

St. Joseph's Redemptorist Church

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Reception and Religious Goods Store

Monday-Saturday: 9.30am—1pm; 1.30pm—5.30pm
Sunday: 9.00am—2pm Sunday

Mass Times

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

Holy Days (during week)

Vigil 7.30pm
Morning: 8.30am; 9.30am;
Evening: 7.30pm

Weekdays Mass Times:

Mon — Fri: 8.30am, 9.30am & 7.30pm

Devotions

Sunday 7pm

Novena to St Gerard:

Wednesday: 9.30am & 7.30pm

Novena to Our Lady of Perpetual Help:

Saturday 9.30am

Confessions

Cancelled until further notice

Recently Deceased

Please Pray for the Repose of the Soul of:

Anthony Foran

Trevor Brennan

Judith McShane

Maura Cameron

Paudy Finnegan

Clodagh O'Connor

Sunday 21st February 2021

1st Sunday of Lent.

Please join us online via our webcam. Online donations can be made at www.redemptoristsdundalk.ie/donate.

About the Gospel

Jesus' 40-day stay in the desert follows immediately the story of his baptism: at that event, the Spirit comes upon him and he is revealed as the Son of God. It is this Spirit which drives him, almost violently, out into the wilderness. It is better that we appreciate this episode as Jesus "being tested", rather than his "being tempted": in modern speech temptation is usually associated with sin, or at least with something wrong or not quite right. It is much more serious than that: it centres on how Jesus understands what it means to be the Son of God. Before Jesus begins his public ministry, it is important that he be put to this test. We might note that although Satan is mentioned, Satan is merely the agent, the means: it is the Spirit who subjects Jesus to the ordeal.

Services at St. Joseph's

All masses continue to be celebrated at St. Joseph's online. Intentions for anniversaries and month's minds will be remembered. Our Church is open between 10am and 5pm Monday to Saturday and 1pm to 5pm on Sunday for private prayer. Please continue to follow all precautions and do not approach others inside the church.

Making Donations to St Joseph's

The community appreciate your generous support at this time. Please go to our website <https://www.redemptoristsdundalk.ie/donate>. Parish envelopes can continue to be dropped off at the back of the church or please use the Diocesan facility www.armagharchdiocese.org and locate the "Donate to our Parishes" button.

Annual Crib Collection:

This year's annual Crib Collection raised €4000 which was donated to Sr. Consilio at Cuan Mhuire Newry. Cuan Mhuire would like to extend their thanks to St. Joseph's congregation and parishioners for their generosity and kindness in these difficult times.

Bookings

If interested in booking Weddings or Baptisms please visit the Reception or call — **042 933 4042**



OTHER NEWS..



Lenten Healing Services

"Healing and Hope for our Times"
Sunday 21st Feb - Sunday 21st March, 7.00pm

Sun. 21st Feb	The joy of faith. Opening our lives to God. Br. Richard Hendrick OFM Cap
Sun. 27th Feb	Healing in grief and loss. Sr. Jean Kelly
Sun. 7th Mar	Compassion and self- compassion. Martina Lehane -Sheehan
Sun. 14th Mar	Minding our mental well-being. Fr Stan Mellett CSsR
Sun 21st Mar	Easter Hope, Young voices in our church. Colum og Marks

Join Us Online
www.redemptoristsdundalk.ie/live-webcam

Lenten Healing Services at St. Joseph's

Our Annual Lenten talks will take place online at 7pm for the 5 Sunday's during Lent. We are delighted to welcome Br. Richard Hendricks OfmCap, Sr. Jean Kelly RSM, Ms Martina Lehane, Fr. Stan Mellet and Columog Marks.

Online Night Prayer during Lent

Join the Redemptorist family on Facebook live every evening at 8.30pm for the Night Prayer of the Church. People can send in petitions during the live stream to be included. Go to www.facebook.com/RedemptoristsDunalk.

Trócaire Lenten Campaign

This year's campaign focuses on families in South Sudan whose lives have been impacted by conflict. This Lent we hear not only about the enormous challenges they have faced, but also about how they support each other through these challenges. Trócaire Boxes will be available at the back of the church for collection.

