

# St. Joseph's Redemptorist Church

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Dundalk Radio FM 97.7 broadcasts Mass from St. Joseph's every Sunday at 9.00am.

**Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time  
29th April 2018**

### Mass Times

Saturday: 9.30am  
Vigil: 6.30pm  
Sunday: 9.30am; 11.00am; 12.30pm

### Holy Days

Vigil: 7.30pm  
Morning: 9.30am; 11.00am  
Evening: 7.30pm

### Weekdays:

Mon-Fri: 8.30am; 9.30am & 7.30pm

### Devotions

Sunday: 7.00pm

### Novena to St Gerard:

Wednesday: 9.30 & 7.30pm

### Novena to Our Lady of Perpetual

**Help:** Saturday 9.30am

### Confessions

Saturday: 10.00am-12.00Noon  
4.00pm-6.00pm  
Mon-Fri: 10.00am-11.00am  
7.00pm-7.20pm

### Baptisms

Sunday: 1.30pm

Required Baptism preparation meetings take place on 1st & 3rd Tuesday of the month. Baptism card can be obtained in Reception in the Monastery to be filled in before Baptism Meeting.

Next Meeting Dates:  
1st & 15th May

### Reception Hours

**Monday-Saturday:**  
9.30am-5.30pm  
**Sunday:**  
9.00am-2.00pm

## Ministries in St. Joseph's

**Youth ministry** is an important missionary activity. The Redemptorist Youth Group meets every month for faith sharing, discussion of topical issues, acquisition of skills. The group networks with other Redemptorist Youth Groups across Ireland and in July (2018) plans to take part in an event in Spain involving Redemptorist Youth Groups from across Europe. All members of the youth ministry team are vetted by the statutory authorities.

**Celebration for the Sick:** at a special Mass at 11.00am on Saturday 12<sup>th</sup> of May in St. Joseph's, we will celebrate the sacrament of the sick. If you can facilitate any sick or elderly person to take part in this celebration, please do so.



We offer our condolences and sympathy to the family and friends of the recently deceased:

Carmel Turley  
Leigh Flynn

May they rest in peace.

## WORLD MEETING OF FAMILIES 2018

**Friday, 24<sup>th</sup> of August, will be Redemptorist Day at the WMOF.** A bus will be leaving from St. Joseph's at 7.30am arriving at the RDS at 9.00am. Then participation in the morning programme of the WMOF from 9.30am to 2.00pm. then from the RDS to Church of the Assumption in Ballyfermot for Eucharist celebrated by Cardinal Joe Tobin C.Ss.R., followed by refreshments. The bus will arrive back in Dundalk at approximately 7.30pm. The cost. is €43 for adults and €10 for under 18s. Booking forms are available at Reception from Monday 30<sup>th</sup> of April.

**'Let's Talk Family':** in preparation for the World Meeting of Families the Dun Dealgan Pastoral Area is hosting a programme on Wednesdays at 7.30pm in the Magnet. No admission fee. All welcome.

**Pope Francis** in his exhortation about marriage and the family says: *Couples need to be able to detect danger signals in their relationship and to find, before the wedding, effective ways of responding to them. Sadly, many couples, marry without really knowing one another. They have enjoyed each other's company and done things together, but without facing the challenge of revealing themselves and coming to know who this other person truly is. (paragraph 210)*

### WEEKLY ENVELOPE

Weekly envelope collection totalled €554.00. Thank you!

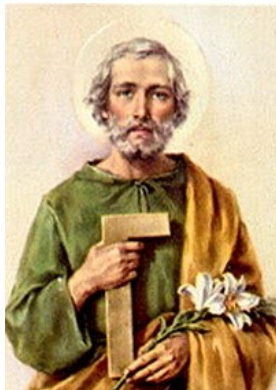
**New Life in the Spirit Seminars** in St. Mary's Church, Knockbridge. For details contact Fr. Gerry at 087-648 3919 or Joan McKenna at 086 328 8847.

**Concert of the Celtic Tenors** in the Lisdoon on the 6<sup>th</sup> of May (8.00pm, €20.00) is for the promotion of the missionary work of Fr. Brian Byrne in Cameroon. Ticket Information at 087 252 3710.

**5km Walk for Pieta House, Darkness into Light: DKIT** on Saturday 12 of May at 4.15am. You can sign up at <http://dil.pieta.ie/dundalk> or at the Marshes Shopping Centre on any week-end in April.

