Parish of Trim and Boardsmill

Pastoral Area includes Dunderry, Enfield, Kilmessan and Summerhill

15 - 21 March 2026

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Fr Paul Crosbie PP Fr John Kennedy CC Fr Marcin Pietras (Polish Chaplain)

Trim Masses 7pm, 9am, 11am, 12.30pm **Boardsmill** 10am

Baptisms Saturday 3pm **Blessing expectant mothers** First Saturday of the month 7pm Mass

Anointing of the Sick First Saturday of the month after 10am Mass

Eucharistic Adoration Sunday 1.15pm - 8pm **Confessions** Saturday 12noon—1pm

Masses for St Patrick's Day

Monday (vigil) 7pm in Trim

Tuesday 9am and 11am in Trim

No Mass at 10am in Boardsmill or 12.30pm in Trim

Blessing for Mothers on Mother's Day

Loving God, as a mother gives life and nourishment
to her children, so you watch over your Church.
Bless our mothers with happiness so that they may be
a blessing to their families and to all in their care.
May Jesus, the Son of Mary, be their Protector
to give them strength and health and peace.
May the Holy Spirit, the Lord and giver of life,
shield them from all harm so that their faith and love
may shine forth.
Grant that we, their sons and daughters, may honour
them always with a spirit of respect and gratitude
through Christ our Lord, Amen.

Words of Pope Leo XIV for peace in Lebanon and Iran

The funeral of Father Pierre El Raii, Parish Priest of one of the Christian villages in southern Lebanon, which are currently experiencing, once again, the tragedy of war, is being held today (Wednesday) in Qlayaa, Lebanon. My thoughts are with all the Lebanese people at this time of grave trial. In Arabic, "El Raii" means "the shepherd." Father Pierre was a true shepherd, always standing by his people, with the love and sacrifice of Jesus the Good Shepherd. As soon as he heard that some parishioners had been injured in a bombing, he rushed to help them without hesitation. May the Lord grant that his shed blood may be a seed of peace for beloved Lebanon. Dear brothers and sisters, let us continue to pray for peace in Iran and throughout the Middle East, especially for the numerous civilian victims, including many innocent children. May our prayers be a comfort to those who suffer and a seed of hope for the future.

Saturday 7pm Brigid McCabe (First Anniv)
Patrick Dempsey (First Anniv) / Peter Dilworth
Daniel, Josephine Bagnall / Frank, Bridget Carr
Peter, Rita & Paul Campbell/Mary Rispin O'Donnell
Michael & Rosaleen O'Donnell
Sunday 9am Mass for people's intentions
Sunday 10am Jack, Lil Ennis
Sunday 11am John, Ellen Noone / James Black
Delia Canny & Dec'd Canny & Kirrane Families
John O'Rourke / Maureen Buttlerly
Sunday 12.30 Patrick Peppard (MM) / Rita Butler (nee Finnegan) / Johnny Moran & Dec'd Family
Monday 10am Kenny Murray
Wednesday 10am Desmond Carney
Thursday 7.45am Mick, Dilly Birmingham

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10am Nicholas, Julian Cooke
Friday 10am Mary McCormack (MM)
Margaret, Jim Roche & Nicholas Leonard
Saturday 10am Bridget, John Traynor
Saturday 7pm May Murphy
Thomas, Frances McGee & Dec'd
Sunday 9am Mass for people's intentions
Sunday 10am Jack, Josephine Flood & Dec'd
Sunday 11am Frances Fox / John McGrath / Rose Boyne / Ellie, Pat & Martin Stokes
Sunday 12.30 Tess (First Anniv) & Jim Conlon
Tiernan Byrne

We pray for the recently deceased
Willie Walsh, Peterstown
Claire Mulligan, Dunderry

Extra Mass for Lent 7.45am on Tuesdays Wednesdays & Thursdays
FRIDAY: Eucharistic Adoration for Lent on Fridays 2pm - 6pm

THURSDAY: Feast of St Joseph, 10am

Parish Finance Committee The next meeting will take place on Thursday at 7pm.

Parish Pastoral Council The next meeting will take place on Tuesday 24 March at 7pm.

Meals on Wheels A meeting with all Meals on Wheels drivers will take place on Thursday 19 March at 11.30am. Many thanks to Miriam, PV and Trim Church Choir for donation of €1,525.

Baptism meeting - 14 April 7pm The next meeting with parents of children for baptism will take place on Tuesday 14 April at 7pm in the parish centre.

Cemetery devotions in 2026

- Newtown Thursday 25 June 7pm
- Clonee Saturday 11 July 4pm
- Brannockstown Saturday 11 July 4.30pm
- Drinidaly Saturday 11 July 5pm
- St Loman's Sunday 12 July 3pm
- Loganstown and Trimblestown to be decided

Seven Mass Challenge cards for children during Lent are available in the church. It can be downloaded at www.trimparish.com

St Patrick's Day Procession to St. Patrick's Well, Crowpark starting from the entrance to Butterstream Estate, Kildalkey Road at 12noon. Meet at the entrance to Butterstream Estate before 12noon. Waterproof footwear is recommended.

Knights of St Columbanus Table quiz 8.30pm Thursday in Marcie Regan's. €10 per person (€40 per table). All welcome.

Trim Men's Shed From Thursday 19 March, Trim Men's Shed, Industrial Estate, Trim C15 XT5X will host open afternoons for older men every Thursday from 2pm–5pm. These afternoons will offer friendly company, chat, tea, and simple games in a warm, welcoming space. If you know any older man who may be lonely, isolated, withdrawn or who would like a bit of company for a couple of hours, please let him know. He will be very welcome.