

## Meath Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes. Sept 2026

Why not consider gifting a loved one a trip to Lourdes!

The Annual Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes, led by Bishop Deenihan, is scheduled to depart on 8th September 2026. Pilgrims have the option of selecting a 4 or 5 night stay. All pilgrims will be accommodated in hotels with fares starting at €849 for full board. Booking forms can be obtained through Joe Walsh Tours. For further inquiries contact:



Tel: 01-2410800 or visit their website at [www.joewalshtours.ie](http://www.joewalshtours.ie)



### Altar List of the Dead

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



**Signed Mass Cards** are available from sacristies after all Masses and from the parochial house, Monday & Thursday 10am-3pm. These Masses are offered by Fr Mark and Religious / Retired Priests



### Prayer to St. Oliver Plunkett Glorious Martyr:

Saint Oliver, who willingly gave your life for your faith, help us also to be strong in faith.

May we be loyal like you to the See of Peter. By your intercession and example may all hatred and bitterness be banished from the hearts of Irish men and women.

May the peace of Christ reign in our hearts, as it did in your heart, even at the moment of your death.

Pray for us and for Ireland.  
Amen.

## SACRAMENTS



**Confirmation**  
**Thursday 12th of February**  
Sts Brigid's and Oliver's Church, Oldcastle at 3pm.



**First Holy Communion dates**  
**April 25th for Oldcastle &**  
**May 9th for Moylagh both ceremonies at 11am**

**Bingo** – every Monday night at 8pm in Castlerahan Community Centre. Over €1,500 in prizes must be won every night.

Everyone welcome.

## THE PARISH OF OLDCASTLE & MOYLAGH

11th January 2026

**The Baptism of the Lord**

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### MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK AHEAD...

Sat	5.45pm	Mick Gilsenan
Sat	7.00pm	Hanora (Norrie) & Patrick Kavanagh, decd Herbstreit & Kavanagh fam.
Sun	10.00am	Luke Thompson
Sun	11.30am	Peggy & Jack Hand. Hugh & Peggy Gibney
Mon	10.00am	Peter, Bridie, Niall & Joe Donohue
Tues	10.00am	Tommy Mullen (20th Anniv) also Mary Hussey.
Wed	10.00am	John Hubble & Benny Malone
Fri	10.00am	Celebrant's Intention
Sat	5.45pm	Celebrant's Intention
Sat	7.00pm	Celebrant's Intention
Sun	10.00am	Cathleen Muldoon. William McDermott
Sun	11.30am	John, Elizabeth & Michael Reilly. Patsy & Bridie Smith. Bridget & Laurence Fox, decd fam & Bill Lynch.

**Adoration Mon, Tues & Wed 10.30am-12.30pm**

**Pray for the happy repose of the souls of.....**



**Kathleen McCaul & Anne McCann** whose funerals were during the week.  
**Rachel Mahon** UK, burial of ashes in Moylagh on Saturday.  
**Peter Kennedy** Ferbane & **Denis Nulty** Turin, brother & brother-in-law of Teresa Kennedy



The Baptism of Jesus reminds us of our own baptism and that each one of us is called to be holy and to fulfil our vocation in life. We pray that the men called to serve the diocese as priests will know that, like Jesus, they are beloved sons of the Father, and that they will find fulfilment in spreading the Good News of God's love for everyone.

### Sts Brigid & Oliver's Church Ministers of God's Word

Sat 10th: Imelda  
Sun 11th: Pauline  
Sat 17th: Cora  
Sun 18th: Ann Marie



**Special Ministers of Holy Communion for JAN**  
Vigil: Annette, Charlie, Joan  
11.30am: Caroline, Bridget, Rose & Mairin



### St Mary's Church Ministers of God's Word

Sat 10th: Marian  
Sun 11th: Fiona  
Sat 17th: Lisa  
Sun 18th: Dearbhaile

**Special Ministers of Holy Communion for JAN**  
Vigil: Nora & Brendan  
10am: Rosaleen & Aoife