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.

16th Sunday in Ordinary Time 22nd July 2018

Mass Times

Saturday: 9.30am 6.30pm

Sunday: 9.30am; 11.00am; 12.30pm

Holy Days

Vigil 7.30pm

Morning: 9.30am; 11.00am

Evening: 7.30pm

Weekdays:

Summertime (July & August) Weekday Mass Times:

9.00am & 7.30pm

Devotions

Sunday: 7.00pm

Novena to St Gerard:

Wednesday: 9.30 & 7.30pm

Novena to Our Lady of Perpetual

Saturday 9.30am

Confessions

Saturday: 10.00am-12.00Noon

4.00pm-6.00pm Mon-Fri: 9.30am-10.30am

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: 7th & 21t August

Reception Hours Monday-Saturday:

9.30am-5.30pm Sunday:

9.00am-2.00pm

Youth Pilgrimage: this week-end a group from St. Joseph's Youth Ministry Group travels to Granada in Spain where they will join with other young people from various Redemptorist centres across Europe to take part in the 11th Redemptorist European Youth Congress. We wish them a safe journey and an enjoyable time at the Congress.

Martha Ministers

The next team scheduled is Oaklawns, 24th July. See you all there!

Relics of Saints Louis and Zelia Martin and of their daughter St. Therese of Lisieux will be brought to St. Patrick's Cathedral Armagh on Sunday the 12th of August from 11.00am until 9.0am on Monday 13th of August. Everyone is welcome to venerate the relics.

We welcome into the community of faith, the recently baptised:

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Logan Michael Hugh Dillon Cadhla Nuala Duffy

June Wedding Congratulations

David Cassidy & Laura Marshall Noirin McArdle & Christopher Callan Sean Byrne & Therese Farrell Samantha Reilly & Gavin Watters Mark McMullan & Deborah McDonagh WEEKLY ENVELOPE

Weekly envelope collection totalled €435.00. Thank you! * ***********

On Sunday, 26th of August, there will be just two Masses in St. Joseph's – at 9.30am and 11.00am.

Pope Francis speaks of the importance of caring for our common home. Eco-congregation Ireland is a group which addresses this issue in a variety of ways. Check their website:

www.ecocongregationireland.com

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This weekend's church gate collection is in aid of the ISPCC.

Pope Francis in his exhortation about marriage and the family says: Newly married couples need to learn how to accept their differences and to disengage from their parents. The arrival of a child presents new emotional challenges. Raising small children necessitates a change of lifestyle, while the onset of adolescence causes strain, frustration and even tension between parents. (paragraph 235)

The Feast of St James the Apostle is celebrated on the 25th of July. James was one of the Twelve Apostles and traditionally considered the first apostle to be martyred. He and his brother John, also an apostle, sought privilege but were reminded by Jesus that the purpose of authority is to serve. He is probably best remembered because of the Camino to Santiago de Compostela where his remains were buried.

The Feast of St. Joachim and St. Anne is celebrated on the 26th of July. The parents of Mary of Nazareth represent generations of people who faithfully perform their duties, practise their faith but remain in the background. This day is in a sense 'grandparents' day and is a reminder to us how important grandparents are in the wider family circle.

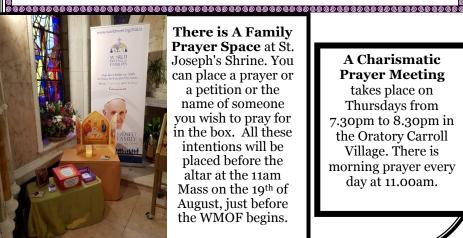
Dundalk Counselling Centre: Need to talk to someone in confidence? Why not contact the centre 042-933 8333.

Fleadh Cheoil na hÉireann is seeking volunteers: This Fleadh is the biggest festival of traditional music and culture in the world and is in Drogheda from the 12^{th} to the 19^{th} August. Volunteers are required throughout the week to make sure the event is a success. Minimum age is 15 and minimum commitment is just 4 hours. To apply go to www.volunteerlouth.ie/fleadh, or call into any Louth County Library or Louth Volunteer Centre office or call 041 9809008.

Bereavement Counselling is available, free of charge, at

the Magnet Pastoral Centre. For details ring 042-9336393.

Lough Derg 2018: The 3 Day Pilgrimage is currently open. You may begin on any day until Monday 13th August. Advance booking is not necessary. The Lough Derg team can help you to co-ordinate public transport or link up with Pilgrimage Organisers in your locality, phone Lorraine on 071 9861518 or email: info@loughderg.org



There is A Family Prayer Space at St. Joseph's Shrine. You can place a prayer or a petition or the name of someone you wish to pray for in the box. All these intentions will be placed before the altar at the 11am Mass on the 19th of August, just before the WMOF begins.

A Charismatic **Prayer Meeting**

takes place on Thursdays from 7.30pm to 8.30pm in the Oratory Carroll Village. There is morning prayer every day at 11.00am.

Eucharistic Ministers—Sunday, 29th July 6.30pm Vigil

Host: Alan Gray/Paul Lambe; Barbara McCabe; John Farrell; Maureen Tuite Chalice: Louise Pepper 9.30am

Host: Anne McBride; Anne Nixon;

Paul Fennelly/Jim Kelly Chalice: Miriam Delduca

11.00am

Host: Christine McCourt; Sr Briege or Sr Jean; Dermot Hanratty; Lilly McDonnell Chalice: Geraldine Moore 12.30pm

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

Readers of the Word - Sunday, 29th July

6.30pm: Kelly Marie Mulpeter & Colleen Mulpeter

9.30am: Michael O'Keeffe & Siyan Apesin

11.00am: Catriona Lynch

12.30pm: Charlotte Neary & David Ajayi

Anniversaries

Saturday, 21st July

9.30am

Our Lady's Novena

6.30pm

Brian Duffy & Mother Bernadette; Joseph Monaghan & Deceased Monaghan Family; Sr M Mary; James, Tommy, Jess & Kathleen Cunningham; Peter McGee, Wolf Tone Tce; Patrick Smyth

Sunday, 22nd July

9.30am

The People

11.00am

Anthony & Thomas Todd; Kathleen O'Donnell; Kathleen Tuite; Seamus Cronin, Glenwood; John McFadden, Parnell Pk; Peter Maguire; Margaret & Peter Fealy and Sister, Maureen Smyth;

Noel McCluskey & Deceased Family, Cluan Enda 12.30pm

Month's Mind of Maria McCoy, Dublin Road

Monday, 23rd July

9.00am

List of the Dead

7.30pm

Dominic McGuinness, Patrick St, Drogheda; Peter White, De La Salle Tce

Tuesday, 24th July 7.30pm

Pat Ward; Pearce, Maureen & Joe Ward; Irene O'Brien, Birthday; James & Nancy O'Reilly, Carrickmacross; Angie & Sean Moran, Baldoyle, Dublin

Wednesday, 25th July 9.00am

Sr M Evangilist; Tom Appleby; Fintan Conlon 7.30pm

St Gerard's Novena & Vocations

Thursday, 26th July 9.00am

Dympna McKenna 7.30pm

Jim & Rita Byrne & Family; Michael Crawley & McLoughlin Family, Hyde Pk; Catriona Lee; Eileen, Philip, Rose & Kathleen Matthews

Friday, 27th July 9.00am 7.30pm

Living & Deceased Campbell, Gorey & McDonnell Families; Annie Mooney & Deceased Sons, Cluan Enda; **Dolores Kinch**