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Monday-Saturday:9.30am—1pm; 2.00pm—5.30pm Sunday: Closed

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Sunday 11th May 2025. Fourth Sunday of Easter.

Pope Leo XIV is our new pope. May the Holy Spirit guide him in his new mission in the leadership of our church. Before the conclave he was known as Cardinal Robert Francis Prevost. He was born in Chicago in 1955, became a member of the Augustinian order and worked for many years in Peru where he became a bishop. He has been working in Rome for the last few years. Let us include him in our prayers.

The month of May: devotion to Mary the mother of God has always been part of our tradition, especially during the month of May. Attendance at the novena on Saturdays at 9.30am is an expression of this devotion, as is the daily recital of the rosary. Going on pilgrimage is another devotion..........

Pilgrimage to Knock: on Sunday the 25th of May, a bus will leave from St. Joseph's at 8am sharp. The bus fare is €20.00. There will a stop on the way and on the return for refreshments. Those interested in joining this pilgrimage can give their names and pay the fare at reception.

Our Lady of Fátima is commemorated on the 13th of May (Tuesday). The apparitions to the three children (Francisco, Jacinta and Lúcia) took place in 1917, beginning on the 13th of May when the 'Lady' asked them to pray for sinners and the end of the first world war. In the final apparition on the 13th of October, the 'Lady' identified herself as Our Lady of the Rosary and called for prayer and conversion.

Collection and Envelopes: last week's collection was €2,474.37. The contribution from the parish envelopes was €601.00. Thank you for your generosity.

Coming to Communion: Please approach the minister of the Eucharist in single file. This facilitates the distribution of holy communion as the aisles in the church are relatively narrow. It is also important to approach the minister from the front.

Bringing communion to the sick: There are a few points to be kept in mind. The person who does this needs to be vetted – this is a requirement of the church's safeguarding policy. The vetted person should come to the sacristy before Mass to identify her/himself, leave the pyx with the sacristan and receive it from the sacristan after Mass. Please do not ask the minister of the eucharist to place a host (or hosts) in a pyx when you are receiving communion yourself.

Mass in Portuguese will be celebrated in St. Joseph's on this Sunday at 3pm. Brazilians and other Portuguese speakers all welcome.

Football matters...we wish the Louth team the best of luck in to-day's big game in Croke Park.

Mission in Cameroon: to support this mission come to the Lisdoo on Thursday, 15th of May, at 8pm for social dancing. Music by Michael Collins.

Lough Derg one day retreat departure Dundalk. Saturday, May 17th, 2025 – Enquiries: 0851833110.

Weekend Mass Times

Saturday: 9.30am Vigil: 6.30pm

Sunday: 9.30am; 11.00am; 12.30pm

Weekdays Mass Times: 8.30am & 9.30am

Bank Holiday 9.30am

Holy Days of Obligation

Vigil 7.30pm 9.30am

Devotions

Sunday 7pm

Novena to St Gerard

Wednesday: 9.30am & 7.30pm

Novena to Our Lady of Perpetual Help:

Saturday 9.30am

Confessions

Weekdays 10am-10.30am Wednesdays 10am-10.30am; 7.00pm —7.20pm Saturday 10am—11 am; 4pm-5pm

No Confessions on Bank Holidays



Anniversaries and Mass Intentions Please Pray for the Repose of the Souls of:

Saturday

9.30am Deceased members of the Martin family, Avenue Rd; Deceased

members of the Magee family, Dublin Rd; Anna Malone; Peter Mullen; In thanksgiving for good medical test results; A special

intention for Ankica;

6.30pm Marie, Tommy & Mae Kelly, Seatown & Old Gardens; Andrew

Conlon, 4th anniversary; Eddie, Paul & Mary Nugent;

Sunday

9.30am Kathleen Conlon & family; Olive Clancy; Sr. Aloysius

O'Shaughnessy;

11.00am Jimmy Brodigan, 1st anniversary & his wife Chrissy, 3rd

anniversary; Kevin Mulholland, late of Barrack St., recently deceased; Agnes & Thomas McGuirk, Market St; Margaret Fearon; Bozo Zajc & deceased members of the Zajc family;

Shirley McGeown;

12.30pm The People: The month's mind of David McGuinness; Marion

McDonald; Irene & Arthur Nugent; Patrick & Caroline Clifford;

Monday

8.30am A special intention

9.30am Joe Harkin, Dún Dealgan Athletic Club; Michael & Catherine

Rhue McCormack, Mary Street North, & deceased members of the

McCormack & Rhue families;

Tuesday

8.30am Tom Byrne

9.30am Patsy Clyne & deceased family members; Mary Malone 10th

anniversary; Kitty Brickell, 8th anniversary; Deceased members

of the Brickell family;

Wednesday

8.30am Book of Intentions

9.30am Rose Lynch

7.30pm St. Gerard's Novena & Vocations; Those enrolled in St. Gerard's

Family League; Thomas & Frances (Carmel) Turley, Oaklawns;

Thursday

8.30am Book of Intentions

9.30am Edward & Mary Breslin; The Breslin & Mulhall families; Bridget

Egan, Cavan;

Friday

8.30am Book of Intentions

9.30am Briege Kerr; Bozo Zajc;

Recently Deceased

Ursula Perkins (née McEvoy); Gerry Quigley; Laura Smith; Kevin Mulholland; Mary (Mollie) Hand (née Hayden); Martin (Marty) Callan; Joe Whately; Kevin Morgan;

Eucharistic Ministers—Sunday 11th May

6.30pm: <u>Host</u>: Barbara McCabe; Patricia Finlay; Bernie Lennon; Sean Kelly; Marie McGahon; Sr. Leonie; Dermot Hanratty

9.30am: <u>Host</u>: Pat Gaskin; Paul Lambe.
Sr. Leonie; Audrey Tuite; Marie McGahon,
Ann Nixon; Dermot Hanratty

11.00am: <u>Host:</u> Yvonne Gregory; Brendan Gregory; Sr. Jean; Geraldine Moore; Denyse Hughes; Pat McCabe; Dermot Hanratty

12.30pm: <u>Host</u>: Charlotte Neary; Patricia Beggy; Colletta Dalikeni; Teresa Kelly; Peter Finnegan; Anne Kirk; Dermot Hanratty

Readers of the Word—Sunday 11th May

6.30pm: Siobhan Sharkey 9.30am: John Kelly 11.00am: Yvonne Gregory 12.30pm: Charlotte Neary

Baptisms

We welcome the children who received the sacrament of baptism into our faith community in the past month:

Cillian James Clarke

Leo Arthur Carragher

Isla Mary McErlean

Oscar Patrick Cassidy

Milania Mae Maughan

Bookings

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

