosie Rochford, Beechdale | Conor Brady Martyn,  
Summerseat | Callum Punton, Newtown Commons | Darcie Lynch,  
Kilbride | Lucas Gladoic, Hamilton Hall | Disy Mai Coffey, Millfarm.

**Parish Finance Committee Meeting:** The next Parish Finance Committee meeting will take place on Tuesday 23rd April at 7:30pm in the parish office.

### Community Notices

**Anam Cara North Dublin**, the organisation that supports bereaved parents, is holding a Parent Evening for bereaved parents on Wednesday 17th April 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](mailto:info@anamcara.ie) or 085 2888 888 for any queries.