

Parish of Trim and Boardsmill

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Update from the Parish Pastoral Council meeting last Wednesday

Bereavement – the parish wants to reach out to support families who are struggling with grief. Preparations are underway for the annual Bereavement Mass that will take place in November. It is noted that the Family Resource Centre is currently running the Rainbows programme for children who experience loss or separation.

Ukraine - As the war in continues, the parish is regularly receiving requests for refugee accommodation. We would like to update our list of availability. If your circumstances have changed since our last appeal and you are now in a position to offer help please contact the Parochial House. Your offer can be for a set length of time. All offers will be gratefully received and dealt with sensitively.



John Paul II Awards – work will begin on setting up this awards programme for young parishioners aged 16 to 18 years in the parish, recognizing their role and contribution to the Church and local community. If you are in this age group and would like to be involved, please contact us at 94 31251.

St Loman's Cemetery: no new surrounds around un-opened graves

- A meeting of the new cemetery advisory committee took place this week.
- The main item was surrounds around pre-purchased graves that have not been opened.
- We are entirely committed to honouring the arrangements that families have agreed with the parish for pre-purchased graves. For anyone who has already purchased a grave in St Loman's Cemetery, this arrangement will be honoured; these graves are recorded in the cemetery register.
- **However, it will no longer be permitted to put surrounds around un-opened graves in St Loman's Cemetery.**
- We are informing the monumental works staff in the locality about this decision.

Preparation for First Holy Communion and Confirmation

We hope to have dates before the end of the month for preparation meetings and Masses to help children and parents get ready for the Sacraments.

Before we finalise these plans, it would be helpful to have some feedback from children and parents who celebrated First Holy Communion and Confirmation last year. We would be happy to hear from you. What helped? What would you recommend? Please email us at spcctrim@gmail.com.



Mass intentions for the week ahead

Saturday 7pm Clement Kelly (First Anniv)

Peter, Louise Gibney

Martin, Frances, Thomas and Ann McGee

Dec'd of Costello and Fitzgibbon Families

Sunday 9am Mass for people's intentions

Sunday 10am Dan Bagnall / Jim, Sheila Kennedy

Sunday 11am Ellen Kane (First Anniv) / Ann Stack

Sunday 12.30pm Una, Dan Mangan / Padraic Lynch

Monday 10am Thomas, Martin, Larry Costelloe,

Stephen Fitzgibbon, Martin McGee

Tuesday 10am Nicholas, Julian Cooke

Paddy, Mollie Mooney & Margaret Morgan

Wed 10am Mary Gilligan / Hannah O'Connor

Thursday 10am Paddy Keogh

Friday 10am Martin, Patrick & Helen Stokes

Saturday 10am Mass

Saturday 7pm Larry Tobin / Gretta Dunne

Anna, Mathew Carroll & sons Tom, Eamon, John & Pat

Rosemary, Tracy & Frank Moran

Sunday 9am Mass for people's intentions

Sunday 10am Dec'd of McManus Family

Sunday 11am Bridget Colgan (MM)

Patrick, Collette Leonard & son Gareth

Sunday 12.30pm Bridget (First Anniv) & Joseph Wall /

Catherine, Christopher Leonard & Dec'd Family

We remember recently deceased

Johnny McCormack, Kiltale Nancy Higgins, Castlepollard

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Meath Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes



The Diocesan Pilgrimage will travel to Lourdes on Monday led by Bishop Deenihan. It is special to be able to return to Lourdes after an absence of 2 years due to travel restrictions. It is a time to remember all who have suffered, those who have died during this pandemic. A time to remember the health care workers and those who helped and cared for us during those difficult days.

During the Pilgrimage there will be prayers said and Masses offered for the people of the diocese. It is an opportunity for the people of the diocese to unite in prayer and a time of blessing. The opening Mass for the pilgrimage will be celebrated at the Grotto on Tuesday at 7.30am (Irish time) and will be available on the Lourdes webcam.

Thank you from Sr Kathleen

Sisters of Mercy and the Lynam Family wish to express their gratitude for the Eucharistic celebration for Sr Kathleen. Thanks to Fr Paul and Fr Warren for arranging the Mass and for their moving and well deserved tribute. Thanks to Miriam and the outstanding choir and all who participated in the Eucharist. Sr Kathleen wishes to express her sincere thanks and will be remembering all in gratitude and prayer in Convent of Mercy Tullamore where you will be always welcome.

Wednesday:

Feast of the Exaltation of the Cross

The cross (or crucifix) is one of the most prominent and essential symbols of our faith. This feast day draws our attention to the importance of the cross and reverence when making the Sign of the Cross. We encourage parents and grandparents to teach children how to correctly make the Sign of the Cross. It is a lesson they will learn once and last a lifetime.



LMFM Mass will be recorded in St Patrick's Church, Trim on Saturday at 7pm and broadcast on Sunday at 9am on FM 95.8.

Community Notices

Trim Floral Art Club Monday

"Coming into Autumn", Trim Castle Hotel.

Trim Musical Society Table Quiz on

Wednesday in Bounty Bar, €40 per table.

Info ph: 083 202 4103.

Masses - Sacraments - Office

Trim Vigil 7pm, Sunday 9am, 11am, 12.30pm

Boardsmill Sunday 10am

Confessions Saturday 12noon - 1pm

Eucharistic Adoration Sunday 12 noon - 8pm

Baptisms Saturdays at 3pm

Anointing of the Sick First Saturday of the month

Office Monday - Friday (except Tuesday) 10am - 5pm



Sunday Mass at 12.30pm is back after the summer break