Divine Mercy & Eucharistic Way of the Cross

From the Church of the Holy Redeemer, Ard Easmuinn, Dundalk every Friday at 3pm. The broadcast, finishing with Divine Mercy Chaplet & Sacred Music, is available online on the Holy Redeemer Parish website or Facebook page. The broadcast is also uploaded every week onto the Parish YouTube channel.

On-line retreat for couples

CANA@Home is providing an on-line retreat for couples.

We hope this will be a valuable resources to your diocese. In the latest session they explore 'the living room as a reflection our lives together as a couple'. All sessions are available to watch on the You Tube Channel CANA Journey at the following link: <https://youtube/yacBMTYjcKQ>

Life in the Spirit Seminars

Armagh Parish Holy Spirit Prayer Group are hosting the Life in the Spirit Seminars in St Malachy's Church, Armagh during the coming weeks. The Seminars will commence on Tuesday 16th February at 8pm. People are encouraged to join via St Malachy's Church Webcam <http://armaghparish.net/st-malachys-church-webcam/> on each of the Tuesday evenings.

Monastery shop

Following Restrictions moving to level 5, the Monastery Shop will be closed until further notice. Phone and postage services are still available for bookings of Anniversary Masses and sending of Mass cards. Important to note that there is **No Click & Collect service available at this time.**

Readers of the Word—Sunday 21st February

6.30pm: Colleen Mulpeter

9.30am: David Brennan

11.00am: Nicholas McCourt

12.30pm: Peter Finnegan

Anniversaries

Saturday, 20th February

9.30am Our Lady's Novena; Oliver McCloskey, 1st anniversary; Patricia Murphy; Robert Moore;

6.30pm Tim & Eugene Litchfield; Joan Agnew; Kathleen Grant; Peter Dunne; Jack Bellew, Dromiskin;

Sunday, 21st February

9.30am Sadie & Dessie Malone; Patrick McMahon; Thomas Flood, St. Clement's Park; Joseph Morrow; Fonsy & Brendan Maynes;

11.00am The month's mind of James Joyce; James (Jim) Kennedy, 2nd anniversary; Maura Duffy, Cluan Enda; Harry Warnock, Bachelors Walk; Brian Connolly, late of Marian Park; Michael Myers & deceased members of the Myers family; Patrick McMahon;

12.30pm The People; The month's mind of Bernard (Brian) Agnew; The month's mind of Eileen Dullaghan; The month's mind of James Dunne; The month's mind of Mick Fitzgerald & his nephew Dessie Cullen, recently deceased;

Monday, 22nd February

8.30am The Dead List; Mona Tighe, recently deceased, late of Gosling's Tce; A special intention;

9.30am James & Angela Woods, late of 4 Fatima Drive; Tom Tinnelly;

7.30pm The month's mind of Sr. Cecilia Donnellan; Philip Smyth, 100 St. Nicholas Ave; William Woods; Fr. Tom Faulkner CSsR; Fr. Liam Hanley CSsR; The Faulkner family;

Tuesday, 23rd February

8.30am

9.30am PJ McDonagh; Davy Collins, 10th anniversary;

7.30pm

Wednesday, 24th February

8.30am

9.30am Rosanne & Michael Neary; In thanksgiving;

7.30pm St. Gerard's Novena & Vocations; Kathleen McDonald; Harry Martin;

Thursday, 25th February

8.30am

9.30am Margaret & Nicholas Flynn; The Holy Souls; Living & deceased member of the Kirk, Dolan & Duffy families;

7.30pm Living & deceased members of the Campbell, Gorey & McDonnell families; Lena & Jim Gordon, their sons Seamus & Eamon, their daughters-in-law Nancy & Sheila & their grandson Robert; Jane Farrell, Tullydonnell;

Friday, 26th February

8.30am

9.30am Annie Smith; In thanksgiving;

7.30pm Sinead Bleeker, 1st anniversary; John & Nancy Matthews;