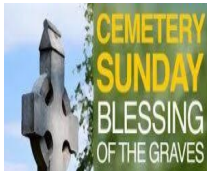


Cemetery Devotions Next Weekend

Sat 30th in Oldcastle after 7pm Mass

Sun 31st in Moylagh after 10am Mass.

We kindly encourage everyone to take a little time to tidy their loved one's grave. We would also appreciate it if you could please take any waste home with you for disposal. Thank you for your help in keeping the cemetery a respectful and a well-kept place for all.



Loughcrew Sunday June 28th 2026

Mass will be celebrated at 3pm with homilist Bishop Denis Nulty

Prayer to Saint Oliver Plunkett, Bishop and Martyr.

Glorious Martyr, 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

Lough Derg Three Day Pilgrimage

Mon 29th Jun-Wed 1st Jul. Bus from Mullingar Park Hotel at 8.30 am. For further information and bookings contact Carmel Carty Tel: 044 9374818 See church notice board for more details.

Vocations: Be filled with God's Spirit. Answer His call to Priesthood.

"The tongues of fire separated; one of them rested on each one of them" (Acts 2:3).

Each of the Apostles had been given a new spirit and a new heart (cf. Ez 36:26f; cf. Jn 7:37-39). Tongues of fire burned away all doubts and fears from their hearts to fill them with joy and to give them the gifts of the Lord's Holy Spirit: "love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, generosity, faithfulness, gentleness and self control" (Gal 5:22). Like the Apostles, allow God's Holy Spirit to give you a new heart in your vocation. Become the Lord's priest who speaks the language of God for others. Be inflamed with Christ. Become His priest.

Vocations information: Phone: Fr Tony Gonoude 044 9373923 Website: www.meathvocations.com

Upcoming Parish Events:

- **Saturday, June 6th — 7.00pm** Ceremony of Consecration to a Life of Virginity Lived in the World of Ms Arlene Smith, celebrated by Bishop Deenihan. Refreshments will be served afterwards in the Parish Centre.
- **Sunday, June 7th — 11.30am** Corpus Christi Procession in the church and grounds, followed by Benediction.
- **Sunday, June 28th — 3.00pm** Loughcrew Sunday.



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MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK AHEAD... (23RD – 31ST MAY)

Sat	5.45pm	William McDermott - birthday remembrance
Sat	7.00pm	Barbara Mara - MM also her husband Michael. Michael Reidy & decd fam. Kitty & William Kavanagh & Marcella McDonnell. Owen Traynor.
Sun	10.00am	People of the Parish
Sun	11.30am	Seán Coyle - 1st Anniv , also his wife Ita. Lila Monaghan. Jody Boylan.
Mon	10.00am	Pat Finnegan
Tues	10.00am	Tomás Fox
Wed	10.00am	May Farrelly
Fri	10.00am	Special Intention
Sat	5.45pm	Mass
Sat	7.00pm	For all interred in Oldcastle cemetery
Sun	10.00am	For all interred in Moylagh cemetery
Sun	11.30am	Jim Hughes - MM also his wife Mary Kathleen, Eileen, Rita & Pee Tuite. Caroline Ginnity Fitzsimons, sisters, Angela, Pamela, Mable, Bridie & brother Terence Philip.

**Adoration of the Most Blessed Sacrament
Mon, Tues & Wed
10.30am - 12.30pm**



On Pentecost Sunday we pray for a powerful outpouring of the Holy Spirit on deacons, seminarians, and on the men discerning a vocation to serve the Church as priests of our diocese. May the Spirit of Jesus fill the hearts of many more with the courage to answer God's call to them and keep them faithful in their ministry



Please pray for **Mary Kenny**, formerly of Baltrasna, whose funeral took place on Tuesday

Lectors for May 2026

	OLDCASTLE	MOYLAGH
Sat 23rd:	Mary	Cathy
Sun 24th:	Pauline	Eileen
Sat 30th:	Karen	Lisa
Sun 31st:	Gretta	Fiona

Special Ministers For MAY 2026

	OLDCASTLE	MOYLAGH
Saturday:	Sinead B. Elizabeth & Carmel	Lally, Eilish
Sunday:	Sinead H, Annette, Joan & Margaret	Stephanie, Marie

Recruiting
Please nominate someone you know who may be willing to serve the ministry of Reader or Special Minister of Holy Communion.

Nominations can be sent to:
oldcastleparish@gmail.com