

Parish of Trim and Boardsmill

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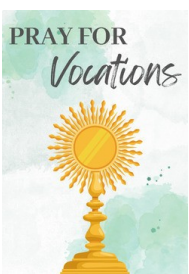
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First Blessing “Urbi et Orbe” of His Holiness Pope Leo XIV



Peace be with you all! Dear brothers and sisters, these are the first words spoken by the risen Christ, the Good Shepherd who laid down his life for God's flock. I would like this greeting of peace to resound in your hearts, in your families, among all people, wherever they may be, in every nation and throughout the world. Peace be with you! It is the peace of the risen Christ. A peace that is unarmed and disarming, humble and persevering. A peace that comes from God, the God who loves us all, unconditionally.

Allow me to extend that same blessing: God loves us, God loves you all, and evil will not prevail! All of us are in God's hands. So, let us move forward, without fear, together, hand in hand with God and with one another other! Christ goes before us. Humanity needs him as the bridge that can lead us to God and his love. Help us, one and all, to build bridges through dialogue and encounter, joining together as one people, always at peace. Together, we must look for ways to be a missionary Church, a Church that builds bridges and encourages dialogue, a Church ever open to welcoming, like this Square with its open arms, all those who are in need of our charity, our presence, our readiness to dialogue and our love. We want a Church that seeks to be close above all to those who are suffering.



All-Night Prayer Vigil for Vocations next month

Today we launch our plans for an all-night vigil of prayer for vocations. It will begin with the evening Mass on **Saturday 21 June at 7pm** and end the following morning, the Feast of Corpus Christi at 9am Mass. We are looking for a team of volunteers to help us to organise this prayer vigil, centred on Eucharistic Adoration for the intention of vocations in the Diocese of Meath.

Prayer for vocations to the priesthood and religious life

Loving God,
you call all who believe in you
to grow perfect in love
by following in the way of your Son.
Help young people to hear the call
to serve as priests and religious
in the Diocese of Meath.
Our needs are great and our people
thirst for your presence.

Open the hearts of many
to give themselves for your people
and their needs.
Bless those who are serving now
with courage and perseverance.
Grant that many will be inspired
by their example and faith.
Through Christ our Lord, Amen.

Saturday 7pm Oliver Perkins & Son Liam/ Pat Reilly

Veronica Quinn

Sunday 9am Mass for People's Intentions

Sunday 10am Paul Eivers

Peter & Claire Morgan & Daughter Peggy

Sunday 11am SHARED MASS Derek Stewart (MM)

Marie Tighe (First Anniv) / Mary Waters (First Anniv)

Patrick & Pearl Clarke / Eileen Gent

Sunday 12.30pm Kathleen Kearney

Monday 10am Henry Douglas

Tuesday 10am Maureen, Thomas, Eileen, Dick Murray

Wed 10am Trevor, James Looney & baby Michael

Thursday 10am John, Alice Tully

Friday 10am Patrick Melia

Saturday 10am David Joyce & Dec'd Family

Saturday 7pm Ben, Sheila Reilly & Dec'd Family

Eamon Graham & daughter Mairead

Sunday 9am Mass for People's Intentions

Sunday 10am Tommy Murray / Peadar Leahane

Sunday 11am Alan McGarry (First Anniv) / Joe Lynch

Bridget Ward & son Patrick / Pauline Markey

Sunday 12.30pm Cyril Halton

We pray for the recently deceased

Pat Brophy, Terenure

(Brother of James Brophy, Oakstown)

Pilgrimage of Hope for the Jubilee Year - Saturday 21 June at 12 noon

The following is the first draft of our parish pilgrimage, walking through the holy sites associated with our faith in the locality. Save the date. More details to follow.

Jubilee for Married Couples

Sunday 25 May at 11am Mass



There will be a blessing for couples who were married in the churches in Trim and Boardsmill over the past five years. This blessing will take place during 11am Mass. We will be looking for volunteers to assist us with some hospitality for the couples afterwards.

Meeting for parents of children being baptised

will take place on Thursday at 7pm in the parish centre.

Please return your Trocaire boxes

These can be brought to the churches, parish office and parochial house. Your donations are much appreciated.



Domestic Violence Awareness Coffee Morning

with An Garda will take place in the Parish Centre this Friday after 10am Mass. All welcome.

First Holy Communion Congratulations

to the children from Boardsmill and the Gaelscoil who celebrated their First Holy Communion yesterday.



Trim Floral Art Club Teaching Demonstration by Julie

Tracey on Monday 12th May at 7.30pm in Trim Castle

Annual Clergy Retreat for the Diocese of Meath Fr Paul and Fr John will take part in the annual clergy retreat this week. Thanks to Fr Joe White for helping in the parish in the coming days. Please keep all our priests in your prayers. We will be praying for your intentions.

Rosary for May

The outdoor rosary takes place at Our Lady's Grotto on Monday to Friday at 8pm. All are welcome.



Prayers for Exam Students

Saturday 24 May at 7pm Mass

Leaving Cert students from Boyne Community School will join us for prayers at this Mass ahead of their State exams. All students will be welcome to come along.

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

Boardsmill 10am

Baptisms Saturday 3pm

Confessions Saturday 12noon—1pm

Eucharistic Adoration

Sunday 1.15pm - 8pm

Anointing of the Sick

First Saturday of June 10am Mass

Blessing expectant mothers

First Saturday of May after 7pm Mass