**The Church Gate Collection** this week-end is on behalf of Redemptorist Youth Ministry.

**St. Joseph the Worker** is celebrated on the 1<sup>st</sup> of May. This feast was instituted in 1955 by Pope Pius XII. It is a reminder of the importance of work not only for our survival but also for the development of our talents.



**Good Morning Louth** is a telephone call service for older people (65+). It is a friendly chat at prearranged times. Information is also given about voluntary and state services that are available. Contact number is 042-933 0103.

**Welcome to all young adults** to Prayer around the Cross in Candlelight, music of Taize. Friday, 4<sup>th</sup> May. 8.30-9.30pm Followed by Tea/Coffee. Bethany, 34 Point Rd, Dundalk. Tel: 042 933 1602

### Martha Ministers

The next team scheduled is **Oaklawns, 1st May**. See you all there!

**First Communion:** at this time of year many children make their first Holy Communion. Our congratulations to all of them, to their families and to their schools. May the children continue to grow in faith.

**Pope Francis** has published an exhortation *Gaudete et Exsultate* (Rejoice and be Glad). It reminds us that all Christians are called to holiness and that to become holy is not the preserve of an elite.

### Eucharistic Ministers—Sunday, 6th May

#### 6.30pm Vigil

**Host:** Alan Gray/Paul Lambe; Louise Pepper; John Farrell; Maureen Tuite **Chalice:** Barbara McCabe

#### 9.30am

**Host:** Anne McBride; Anne Nixon; Paul Fennelly/Jim Kelly **Chalice:** Miriam Delduca

#### 11.00am

**Host:** Geraldine Moore; Sr Briege or Sr Jean; Dermot Hanratty; Christine McCourt **Chalice:** Lilly McDonnell

#### 12.30pm

**Host:** Charlotte Neary; anne Kirk; Teresa Kelly; Vivienne Ross **Chalice:** Christina McGrane

### Readers of the Word – Sunday, 6th May

**6.30pm:** Colleen Mulpeter & Kelly Marie Mulpeter

**9.30am:** Aidan Cawley

**11.00am:** Catriona Lynch

**12.30pm:** Caroline Neary & David Ajayi

### Anniversaries

#### Saturday, 28th April

##### 9.30am

Our Lady's Novena

##### 6.30pm

Thomas & Vera King & Deceased King & Crilly Families; Vincent Brackenbury; Tom Kindlon; Sean Tracey; Mary Quigley

#### Sunday, 29th April

##### 9.30am

Jeremiah Cronin; Melia Family, Point Rd

##### 11.00am

Richard Maguire; Thomas Lee; Tom Clarke; John Richard Short; Jenny Keelan, Mount Ave; Annette Keelan; Newtownbalregan

##### 12.30pm

The People

#### Monday, 30th April

##### 8.30am

Sr M Mary; List of the Dead

##### 9.30am

Thomas, Michael & Kitty Carroll; Patrick, Josephine & Lisa Murtagh

##### 7.30pm

May Regan, Dublin St; Mary & Peter Hughes; Gertrude Clarke; Mary & John Corbally & Deceased Family; Gerry Gray, Barrack St; Dullaghan Family

#### Tuesday, 1st May

##### 8.30am

Jim & Rita Byrne & Family

##### 9.30am

Kathleen Smyth & Deceased Family

##### 7.30pm

Michael Cluskey, Ravensdale; Zygimantas Grabys

#### Wednesday, 2nd May

##### 8.30am

Living & Deceased Campbell, Gorey & McDonnell Families; Syl & Peggy Byrne

##### 9.30am

Aggie Berry & Deceased Berry & Lynch Families; Thomas & Bridget Fee; Kathy & Paddy Gosling

##### 7.30pm

St Gerard's Novena & Vocations

#### Thursday, 3rd May

##### 8.30am

Sr M Evangelist

##### 9.30am

Margaret Jane Vincent

##### 7.30pm

Kathleen & May McCabe, Oliver Plunkett Pk

#### Friday, 4th May

##### 8.30am

##### 9.30am

Patrick Doherty; Sr Brenda McCaul; Joseph Clarke

##### 7.30pm

Martin Mulligan, Birthday Remembrance; Mary & Seamus Mackin, Point Rd; Michael Byrne, Hill St