Parish of

Trim and Boardsmill

15 – 21
November 2026

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TRIM MASSES
7pm · 9am · 11am · 12.30pm

BOARDSMILL MASS
10am

BAPTISMS
Saturday 3pm

CONFESSIONS
Saturday 12noon – 1pm

EUCHARISTIC ADORATION
Sunday 1.15pm – 8pm

FIRST SATURDAY OF THE MONTH
Anointing of the Sick 10am
Blessing expectant mothers 7pm

Welcoming Bishop Deenihan on Friday 10am

Bishop Deenihan will celebrate Mass on Friday morning at 10am to mark the beginning of our new Scoil Naomh Padraig. We are delighted that the amalgamation is working very well. A new Board of Management is established for the school. The Bishop will visit the school after 10am Mass.

Young adults (18-30) faith group - tomorrow evening

The next gathering will take place on Monday evening at 7.30pm in the parish centre.
All are welcome.

Teenagers – Meath Diocesan Youth Day next Sunday

This event for teenagers will take place in Mullingar next Sunday and it promises to be a really exciting day for secondary school students. For more information, call the parish office (046 9431251) or email meathteens@gmail.com.

Children's Gospel Stories – Every Sunday 11am from now until Christmas

Children aged 5 – 8 years are welcome to join Sarah and Mark during the first part of Mass when the readings will be explained to them in a child-friendly way. This takes place in the family room beside the altar. Sarah and Mark have undertaken training for this role and they are delighted to welcome as many children as possible.

40 Hours Eucharistic Adoration in Mullingar Cathedral next weekend

Eucharistic Adoration will begin after Mass on Friday 20 November at 7:30 pm and conclude with Vespers and Benediction on Sunday 22 November at 4pm.

Each Pastoral Area in the Diocese has been invited to spend one hour in Adoration before the Blessed Sacrament.

Our designated hour is Sunday 22 November at 1pm.

Everyone is invited to take part in this diocesan event praying for vocations, for families preparing for the Sacraments and for peace in our world.

Parish Meals on Wheels

Many thanks to all who contributed to last weekend's collection which raised

€6144

We really appreciate this very generous support.

Mass Intentions

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Sat 7pm	Des, Gus Hatton & son Karl / Frank Lynch and Dec'd family / Tom, Mary Gartland & Jackie Gartland
Sun 9am	Dec'd members of Legion of Mary
Sun 10am	Dan, Ann Bagnall / Rita Reilly / James, Elizabeth & Dessie Brady
Sun 11am	Clarence, Kathleen Corrigan / Maura, Malachy O'Curry / John, Madeline Tobin, sons Thomas, Maurice, Paul & grandson Sean
Sun 12.30pm	Darren Souhan (MM) / PJ Souhan, Ned & Mollie Murtagh
Mon 10am	Patrick, Anne Duffy
Tue 10am	Thomas, Margaret Boland
Wed 7pm	Mary Divilly
Thu 10am	Dec'd of Murphy & Maher Families
Fri 10am	Mass
Sat 10am	Mary Griffin
Sat 7pm	James Conlon / Delia Toole / Dec'd of Glennon & Greaney Families / Soosaimary
Sun 9am	Zak McGowan
Sun 10am	Thomas, Moll Regan, Margaret, Larry Farnan / Richard, Kathleen Cosgrave & Dec'd Family
Sun 11am	Trinidad Diaz Aragones (MM) / John Dwyer / John Neary / Mary Murphy / Noel Dunne / Michael McDermott & parents
Sun 12.30pm	Chris Ryan / Rosemarie Lawrence

WE PRAY FOR RECENTLY DECEASED: **John Ennis,** Griffin Park **David Reston,** Castle Street

Hymns for 11am and 12.30pm

Opening Hymn Love is His Word No 20 Pg 16

Offertory Hymn Ag Chríost an Síol No 6 Pg 5

Looking ahead to Advent - new calendar available

Advent marks the beginning of the new liturgical year. There is a very helpful "Liturgical Calendar for Ireland". It is an essential guide to the Church's daily routine of prayer. It provides the basic rules for celebrating the liturgy, with notes and commentaries for a deeper understanding of the liturgical celebrations. It costs €12 and we can order them through the parish once.

Advent for Confirmation parents and children

Fr Paul will host 2 sessions (30 minutes each) on Zoom for Confirmation parents and children on how to better get ready for Christmas and Confirmation:
Monday 30 November at 7pm
Monday 7 December at 7pm.
If interested, email frpaul@trimparish.com.

Cemetery wall

Work is now completed in repairing parts of the wall in St Loman's Cemetery and painting the wall. Extensive work was also needed to restore the railings and gates. We were able to use the contributions from last July's Cemetery Sunday collection as well as an individual donation of €2,000 to meet the costs involved in this project. Thanks for your support.

Child Safeguarding

Our parish safeguarding representatives attended training last week. They will carry out the annual safeguarding audit in the coming days and return it to the diocesan once. The parish is committed to ensuring that all children taking part in Church activities are safe and have a welcoming and positive experience.

New altar servers

We want to welcome and encourage children to become altar servers. If your children regularly come to Mass, why not ask them if they would like to help us serving Mass? Please feel free to speak with Fr Paul or Fr John directly.

400th anniversary of iconic St Peter's Basilica, Rome

Wednesday marks 400 years since the original dedication of St Peter's Basilica in Rome. The first St Peter's Basilica was built by the Emperor Constantine in the fourth century. However in the early 1500s, it was decided that a new church would be designed and constructed. As one historian observed, "the new St Peter's Basilica took 120 years, 12 architects and 20 popes to complete!" by the time it was dedicated in 1626. Among the most prominent architects involved in the project was Michelangelo, who created the magnificent dome. Pope Leo XIV will mark the fourth centenary by celebrating Mass in St Peter's Basilica on Wednesday evening.