

# 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.

**6th Sunday in Ordinary Time  
12th February 2017**

### 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: 9.30am & 7.30pm

#### **Novena to Our Mother 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:  
7th & 21st February

### Reception Hours

**Monday-Saturday:**  
9.30am-5.30pm  
**Sunday:**  
10.30am-1.00pm

We welcome into the family of God the recently baptised:

*Nicola Molloy;*  
*Chloe Rose Fleming;*  
*Robyn Smith*

### **WEEKLY ENVELOPE**

Weekly envelope  
Collection totalled: €824.80.  
Thank you!

### **Pastoral Centre, Magnet, Dundalk:**

amongst upcoming events are Bereavement Support and Beginning Experience. For further information about activities in the Centre please contact 042-9336393.

### **Martha Ministers**

The next team scheduled is **Oaklawns**  
14th February.  
See you all there!

### **Redemptorist Youth**

**Ministry** will hold a meet-up in St. Gerard's Hall on Saturday, 25th of February, from 7.30pm to 9.30pm. All those in the 13 to 18 age bracket are welcome. Cyber bullying is one of the items on the agenda.

**Louth Pro Life** talk and training on "How to argue the case for the Pro Life Amendment" with Sarah Ekada, Paddy Manning and Michael Dwyer of Family & Life on Monday February 20th in the Westcourt Hotel, Drogheda at 7:30pm.  
All welcome!

**St. Valentine** is commemorated on the 14<sup>th</sup> of February. He was a priest in Rome during the persecutions of the third century. He refused to renounce his faith and, consequently, was put to death. He proved himself to be a true follower of the God of Love.

**Pope Francis invites us to celebrate St. Valentine's Day!** In his document on The Joy of Love Pope Francis refers directly to Saint Valentine's Day as an opportunity to make the most of traditional religious practices, invite couples to grow in love and help their children to prepare for their future married life. For suggestions see [www.worldmeeting2018.ie](http://www.worldmeeting2018.ie).

**Pope Francis** in his exhortation about marriage and the family says: *Envy is a form of sadness provoked by another's prosperity; it shows that we are not concerned for the happiness of others but only with our own well-being. Whereas love makes us rise above ourselves, envy closes us in on ourselves. True love values the other person's achievements. It does not see him or her as a threat. It recognizes that everyone has different gifts and a unique path in life. So it strives to discover its own road to happiness, while allowing others to find theirs.*

(Paragraph 95)

**Open forum *The Church and The Family*.** With a view to discerning an adequate preparation for the **World Gathering of Families/2018** an Open Forum will be held in the Crowne Plaza Hotel on Monday the 13<sup>th</sup> of February from 7.30pm to 9.00pm. The forum is being sponsored by Dún Dealgan Pastoral Area (Parishes of St. Patrick's, Haggardstown/Blackrock, Holy Family, Redeemer, St. Joseph's, Dominican Friary and St. Mary's). All are welcome and admission is free.

**Haggardstown/Blackrock Parish** is organizing a Pilgrimage to London, from Mon 1<sup>st</sup> May-Fri 5<sup>th</sup> May 2017, centered round the martyrdom of St Oliver Plunkett at Tyburn. Travel by coach and ferry, three nights 4\* Hilton accommodation in London and one night in Chester on a B&B basis. **Cost: €380 p.p.s.** For more information see [www.hbp.ie](http://www.hbp.ie) or Tel Fr. Brian White on 042 9322244.

## ACCORD Dundalk

### are now recruiting Trainee Facilitators:

Accord are looking for people to join the Pre-Marriage education team and who are willing to train and meet the following criteria. *Relate easily to people, are good listeners, are able to be part of a team, are sensitive, warm, caring and accepting, are interested in personal development, have an openness and commitment to working with a Catholic organization, are married or ordained for at least 5 years, have the ability to convey a positive attitude to marriage.*

Applicants who meet the criteria are invited to attend a one-day selection conference. All facilitators undergo an ACCORD training course. For further information and application form contact **ACCORD** (Dundalk Centre), St. Patrick's Grounds, Roden Place, Tel: 042 9331731 email:

[accorddundalk@eircom.net](mailto:accorddundalk@eircom.net).

**Closing date for applications 10<sup>th</sup> March 2017.**

### **Eucharistic Ministers—Sunday, 19th February**

#### **6.30pm Vigil**

**Host:** Patricia Beggy; Pdraig McGrane; Carol McGuinness; Margaret McEivey **Chalice:** Raymond McGuinness

#### **9.30am**

**Host:** Geraldine Devlin; Rose O'Rourke  
**Chalice:** Ceilia Nyame

#### **11.00am**

**Host:** Vivienne Ross; Gerry Mone; Marie Agnew; Mary McKenna **Chalice:** Michelle Connolly

#### **12.30pm**

**Host:** Brenda Roddy; Colletta Dalikeni; May Hughes; Anita McEaney **Chalice:** Barney Foley

### **Readers of the Word – Sunday, 19th February**

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

**9.30am:** Aidan Cawley

**11.00am:** Nicholas McCourt

**12.30pm:** Niamh Morgan & Peter Finnegan

### **Anniversaries**

#### **Saturday, 11th February**

##### **9.30am**

Our Lady's Novena

##### **6.30pm**

Michael MacMahon; Mary & Christopher Clifford; Christine, Michael & Eamon McKenna, Hyde Pk; Eugene Corrigan; Stephen Fergus; Shane Dawson; Doris & John McArdle; Frances Gray; James McGuinness

#### **Sunday, 12th February**

##### **9.30am**

Catherine Crilly; Patricia & Rose Cheshire; Ellen & Joe Cleary; Eilish Fearon; Desmond Smyth

##### **11.00am**

Martha & Patrick McGuire; Kathleen & Thomas McCormack; Vincent Flanagan; Ina McHugh & Deceased McHugh & Clarke Families; Claire Smith, Hyde Pk; Harry Warnock, Bachelor's Walk; Michael Myers & Myers Family, Barrack St; Paul Curran; Michael Durnin, Point Rd

##### **12.30pm**

Month's Mind of Joe O'Hanlon, Barrack Street

#### **Monday, 13th February**

##### **8.30am**

List of the Dead

##### **9.30am**

Liam Keegan; Gerry Muckian; Bridget & Thomas Byrne & Family; Thomas & Josephine Greene & Family

##### **7.30pm**

Dermot Gaynor

#### **Tuesday, 14th February**

##### **8.30am**

Claire & Catherine O'Beirne

##### **9.30am**

Anne & Vincent Hall; Charles & Kathleen Palmer; Sean McGonigle; Mary, Joe & Kathleen Lynch

##### **7.30pm**

Maureen Farren; McArdle & Cassidy Families; Matt & Maureen Scallon, Barrack St

#### **Wednesday, 15th February**

##### **8.30am**

##### **9.30am**

Peter, Barney & Ned McCabe; Joseph McIntyre

##### **7.30pm**

St Gerard's Novena & Vocations

#### **Thursday, 16th February**

##### **8.30am**

##### **9.30am**

##### **7.30pm**

Tony McEaney

#### **Friday, 17th February**

##### **8.30am**

##### **9.30am**

Joseph Dynan

##### **7.30pm**

Month's Mind of Mary O'Riordan, Charlesville; Noel Gaskin St Clement's Pk (50 Year Anniversary); Ellen Rodgers, St Alphonsus Villas; Sean O'Hanmire