



# Ashbourne Donaghmore Parish Bulletin



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4th Sunday in Ordinary Time

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## MASS INTENTIONS

### Church of the Immaculate Conception, Ashbourne

Sat 28th Jan	6.00pm	Av. Michelle Long
Sun 29th Jan	9.00am	Deceased members of the Morgan Family
Sun 29th Jan	11.00am	Months Memory Kathleen Johnson
Sun 29th Jan	12.30pm	Av. Denis McElligott
Mon 30th Jan	10.00am	Av. Maud, Bertie & Christy McDermott
Tues 31st Jan	10.00am	Av. Ann & Patrick Roche and also Tom & Patrick Junior
Wed 1st Feb	10.00am	Av. Eamon McDonnell
Thur 2nd Feb	10.00am	Av. Mary Roche
Fri 3rd Feb	10.00am 8.00pm	1st Friday - Parish List of the Dead 1st Friday - Parish List of the Dead
Sat 4th Feb	10.00am	Special Memorial Mass (See List on Church noticeboard)
Sat 4th Feb	6.00pm	Av. Finbarr Daly
Sun 5th Feb	9.00am	Av. Christine Kearns
Sun 5th Feb	11.00am	Months Memory John Bradley
Sun 5th Feb	12.30pm	Av. Sean Battersby

### St. Patrick's Church, Donaghmore

Sun 29th Jan	10.00am	Av. J. J. Shanahan
Sun 5th Feb	10.00am	Av. Peggy Barker Av. Alice Ellis

### Bereavement Notices

*Lord, grant eternal rest unto:*

**Archie Docherty**, father of John Docherty, Baltrasna;  
**Jim Doherty**, father of Deirdre Miller, The Hawthorns;  
**Frances Fitzsimons**, mother of Tony Fitzsimons;  
**Olive Berkeley-O'Driscoll**, Puckoon;  
**Christine Lally** whose anniversary occurs at this time.

### Sacraments and Devotions

#### **Morning Masses:**

Mon. to Sat. at 10.00 a.m. in Ashbourne

#### **Holy Hour:**

Tues. 10.30 to 11.30am;  
Thurs. 8-9pm

#### **Confessions:**

Saturday after 10.00am Mass  
Before the Vigil Mass on Sat evening.

#### **Rosary:**

Ashbourne Church  
Mon.-Fri. 7.30pm,  
Mon-Sat 9.30 am.

### Baptisms



#### **Ashbourne:**

1st and 2nd Sunday of the month at 1.30pm.

3rd Saturday of the month at 4.00pm

#### **Donaghmore:**

Sunday 29th January, 2012.

#### **Pre-Baptism Meeting**

Next talk will take place on Monday 13th Feb. 2012. in the Parish Office, Church Grounds at 8.00 p.m.

### Catholic Schools Week 2012

Sunday, 29th January marks the beginning of Catholic Schools Week 2012. The purpose of the week is to highlight and celebrate the wonderful contribution that Catholic schools make to our local communities and society in general. This year's theme is **Catholic Schools: Christ's Living Body Active in our World.**

The Catholic School...

- Acknowledges the role of parents as the first teachers in the ways of faith and provides opportunities for their participation in the life of the school.
- Provides religious education programmes that confirm and deepen the child's understanding of the Catholic faith so that every child will be as articulate in their faith as in all other areas of the curriculum.

Priests of the Parish  
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**Parish Office Opening Hours**  
9.30-12.00 Noon—Mon-Fri  
Sat. 10.30—12 Noon  
Parish Office Team: Deirdre & Joe  
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## Parish Notices



**JOIN US** for tea or coffee after the 11 a.m. Mass each Sunday in the Meeting Room, Church Grounds. All welcome.

**BETHANY BEREAVEMENT SUPPORT:** Drop-in Centre on 3rd Tues. of each month 8-9 pm and 3rd Wed. of each month by appt. Tel. 087 2715222.

**LEGION OF MARY** meet on Thursdays at 8 p.m. in Room 3, Parish Office. All welcome.

**MEDITATION** on Wednesday 1st February at 8 p.m. in the Parochial House. All welcome.

**ALL HALLOWS COLLEGE, Drumcondra** have a number of courses starting shortly - for further information see [www.allhallows.ie](http://www.allhallows.ie).

### FEAST OF ST. BRIGID - 1st February

St. Brigid is renowned for her hospitality, almsgiving and care of the sick. She was born c. 454. She received her spiritual formation probably from St. Mel and stayed for a period under his direction in Ardagh. Others followed her example and this led her to found a double monastery in Kildare with the assistance of Bishop Conleth. She died in 524.

### The Presentation of the Lord - 2nd February

This feast is a remembrance of the Lord and Mary, mother of the Lord. With candles in their hands, the people go out to meet the Lord and to acclaim him like Simeon, who recognised Christ as 'a light to reveal God to the nations'. Candles will be blessed after the 10 a.m. Mass today.

### FEAST OF ST. BLAISE - 3rd February

On Friday 3rd February Blessing of Throats will take place after the 10 a.m. Mass and after the 8 p.m. 1st Friday Mass in Ashbourne church.

### Recent Baptisms

We welcome the following children who were recently baptised in Ashbourne/Donaghmore Parish.

Lauren Brennan, Johnswood Drive  
Tadhg Naughton, Westfield Green  
Meadhbh Davy, Brindley Park Green  
Lily-Faye Murphy, Rath Lodge  
Kyla Reilly-O'Connell, France  
Lucy O'Connor, Churchfields  
Amalei McGann, Wotton

We wish God's blessing on the newly baptised and on their families.

*Please stand as the Mass begins and remain standing until the 1st reading*

### **THE GREETING & PENITENTIAL ACT**

In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

**Amen.**

The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, and the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

Or: Grace to you and peace from God our Father and the Lord Jesus Christ.

Or: The Lord be with you.

**And with your spirit.**

I confess to almighty God and to you, my brothers and sisters, that I have greatly sinned, in my thoughts and in my words, in what I have done and in what I have failed to do, through my fault, through my fault, through my most grievous fault; therefore I ask blessed Mary ever-Virgin, all the Angels and Saints, and you, my brothers and sisters, to pray for me to the Lord our God.



### **THE GOSPEL**

The Lord be with you.

**And with your spirit.**

### **LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST, PREFACE, SANCTUS**

Pray, brethren (brothers and sisters), that my sacrifice and yours may be acceptable to God, the almighty Father.

**May the Lord accept the sacrifice at your hands for the praise and glory of his name, for our good and the good of all his holy Church.**

The Lord be with you.

**And with your spirit.**

Lift up your hearts.

**We lift them up to the Lord.**

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

**It is right and just.**

Excerpts from The Order of Mass from the Roman Missal 2010 International Commission on English in the Liturgy.

### **RTE Broadcast Parish Mass (Radio)**

RTE will broadcast Mass from Ashbourne Church on Sunday 5th February at 10 a.m. The 10 a.m. will replace the 11 a.m. Mass on that day.

Also on **Saturday 17th March - St. Patrick's Day** Masses as follows:

9 a.m., 11 a.m. & 12.30 p.m. Ashbourne (no 6 p.m.)  
10 a.m. Donaghmore

Baptisms will take place on Saturday 24th March at 4 p.m. instead of Saturday 17th March.

### Collections

Donaghmore Plate €185, Ashbourne Plate Collection €2,045, Parish Fund €1,090. Mile Buíochas.





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