



2026 Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes

The Annual Diocesan Pilgrimage, led by Bishop Deenihan, will depart in a couple of weeks time on **Tuesday the 8th September**. The Meath Diocesan Choir will accompany the pilgrims.



Meath Diocesan Pilgrimage to Padua & Assisi Celebrating the Franciscan Jubilee Year

Bishop Deenihan will lead a diocesan pilgrimage leaving on the 26th Sept for 5 nights. Bookings and/or enquiries to JWT Travel
Tel: 01 2410800

Signed Mass Cards available from sacristies after all Masses and from the Parochial House on Wed & Thurs 10am - 3pm. These Masses are celebrated by Fr Mark and Religious Priests.



Palliative Care Week 6th - 12th Sept is a campaign dedicated to raising public awareness & increasing understanding & benefits of palliative care. Its primary audience includes those who could benefit from palliative care, health and social care professionals, the wider public, and communities across the island of Ireland. 2026 marks the 13th year of this important campaign. Since 2014, AIIHPC has proudly led and co-ordinated the annual campaign. This year's theme, 'It's not what you think,' invites us to challenge perceptions and look at things differently. There are many ways to support the campaign and support us to raise awareness of palliative care.

Palliative Care Week Resources

9 Sept - Irish Hospice Foundation 'Think Ahead', webinar

10 Sept - LauraLynn, Ireland's Children's Hospice Webinar.

(Visit the AIIHPC website for more details and various links)



The Sacrament of Confirmation will be administered on **Tuesday 23rd February 2027** in St Brigid's Church, Oldcastle.



Prayer for Vocations

That the men called to priesthood will be filled with courage and hope as they hear Jesus calling them to follow

Him by renouncing themselves, taking up their cross every day, and finding life in Him and in the service of His people.



Meath Diocese Pioneers Afternoon Prayer & Reflection will be held on **Sunday 6th Sept from 2-5pm at the Franciscan Friary Multyfarnham**. All pioneers are encouraged to attend.



Baptisms take place one weekend every month in the parish

Email:

oldcastleparish@gmail.com for available dates

Slimming World

Meetings in the Parish Centre every Tuesday evenings starts the 8th Sept at 5.30pm. Contact Barbara on 085 7470292 for more details

The Parish of Oldcastle & Moylagh

30th August 2026

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Parish Office Hours: Wed & Thurs - 10am-3pm



MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK AHEAD... (29TH AUG - 6TH SEPT)

Sat	5.45pm	Julia McPartland - 1st Anniv. Ted & Lily Gilsenan
Sat	7.00pm	Rose Cadden, Jim Clinton
Sun	10.00am	Missa Pro Populo
Sun	11.30am	Jim & Kitty Lynch
Mon	10.00am	Mass Card Intention
Tues	10.00am	Mass Card Intention
Wed	10.00am	Mass Card Intention
Fri	10.00am	First Friday - List of the Dead
Sat	5.45pm	Mass
Sat	7.00pm	Darren Connell. Thos. & Mary Culligan, son Tommy, son-in-law Vincent, daughter-in-law Eileen & decd fam.
Sun	10.00am	Mary, Felix & Tom Reilly.
Sun	11.30am	Betty Brady - MM Maggie Reilly, parents Brigid & Frank. Bridie Hetherton(11th anniv) & decd Osbourne & Hetherton families.

N.B. Next weekend is an Offering weekend Please use the envelope marked 'Harvest Offerings'

Prayer for the Start of a New School Year

Heavenly Father, as this new school year begins, we ask for Your protection, wisdom, and peace over students, teachers, and staff. Bless students with focus, kindness, and courage. Grant teachers patience and strength, and parents grace during this transition. Guide our steps, keep us safe, and fill our community with Your love. **Amen**



Lectors for AUG/SEPT 2026

OLDCASTLE

Sat 29th: Cora
Sun 30th: Ann-Marie
Sat 5th: Margaret
Sun 6th: Ann-Marie



MOYLAGH

Lisa
Mairead & Laura
Gerry
Siobhan

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

Special Ministers for SEPT 2026

OLDCASTLE

Sat: Marian, Margaret, Paul
Sun: Mairin, Mary, Kay, Brigid Mc

MOYLAGH

AnnMarie, Brendan
Elaine, Teresa

