

Diocesan Prayer To St Oliver Plunkett

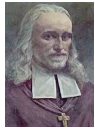
Oliver, Saint And Hero
You followed the way of Jesus
and stood up for what you believed in.

We honour your memory.
Guide the church of Meath
as we engage with the challenges of our time.
Direct our energies in ways that nurture faith in
Father, Son & Holy Spirit.

Walk with us on the pilgrim path,
Which involves renewal and change.
Help us to trust in Jesus as leader and teacher.

May we value all that is sacred
And embrace courageously ways of peace
And reconciliation. Amen

St Oliver Plunkett pray for us.



Meath Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes



will travel on **Sept 10th** and will be led by Bishop Deenihan. The diocesan choir will accompany the pilgrimage. Further info and booking forms available from Joe Walsh Tours www.joewalstours.ie 01-2410 800

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

Baptisms

take place twice a month
Moyleagh on Sat at 3pm
Oldcastle on Sun at 12.15pm
email: oldcastlepar-

Tax Refund Thanks to all who returned their completed CHY3 claim form. If you have forgotten about it or have mislaid the form, please contact the parish office and we 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.**

Providing compassionate care at the end of life.... To address the sensitive issue of compassionate care at the end of life, and in response to the need to inform the faithful of Catholic teaching on this important life issue that affects so many families, the Bishops of Ireland have published the pastoral letter: *Freedom to Live Fully, Until Death Comes*. You are invited to read this letter and view the accompanying video *Through the Valley*, which offers personal testimonies by carers and people with terminal illness. The key message of both letter and video asserts that every person possesses inherent, infinite dignity that remains intact regardless of their circumstances. In this context, bishops strongly oppose the Oireachtas Committee's proposal to Government to legislate for assisted suicide, and call on support for healthcare workers who uphold the sanctity of life. To read *Freedom to Live Fully, Until Death Comes* and to watch *Through the Valley*, visit the following link <https://www.catholicbishops.ie/2024/06/24/bishops-statement-on-end-of-life-care->

Would you be willing to provide companionship or make calls to Older People once a week? **ALONE** are seeking volunteers in your area. Full training and support provided. If interested please sign up here: <https://alone.ie/volunteers/> For more information, contact Frances on frances.sheerin@alone.ie or on 086 1085965



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Mass intentions for the week ahead...

Sat 5.45pm	Harry & Catherine McCabe also Joe Travers & Lil Murphy
Sat 7pm	Batty & Mamie McEnroe & decd family
Sun 10am	MM: Michael Gibney
Sun 11.30am	1st Anniv: Kathleen Caffrey & decd family Pat Smith.
Mon 10am	Mass Card Intention
Tues 10am	Mass Card Intention
Wed 10am	1st Anniv: Bridget Nolan
Fri 7pm	Seán Farrell & Thomas Gildea
Sat 5.45pm	Bartle Gilligan
Sat 7pm	Noreen Mullen. Cecilia Foley & her husband Michael.
Sun 10am	1st Anniv: Kathleen Gibney , also husband Richard & decd Gibney & Fay families Thomas, Mary, Paddy & Jimmy Peyton.
Sun 11.30am	1st Anniv: Rosaline Govern also her husband Franco. Nora Farrelly.

**Adoration Mon, Tues, Wed
from 10.30am until 12.30pm**

Sincere thanks to the Loughcrew Committee and everyone who helped make this year's celebration a huge success. We look forward to next year, when we mark the 400th anniversary of St Oliver Plunkett's birth and the 50th anniversary of his canonisation.

Sts Brigid's & Oliver's Church

Ministers of God's Word

Sat 6th: K. Grall
Sun 7th: AM McCaffrey
Sat 13th: G. Brady
Sun 14th: B. Brady

Special Ministers of Holy Communion for July

7pm: C. Maguire, A. Dooner, S. Boylan
11.30am: B Flynn, M Smith, K. Feeney

St Mary's Church

Ministers of God's Word

Sat 6th: G. Grall
Sun 7th: D. Hand
Sat 13th: E. Coyle
Sun 14th: E. Farrelly

Special Ministers of Holy Communion for July

5.45pm: AM Grall & L. Doran
10am: M. Mulvany & M Jacob



Copies of the new rotas for Ministers of the Word & Eucharist will be available from the sacristies from next Friday

