



Jubilee Year 2025 - Pilgrims of Hope !

Every 25 years is a Jubilee Year. In every diocese two churches are picked as special places of pilgrimage for that year. The church of St Finian Clonard, Co Meath and Sts Brigid and Oliver's Church, Oldcastle, have been chosen with particular devotion to Saint Oliver. The Bishop will formally launch our church as a Jubilee church next week. More information will follow.



ST OLIVER 400 COMMITTEE MEETING THIS COMING TUESDAY 25TH AT 7PM

SOME DATES FOR YOUR DIARY:

- March - April:** National Art Competition for school Children
- Saturday 28th June:** Family Fun Day in the Gilson Park.
- Sunday 29th June:** Annual Diocesan Mass in Loughcrew 3pm
- Tuesday 1st July:** Feast of St Oliver Plunkett, Mass and anointing of the sick in Oldcastle at 12 noon.
- Friday 4th July:** Plunkett Family Gathering at Loughcrew 11.30am
- Saturday 5th July:** Festival & Mock Trial of Saint Oliver Plunkett in Drogheda.
- Sunday 6th July:** Annual Saint Oliver Pilgrimage Procession from Holy Family Church to St Peters, Drogheda for Mass at 2pm
- Sunday 12th October:** Healing Mass & Golden Jubilee of Canonisation of Saint Oliver, Armagh Cathedral
- Saturday 1st November:** 400th Anniversary of the birth of Saint Oliver, Mass in Oldcastle 7pm



First Holy Communion

Oldcastle - Sat 3rd May @ 11am
Moylagh - Sat 10th May @ 11am



Adoration

Mon, Tues, Wed
10.30am-12.30pm



Baptisms take place on the second weekend each month on Saturday at 2pm & Sunday at

12.15pm. Email oldcastleparish@gmail.com for available dates & to obtain a Baptism Request Form



Signed Mass Cards

available from sacristies after all Masses and from the Parochial House on Thursday & Wednesday 10am - 3pm.

These Masses are celebrated by Fr Mark & Religious Priests



Altar List of the Dead

Mass is offered on the First Friday for all those on the parish Altar List of the Dead



OLDCASTLE & MOYLAGH PARISH

Sunday 23rd March 2025

(Third Sunday of Lent)

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Mass intentions for the week ahead...

- Sat 5.45pm Frank Gibney & decd Gibney, Farnan, Byrne, Growney & Geraghty families.
- Sat 7.00pm James & Jean Flood. Tommy Joe, Maureen, Kitty Tully & family.
- Sun 10.00am Eammon McDonnell (2nd anniv) & decd family. Michael Smyth & decd family.
- Sun 11.30am Pat Cushnan (2nd anniv) Sheila Cantwell.
- Mon 10.00am Special Intention.
- Tues 10.00am Patrick Fitzsimons, also Mary & Niall.
- Wed 10.00am Mass Card Intention
- Thurs 10.00am Celebrant's Intention
- Fri 10.00am Mass Card Intention
- Sat 5.45pm Mass
- Sat 7.00pm Frances & John McManus daughter Ann-Marie. Kathleen & Brian Halpin.
- Sun 10.00am Bridget Kennedy.
- Sun 11.30am Bernadette & Fonníe Sheridan. Owen & Lil Smith & John Byrne.

Please Note:
The Parish Office will now open on Wednesdays & Thursdays from 10 - 3pm

Pray for the repose of the soul of

Anne Fox late of Mellows Park, who died in London. Funeral arrangements later.
Jim Lynch late of Church Street, who died in Florida.



EASTER RAFFLE

(tickets €5 each or book of 5 for €20)

The St Oliver 400 committee are pleased to announce a fun raffle for Easter. The tickets will go on sale next week. We thank our sponsors, Galligans Oil, B.D. Flood & McPeake Auctioneers. Prizes to the value of €1,000, €500, €200 (x2), & €100.



First Confession

for children from Oldcastle & Moylagh schools on

Tuesday 8th April in St Brigid's Church Oldcastle at 7pm

Sts Brigid & Oliver's Church

Ministers of God's Word

- Sat 22nd: Imelda
- Sun 23rd: Gretta
- Sat 29th: Cora
- Sun 30th: Donna



Special Ministers of Holy Communion for MAR

- Vigil: Marian, Margaret, Paul
- 11.30am: Brigid, Mary, Kay



St Mary's Church

Ministers of God's Word

- Sat 22nd: Cathy
- Sun 23rd: Fiona
- Sat 29th: Gerry
- Sun 30th: Dearbhhaile

Special Ministers of Holy Communion for MAR

- Vigil: Helen & Geraldine
- 10am: Elaine & Aoife