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**29th Sunday in Ordinary Time -
October 22nd 2017**

This Weekend: October 21st/22nd

- 7.00p.m** Thomas & Sheila Parker and Tommy & Billy McGuinness.
10.00a.m Mary Reynolds, her daughter Marie & son Paul Reynolds.
12noon Mary Greene (**Month's Mind**).

Weekday Masses: *The Manor at 11.00 a.m.*

Next Weekend: October 21st/22nd

- 7.00p.m** - Freddie & Anna-May Greene, Lisnagrish.
- Paddy Kenny & deceased members of the Kenny family, Bracklin.
10.00a.m Paddy & Teresa Tighe, Devine Crescent.
12noon Isabel, Bill, Kitsie & David Cooley, late of 11 Marian Avenue.

Offertory Collection: €1,425.00 - **sincere thanks.**

DEATHS: Please pray for **Sean Logan**, Church Street. May he rest in peace and rise in glory. *Requiescat in Pace.*

MIDLANDS SIMON COMMUNITY: will be hosting their annual Church Gate Collection in Church's in Co. Longford on Sat 21st and Sun 22nd Oct.

WORLD MISIION SUNDAY - Oct 22nd - The theme of Mission Sunday this year is 'Reach Out, Spread the Joy.' We are invited to reflect on the universal call to Mission of all the baptised. We are invited to contribute what we can to support the development and growth of young churches internationally. Mission Sunday is celebrated by every Church worldwide, including the poorest. This special Sunday in October provides Catholics with the opportunity to unite with their missionary sisters and brothers overseas, and to recommit themselves to bringing the Joy of the Gospel to everyone they meet in their daily lives at home and at work.

The Holy Father invites all Catholics to contribute to a special collection. Donations go to support churches, hospitals, schools and vocations in countries where the Church is new, young or poor.

"The joy of the Gospel fills the hearts and lives of all who encounter Jesus". - Pope Francis

**ULSTER BANK MOBILE BANK -
EDGEWORTHSTOWN:**

Monday: Costcutter Car Park 10am -11.30am

Wednesday: Costcutter Car Park 12.30pm - 2pm

Friday: Costcutter Car Park 1.15pm - 3.15pm

SACRAMENTS 2018

First Confession - Wed Mar 21st @ 7.00 p.m.
First Holy Communion - Sat May 12th @ 12.00 p.m.

Confirmation

Enrolment Ceremony - Sat Oct 7th @ 7.30 p.m.
Service of Light - Sat Feb 24th @ 7.00 p.m.
Sacrament of Confirmation - Fri 9th Mar @ 4.00 p.m.

Mary Greene R.I.P.

It is with a heavy heart that we record the death of Kevin's wife Mary, peacefully at home in Devine Crescent (formerly of Drumeel, Ballinalee) on September 14th 2017 after a short illness. It was a kindness that she was not allowed to suffer for a long period. As we know The Lord works in mysterious ways. This was his way of saying to Mary "Good and Faithful Servant, your time to enter the Kingdom has come". He gently opened the gates of Paradise and welcomed Dear Mary home.

Mary served as Sacristan in St. Mary's Church, Edgeworthstown for 13 years. She succeeded Joe Breadan and worked alongside many priests through the years.

Her passing has left a very big void in her family's lives, those of husband Kevin, sons Gerard and Philip, daughters Rosemary, Noeleen and Catherine, all the family circle and the community of friends who all loved Mary.

Mary's great loves included her husband and family and her work in the church. While her attention to detail ensured all services ran smoothly she always made time to chat with neighbours and friends. Several times each day - hail, rain or shine - Mary walked from home through to the other end of town to her divine calling - her church. She also facilitated those of us who counted the collections and banked them.

Mary was the mainstay of our church for those thirteen years, her total dedication and love of her work radiated from her. She truly loved what she did and we owe her a deep gratitude.

It is a great tribute to the Greene family that Kevin served us for twenty seven years, Mary for thirteen years, Gerard has filled in as sacristan during and after Mary's illness and Philip acts as funeral usher.

Requiescant in Pace

*Ar Dheis Dé go raibh a n-anam
May she rest in peace and rise in glory*

A fuller tribute to Mary is available on the parish website - www.edgeworthstownparish.ie

Lough Ree Sub Aqua Club Search & Rescue would like to thank everyone for their very generous donation to our recent church gate collection.

"God does not give us everything we want, but He does fulfill His promises, leading us along the best and straightest paths to Himself" - **Bonhoeffer**

MINISTERS OF THE EUCHARIST - OCTOBER

Saturday 7.00p.m: Sr. Maureen Brennan, Sandra Durkan, Margaret Kelly.

Sunday 10.00 a.m: Kathleen Dowler, Ita O'Farrell.

Sunday 12 noon: Kate O'Donoghue, Emma Reilly, Yvonne Tuitt