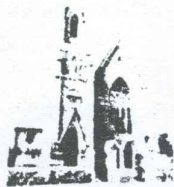


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Thirtieth Sunday - 26th October 2025

This Weekend October 25th / October 26th

7.00 p.m.

Freddie and Anna May Greene, Lisnagrish.

11.00 a.m.

1. Teresa and Paddy Tighe, Devine Crescent.
2. Mary Kennedy (Month's Mind).

Weekday Masses @ 11.00 a.m. - Our Lady's Manor

Wed 29th Oct

Paddy Kenny, Bracklin and deceased members of the Kenny and McGovern families.

Next Weekend: November 1st / November 2nd

7.00 p.m.

1. Eileen and Jim Horkan, Devine Crescent and deceased members of the Nolan family, Grarryandrew.

2. Paddy and Kitty Dempsey, Bracklin Road and deceased members of the Dempsey family.

11.00 a.m.

No Intention.

Offertory Collection: Sat 18th / Sun 19th September - €950 - sincere thanks.

BAPTISMS - We welcomed

Elsie Anna and Elbie Alana Stokes, Auburn Park into our Christian community recently.



FEAST OF ALL SAINTS - Sat Nov 1st is a Holyday. Mass times: **St. Mary's Church on Fri 31st Oct @ 7.00 p.m.** and **Our Lady's Manor on Sat Nov 1st @ 11.00 a.m.**

NOVEMBER ALTAR LIST OF THE DEAD - Please write the names



of your departed relatives and friends on the sheets provided and place in the box at the front of the altar. Your deceased family members and friends will be remembered at Masses celebrated during November. May they rest in peace and enjoy the union

of God in Heaven.

Eucharistic Ministers and Readers:

Edgeworthstown Parish is grateful to the many parishioners who volunteer as Readers and Eucharistic Ministers. From time to time our rotas need to be renewed. Could you volunteer? - we would be delighted to hear from you if you could step forward and volunteer as a Reader or Eucharistic Minister. Contact: 04366 71046 or edgeworthstownparish@gmail.com. Thank you.

SUNDAY REFLECTION - The community of the Church strongly recommends that the faithful celebrate the Sacrament of Reconciliation at least once every year. It is called the Sacrament of Reconciliation because it makes present to the recipient the love of God who reconciles. To live by his merciful love is to be prepared to be reconciled with one's sister and brother.

Sacrament Dates 2026

First Confession

Wed March 11th @ 6.30 p.m.

First Holy Communion

Sat May 16th 11.00 a.m.

Sacrament of Confirmation

Sat 14th March @ 11.00 a.m.

Sunday Scriptures

First Reading - God is no respecter of persons. He shows no favour for the rich and the powerful, but listens to the humble prayer of the just and the lowly.

Second Reading - Paul, a prisoner in Rome feels that his death is drawing near. But his confidence is unshaken and his hope of the 'crown of glory' is bright

Gospel - This contains the great parable of Christ about the Pharisee and the tax collector.

• Thought for the Day •

Two men prayed: the Pharisee with proud self-congratulation, the tax collector with humble repentance. Jesus declared only the broken sinner 'went home justified'. True prayer begins when we stop comparing ourselves to others and simply come before God as we are - needy and dependent. The foundation of faith isn't our righteousness but God's mercy. Today, examine your prayers: Do they sound like a resume of achievements or a cry for grace? The door to God's heart opens lowest to those who kneel lowest. The more we see our need, the more we'll know His mercy.

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Prayer for the Dead

Into your hands, O Lord,

We humbly entrust our brothers and sisters.

In this life you embraced them with your tender love.

Deliver them now from every evil and bid them eternal rest.

The old order has passed away: welcome them into paradise, where there will be no sorrow, no weeping nor pain, but fullness of peace and joy with your Son and the Holy Spirit for ever and ever. Amen.

Pope Leo's Monthly Intention:

For the prevention of suicide: Let us pray that those who are struggling with suicidal thoughts might find the support, care and love they need in their community and be open to the beauty of life.

FEASTS this week: Thurs 6th November - All the Saints of Ireland

The Feast of All the Saints of Ireland celebrates the countless holy men and women who shaped Ireland's rich Christian heritage. We rejoice in the legacy of Ireland's holy ones who lived lives of faith and virtue. It is a day to remember all Irish saints whose holiness continues to inspire faith throughout the generations.

Edgeworthstown Active Retirement are holding a Christmas Fayre on Saturday 1st November from 12-4pm at The Green. There'll be children's toys and stalls selling jewellery, candles and more. All are very welcome.

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION - Holy Hour in Our Lady's Manor on Saturdays from 9.45 a.m. to 10.45 a.m. All are welcome.

READERS OF THE WORD OF GOD - NOVEMBER

Saturday 7.00p.m.: Matt Farrell.

Sunday 11.00 a.m.: Noreen Grant.

MINISTERS OF THE EUCHARIST - NOVEMBER

Saturday 7.00p.m.: Gerard Haughey, Angela Kelly.

Sunday 11.00 a.m.: John Cahill, Kathleen Dowler.

Please arrange a substitute if you cannot be present.

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- Fr Tom Healy -