

CEMETERY DEVOTIONS

Oldcastle

Sat 31st May after 7pm Mass

Moylagh

Sun 2nd June after 10am Mass



**WE ENCOURAGE EVERYONE
TO TIDY THEIR LOVED
ONE'S GRAVE
AND ASK THAT YOU TAKE YOUR
WASTE HOME WITH YOU**



Please let Fr Mark know if a loved one is in hospital and would like to be anointed.

As part of the St Oliver 400 celebrations, and the occasion of the 50th anniversary of his canonisation, we are asking for photographs, books, memorabilia or memories that people may have. Either during the canonisation in Rome or when the relic was returned to the church in Oldcastle in October 1975. These items can be left into the St Vincent De Paul shop during opening hours or speak to any member of the St Oliver 400 Committee. We propose to have an exhibition in Oldcastle Library in May.

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



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Mass intentions for the week ahead...

Sat	5.45pm	Chrissie Monaghan (1st Anniv) & decd family. Barney & Rose Dolan. Mary Snow (20th anniv) Maureen Fox.
Sat	7.00pm	Bernadette Fitzpatrick (2anniv) Margaret & Terry Keoghan & decd family. May & James Lynch & decd Lacy & Lynch families.
Sun	10.00am	Tom Gibney & decd family. Barney & Christine Grall.
Sun	11.30am	James & Margaret Tuite & daughter Fionnuala. Minnie & John McNerney, Mary Smith Stonefield.
Mon	10.00am	Mass Card Intention
Tues	10.00am	Mass Card Intention
Wed	10.00am	*Mass - followed by Rosary & Benediction
Fri	10.00am	Julia & Nicholas Caffrey
Sat	5.45pm	Bessie & Billy McGrath
Sat	7.00pm	Ann Fox (MM) Bridget Hannon & Louise O'Reilly. Patrick Hetherton (50th anniv) & grandson Michael
Sun	10.00am	Michael & Rose Snow & decd family
Sun	11.30am	Ann-Marie & Shelly Fitzsimons & decd McCann & Fitzsimons families

**Wednesday 7th of May, marks the start of The Conclave to elect a new Pope. Morning Mass will be followed by Rosary and Benediction.*

Congratulations.....



to the children from Gilson NS who received the sacrament of First Holy Communion this weekend. We thank their parents & teachers who guided them to this very Special Day.

The children from Moylagh NS will receive the sacrament next Saturday 10th May.

Sts Brigid & Oliver's Church

Ministers of God's Word

Sat 3rd: Karen
Sun 4th: Brendan
Sat 10th: Gertie
Sun 11th: Ann



Special Ministers of Holy Communion for MAY

Vigil: Sinead H, Oliver & Joan
11.30am: Caroline, Rose & Mary



St Mary's Church

Ministers of God's Word

Sat 3rd: Gerry
Sun 4th: Dearbhaile
Sat 10th: Marion
Sun 11th: Siobhan

Special Ministers of Holy Communion for May

Vigil: Eilish & Mary
10am: Marie & Rosaleen