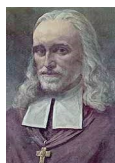


**Commissioning Ceremony
for new & current
Ministers of the
Word & Eucharist**



will take place next Sunday 23rd June
at the 10am Mass in Moylagh and
the 11.30am Mass in Oldcastle.
You can attend either ceremony.

**Loughcrew Sunday takes
place on Sunday the 30th of
June, Mass at 3pm. Bishop
Deenihan will preside.**



**This year marks the 49th
Anniversary of St Oliver's
Canonisation in Rome by Pope Paul VI
in 1975**



**Revised hours of Adoration
Monday, Tuesday &
Wednesday 10.30am until
12.30pm**

Tax Refund Parishioners who contribute
€250 or more in any one year to the parish can
sign a CHY3 form. The Parish can then claim
back from revenue on your behalf. Please
consider using box of weekly envelopes or
contributing to the parish by standing order.
Thanks to all who returned their completed
CHY3 claim form. If you have forgotten about
it or have mislaid the form, please contact
Josie in the parish office and she will be happy
to re-issue one for you.
**Please Note....There is no cost involved and
this does not affect your personal tax.**
Sincere thanks for your continued support.

**Thank you to all our Altar Societies - Now
that we have entered Ordinary time will they
please resume their usual works. Copies of
the Altar society rotas are available from the
sacristy after any of the masses**



Signed Mass Cards available from sacristies after all Masses and from the
Parochial House Monday & Thursday 10am - 3pm

Visits to the Sick & Housebound



*Fr Mark will visit the sick &
housebound of the parish after
the Loughcrew celebrations*

**Day for Life:
a dedicated day celebrating the beauty
and dignity of all human life**

Day for Life Sunday is celebrated annually with a special message by the Catholic Church across Ireland, Scotland, England and Wales. It is a day specifically dedicated to raising awareness and reflecting on the deep value and meaning of human life at every stage, and in every condition. On Sunday 16 June, the Church will mark Day for Life 2024 with a message on the theme: *The Lord is my shepherd - Compassion and Hope at the End of Life.*

This year's message reminds us that Jesus did not send the sick away, rather He showed that life always has dignity and that there is no such a thing as a useless life. Catholics are called to defend this gift of life to its natural end and to protect vulnerable citizens from a culture that could pressure them into assisted suicide. In this way, we are encouraged to support people with the companionship of a listening ear, appropriate treatment, and the best of care, so that their last days can be times of grace, intimacy and love. This message also includes a brief human-interest story about a young man named Matt, and the experience of a priest who ministered to Matt and his loved ones in his final months and days. This grace-filled time proved to be a period of intense compassion and profound dignity, as well as faith enriching experience of love and generosity for all concerned.



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16th June 2024

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Mass intentions for the week ahead...

- Sat 5.45pm William, Anna & John Walmsley & Nobby Flanagan. Kathleen & Tom Gray & family.
- Sat 7pm Michael Reidy & decs parents. **(LMFM Radio Mass)**
- Sun 10am Olive & Eugene O'Growney also Catriona, Olivia & Rory.
- Sun 11.30am John & June Mara. Phil Ward, Cavan Rd.
- Mon 10am Mass Cards
- Tues 12noon **School Mass in Moylagh****
- Wed 10am Mass Cards
- Fri 7pm John Reilly, decd parents & family
- Sat 5.45pm Kathleen (Girley) Grall, husband Vincent & son Lionel. Ann Hand.
- Sat 7pm **1st Anniv: Noel Mahon**
- Sun 10am Peter, Paddy, Billy & Lizzie Smith. Anna Frances McDonnell
- Sun 11.30am John O'Grady-Walsh (20th anniv). Lila Monaghan.

Peter's Pence
A second collection will
be taken up at all
Masses next weekend



**Pray for the happy repose of ...
Molly Muldoon, whose ashes will be interred this morning.**

Help Wanted !
**As we all know Loughcrew Sunday is fast approaching and we need your help in
the old church and graveyard in Loughcrew.**
It needs a tidying up
**Please come on Wednesday the 26th at 7pm in Loughcrew
and bring all the gardening equipment you think will help**

Sts Brigid's & Oliver's Church

Ministers of God's Word

- Sat 15th: Peter Clinton
- Sun 16th: Pauline Heatherton
- Sat 22nd: Karen Grall
- Sun 23rd: Gretta Sheridan

**Special Ministers of
Holy Communion for June**

- 7pm: Sinead Heatherton, Ann Kellett, Connie Maguire
- 11.30am: Kay Feeney, Brigid McLarney, Carmel Maguire

St Mary's Church

Ministers of God's Word

- Sat 15th: Cathy Guirke
- Sun 16th: Fiona Flynn
- Sat 22nd: Marion Flood
- Sun 23rd: Siobhan Kearney

**Special Ministers of
Holy Communion for June**

- 5.45pm: Nora McDermott & Kathy Flood
- 10am: Rosaleen Smith & Marie Jacob