



PARISH OF MULLINGAR

Cathedral of Christ the King,
St Paul's Church,
Walshestown, Brotenstown, Gainstown
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Priests of the Parish

Fr Padraig McMahon, Adm, VF
Fr Joseph Naikarakudy
Fr Paul Crosbie
Fr Robert McGivney
Fr Ciprian Solomon

Parish Office Hours

Monday - Friday 9am-5pm
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Vigil Mass (Saturday)

Cathedral: 6pm

Sunday Mass Times

Cathedral: 8.30am, 11am, 12.30pm
St. Paul's: 10.30am, 12noon
Walshestown: 9am
Brotenstown: 10am
Gainstown: 11am

Daily Mass

7.45am & 10am Cathedral Mon - Sat
9.15am St Paul's Mon-Fri

Confessions in the Cathedral

Saturday 2.30pm-3.30pm

Eucharistic Adoration

8am-8pm in the Cathedral

Bereavement Support

087-6309808

Child Safeguarding Representatives

Linda Duncan & Maeve Corroon

Collections last weekend

Cathedral: €3,502 Thank
St Paul's: €1,122 You!
Walshestown: €195
Brotenstown: €205
Gainstown: €135
Parish Envelopes: €1,050
Today is an offering day for the support of the parish clergy

Upcoming events in the Cathedral.....

Mass for College students next Sunday

We are inviting third-level students to join us at Mass next Sunday at 11am when we will look at ways to help College students to practise their faith. If you would like to help us take part in the Mass, please message us on the parish FB page or call Linda at 9348338.



Emmett Cahill in concert in the Cathedral on Friday 22nd September at 8pm. Special guests The Lynn Singers, in aid of North Westmeath Hospice, tickets available at northwestmeathospice.ie €20.

Family Prayer - Blessing of new schoolbags

Tuesday 12 noon in the Cathedral, a ceremony to mark the beginning of a new year in primary school. Children and their parents are all welcome.

Lord, we thank you for your goodness to all your children. Be with these children throughout this new school year. May your blessing be upon these schoolbags, which the children will carry to and from school each day. Watch over the children in their coming and their going: Keep them safe always; help them to be kind; Bless their learning and their play. Enfold them at all times in your love. Through Christ our Lord. Amen.



Grandparents National Annual Pilgrimage September 10th 2017, Knock Shrine 2.30p.m. Everybody welcome to honour & thank Grandparents alive & dead for all they have done for us down through the ages. Chief Celebrant Archbishop Eamon Martin

Church-State Relations: A delegation of bishops held a two-hour bilateral meeting on Thursday with the Taoiseach and ministers in Government Buildings, Dublin. The agenda for the meeting included the World Meeting of Families 2018 and possible visit by Pope Francis; education issues and the 8th Amendment to the Constitution.

Auditions for Cathedral Choristers now underway



Choristers at the Cathedral of Christ the King play a huge role in Mullingar parish and auditions for budding new Choristers will take place this Wednesday (6 September) at 6pm.

The choristership experience is probably the best musical education available to boys between the ages of 8 and 13 years. It also offers the benefits of skills that will last a lifetime.

Performing to a highly professional standard, Choristers gain a natural self-confidence, as well as the appreciation of good time-keeping and the rewards that result from hard work and disciplined training, combined with a well-rounded social experience.

It is such a joy for us to have the Choristers at our Sunday Masses. They are a hugely important part of our Cathedral. We are very proud of the Choristers and they are a unique choir in the Diocese of Meath.

Prior to the summer holidays, each Chorister is presented with a certificate of recognition by the Cathedral clergy.

Previous members of the Choristers include Bressie, Mark Irwin and several other local singers who have developed music careers in Ireland and internationally.

Altar Servers

Every year we invite boys and girls to become Altar Servers in the Cathedral, St Pauls Church, Walshestown, Brotenstown and Gainstown. **If your son or daughter (3rd—6th class) would like to join those who serve Mass please contact the Parish Office.** Training will be provided. First practice for new Cathedral servers will take place in the Cathedral on Monday at 2.30pm with Fr Padraig.



After School Sacramental Classes

If your child attends a non-Catholic school and you would like him/her to receive First Confession or First Holy Communion in 2018, the child must enrol and attend the parish after school classes. Registration from 4th—18th September in parish office. **Confirmation classes** will commence in October for children who enrolled on Pentecost Sunday.

Mass Intentions next week

Monday: 7.45am: John P. Duignan. 10am: Lorraine Andrews-Donnelly. 9.15am: Jack Kiernan.
Tuesday: 7.45am: Catherine Kelly. 10am: Thomas Molloy. 9.15am: John Gallagher.
Wednesday: 7.45am: Paddy & Mary Frances Keenan. 10am: Davy Callaghan. 9.15am: Alan Kelly.
Thursday: 7.45am: Noel Donoghue. 10am: John & Paula McAnaney, Hubert & Lena O'Mahoney. 9.15am: Thomas Scally.
Friday: 7.45am: Stephen Downes. 10am: Keena family. 9.15am: Joseph Condon.
Saturday: 7.45am: Cathal Martin. 10am: Anniversaries Occurring Vigil 6pm: Ita Herity, Oaklawns (M.M.)
Next Sunday 8.30am Mary Murray, Bishopsgate Street (M.M.) 11am: John Daly, Ballinderry (1st Ann) 12.30pm: Pat McGarry, Lynn Heights (M.M.)
St Paul's 10.30am: Christy Owens, Ardmore Road (M.M.) 12 noon: Angela (Dolly) Flynn, Marlinstown (M.M.)
Walshestown 9am: Jack Keena. Brotenstown: 10am: Bertie McLoughlin. Gainstown 11am: Tom, Margaret & Michael Glennon.

Lourdes Hospitalite Mass, St Paul's Church, Monday 4th September, 7.30pm.

Rosary, Friday, Sunday's Well, 6.30pm, in honour of Our Lady's Birthday.

St Joseph's Young Priests Society, Monday, 7.30pm, Bethany.

World Suicide Prevention Day 10th September, this year the theme is Take a minute, change a life.

Country and Western, dance classes, Walshestown, Centre, Tuesday, 8.30pm.

LARCC Cancer Support Centre, Bereavement Support Group, ten week programme, information evening, in the LARCC Centre, Coole Road, Multyfarnham, Tuesday, 7.30pm

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James Rickard, Lynn Road
Tom Shaw, Dublin Road
Martin Kelly, Irishtown
Peter Butler, Knockdrin & Dublin
Nora Kelly, Lucan
Eileen Woodstock nee Crichton, Essex