

Parish of Middle Killeavy

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12TH MAY 2024

THE ASCENSION OF THE LORD

LATELY DECEASED:

Joe O'Sullivan, Liska Villas; Gareth McKinley, Liska Road;

MASS INTENTIONS THIS WEEK

Saturday 11th 6.15pm Cathy Coyle (M.M.);
William O'Hare; Pat Pearce
Sunday 12th 10.30am Evelyn Mathers (1st Anniversary);
Vincent & May Toner
Sunday 12th 12 noon Irene Harbinson (M.M.);
Rev. Br. Tim Monaghan & dec'd fam.
Sean & John McElroy; Special
Intention (Thanksgiving)
Monday 13th 10.30am Holy Souls & Protection of Life
Tuesday 14th 10.30am Parish Mass Intentions
Wednesday 15th 10.30am Priest's Intentions
Thursday 16th 10.30am Holy Souls x4
Friday 17th 10.30am Priest's Intentions
*Saturday 18th 10.00am Joe Haffey; Jim & Anne Haffey
Saturday 18th 6.15pm Thomas & Elizabeth McAlinden
John & Paddy Jordan; Anthony O'Brien
Sunday 19th 10.30am Sean Rodgers
Sunday 19th 12noon Tommy Courtney; Hugh & Agnes
Courtney

*NB: 10am due to First Holy Communion at 11am

WE WELCOME TO OUR PARISH:

Seana Mary Campbell: Drumalane Park
Caoimhe Amanda Taylor: Cluirt Na Cluna, Meigh

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION: Congratulations to the children from St. Malachy's PS who received their First Holy Communion this weekend. Best wishes to the children from Rathore School who will celebrate their First Holy Communion on Saturday next.

PARISH COLLECTION: last weekend raised: Weekly Collection – £1229(Env 937 Loose Plate £292 Education of Priests £102. Thank you for your continued support.

MISSION AWARENESS: Each year the Archbishop grants permission to different Religious Orders, to promote the work of their order, in our diocese. This year it is the "turn" of St. Patrick's Missionary Society (Kilteggan Fathers). A representative of the order will speak at Masses in our church next weekend (18th/19th May). Any support you can give them will be greatly appreciated.

HONOURING OUR LADY AT EASTER: The last of our Easter Masses in honour of the Blessed Virgin Mary will be celebrated on Saturday next (18th) when we will honour Mary as "Our Lady of the Cenacle." Please note that due to First Holy Communion, Mass on this day will be at 10am,

MINISTERS OF THE WORD – MAY

6.15pm	10.30am	12noon
John Tucker	Doreen O'Neill	Declan McKenna

MINISTERS OF THE EUCHARIST – MAY

	6.15pm	10.30am	12 noon
18 th /19 th	Roisin Mc Keown	Pat Mc Kay	James Lannon
25 th /26 th	Lucy Mc Kinley	Sheila Murphy	Bronagh Strain

PREPARATION FOR PENTECOST: "Bethany" House of Prayer, (Point Road, Dundalk) will host an evening of prayer, in preparation for Pentecost, on Mon 13th May at 8pm. All welcome.

CAMINO TREK FOR HOSPICE: Southern Area Hospice are delighted to launch their 2024 Camino walking trips and are looking for participants to join them on the French Way in September. Participants will take on the challenge of walking 113km from Sarria to Santiago de Compostela, to help raise funds for Hospice services. The trip will take place from 2nd – 9th September 2024. With a fundraising target of over £3.6million, Southern Area Hospice Services rely heavily on the local community to help them reach their target so they can continue to provide the highest standard of specialist palliative care. To register your interest please contact Brian on 3026 7711 or email hylandb@southernareahospiceservices.org

MARY'S MEALS – PRAY IN MAY: Mary's Meals provides school meals to over 2.4 million children every day. During the month of May, dedicated to Our Lady, we invite you to join us in praying for the hungry children who rely on our life-changing school meals, and for all the children and families around the world who live in poverty. We are praying particularly for families facing extreme food insecurity and hunger in Ethiopia. Further details on our Ethiopia appeal and prayer resources for adults and children can be found at www.marysmeals.org.uk/prayinmay

SOUTH DOWN CHORAL SOCIETY: announce their Spring Concert, performing music by Karl Jenkins, Phillip Stopford, Bob Chilcott & Thomas Moore, in the Church of the Sacred Heart, Cloughoge, on Wednesday 22nd May, at 7.30pm. Admission £10

THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK – "I MET GOD"

I met God in the morning,
when my day was at its best.
And His Presence came like glory,
a sunrise in my breast.

All day long His Presence lingered,
all day long He stayed with me...
And we sailed in perfect calmness,
O'er a very troubled sea.

Other ships were blown and battered;
Other ships were sore distressed. But
the winds that seemed to drive them,
Brought to us such peace and rest.

Then I thought of other mornings,
With a keen remorse of mind.
When I too had loosed the moorings,
with the Saviour left behind.

So, I think I know the secret,
learned from many a troubled way...
You must seek God in the morning,
if you want Him in the day

Ralph Cushman



PARISH TEAM: Fr Liam (30262376); Fr Saji (30267032); Srs. Marie & Margaret (30268512)

PARISH OFFICE: Monday – Friday, 10am – 12noon