



NEWSLETTER EIGHTEENTH SUNDAY YEAR C
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MASS INTENTIONS:

ST. JOSEPH'S, RATHWIRE.

Sunday 11:30am Missa pro populo

Wednesday 9am

Friday 9am.

Sunday 11:30am Francis & Michael Tully MM; Michael Cannon 1st Ann.

ST. BRIGID'S, RAHARNEY.

Saturday 6pm Missa pro populo

Sunday 10am Missa pro populo

Tuesday 9am

Thursday 9am

Saturday 6pm Missa pro populo

Sunday 10am Missa pro populo

Confessions: Fridays after Mass and Saturdays after the Vigil Mass



MASS OFFERTORY COLLECTION: ST. JOSEPH'S € 340.00 ST. BRIGID'S €230.00
PARISH DEVELOPMENT FUND (weekly envelopes): €695.50



**ON RECENTLY CELEBRATING
THE SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE
WE CONGRATULATE:**

Elaine Gahan & Vincent Carey;
Yvonne Daly & James Boyle



Adoration
of the
Blessed Sacrament

In St. Joseph's Tuesday 1pm-9pm.
& St. Brigid's Wed. 6pm-10pm:
*Special Diocesan intention of prayer
for vocations and the family.*



RIP Breda Smyth, Riverstown; Brigid McEnroe, Coventry.

All kindly check in at the sacristy before Mass

TO ASSIST NEXT WEEK

ST. BRIGID'S Ministers of Holy Communion: 6pm. Douglas Hynes & Margaret Farrelly. 10am. Declan Weir, Noel & Marie Greville. **Minister of the Word:** 6pm. Rebecca Smyth. 10am. Caroline Holdwright.

ST. JOSEPH'S Ministers of Holy Communion: 11:30am. Maura McAulliffe, Mary Briody & Sharon Fitzpatrick. **Ministers of the Word:** 11:30am Des Smyth.

VOCATIONS CORNER Ever think about becoming a diocesan priest – why not explore the thought more? Do you know of someone you think may have a vocation to the priesthood – why not ask them to consider it further? Check out www.dioceseofmeath.ie/vocations.

Migrants as an epitome of our time.

“Young migrants experience separation from their place of origin, and often a cultural and religious uprooting as well. Fragmentation is also felt by the communities they leave behind, which lose their most vigorous and enterprising elements, and by families, especially when one or both of the parents migrates, leaving the children in the country of origin. The Church has an important role as a point of reference for the young members of these divided families. However, the stories of migrants are also stories of encounter between individuals and between cultures. For the communities and societies to which they come, migrants bring an opportunity for enrichment and the integral human development of all. Initiatives of welcome involving the Church have an important role from this perspective; they can bring new life to the communities capable of undertaking them”. “Given the varied backgrounds of the Synod Fathers, the discussion of migrants benefited from a great variety of approaches, particularly from countries of departure and countries of arrival. Grave concern was also expressed by Churches whose members feel forced to escape war and persecution and by others who see in these forced migrations a threat to their survival. The very fact that the Church can embrace all these varied perspectives allows her to play a prophetic role in society with regard to the issue of migration”. In a special way, I urge young people not to play into the hands of those who would set them against other young people, newly arrived in their countries, and who would encourage them to view the latter as a threat, and not possessed of the same inalienable dignity as every other human being.

CHRISTUS VIVIT – CHRIST IS ALIVE!

*Post-Synodal Apostolic Exhortation of Pope Francis to
Young People and to the entire People of God*

MEATH DIOCESAN PILGRIMAGE TO KNOCK

next **SUNDAY 11TH AUGUST 2019**

Everyone is welcome to join with the Meath Diocesan Choir and pilgrims from across the diocese for the annual pilgrimage,

this year being led for the first time by our new bishop Most Rev. Tom Deenihan.

Bus from Turin departing 8:30am, to reserve seat contact 0469738015

PARISH PILGRIMAGE TO CROAGH PATRICK

To mark one year on from the World Meeting of Families and the visit of Pope Francis you are invited to join us on a parish day out on pilgrimage to Croagh Patrick on Saturday 24th August! So keep the date! It is never about getting to the top but just going up as far as you safely can. What matters most is joining with us for a special parish day and sharing in the Croagh Patrick experience. Those interested in travelling can put their names down in the sacristy after Mass or phone 044-9374127 to leave your name and contact number. The coach will be leaving from Raharney at 8am and Rathwire at 8:15am. Mass will be celebrated outdoors by the Famine Memorial and then pilgrims will begin the climb. There is a plenty to do for those who feel not able to climb, so please don't feel left out but come and join us to experience this beautiful sacred place. Bring a packed lunch etc and rain gear. We will make arrangements to have a meal on the way back. More details next week.

COMMUNITY NOTES

Camillian Pilgrimage 2019 Following in the footsteps of the great saints, St. Pio & St. Camillus; visiting San Giovanni, Alba Adriatica & Rome. Departing 26th September for seven nights. Spiritual Director will be Fr. Frank Monks MI. For full itinerary contact Mary Briody on 087-6336513 **Meath Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes 9-14 September 2019**. Bookings can be made with Pilgrimage Abroad Ltd, Lower Baggot St, Dublin 2. Tel 01-6359300. email: info@pilgrimagesabroad.ie

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