

Parish of St. Mary's

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Fourteenth Sunday - 5th July 2026

This Weekend	July 4th / July 5th
7.00 p.m.	No Intention.
11.00 a.m.	Margaret Kearney and deceased members of the Kearney Family.
Weekday Masses @ 11.00 a.m. - Our Lady's Manor	
Wed 8 th July	People of the Parish.
Next Weekend:	July 11th / July 12th
7.00 p.m.	No Intention.
11.00 a.m.	1. Teresa Mulryan (Month's Mind), and deceased family members. 2. Bridie Keenan (Month's Mind).

Offertory Collection: Sat 27th June / Sun 28th June - €1,090 - sincere thanks.

RECENTLY DECEASED - Please pray for Rose Lynn, Main Street and Nellie Lesner (nee Lynn), Church Street who died recently. May they rest in peace and rise in glory. Requiescet in pace.



CEMETERY SUNDAY - Cemetery Sunday Mass will be celebrated in Aughafin Cemetery @ 1.00 p.m. on Sun July 5th.

Sunday Scriptures - First Reading - The people are urged to rejoice because when their messianic leader comes, he will not come as a proud warrior, but as a humble and gentle champion of peace.

Second Reading - St Paul says that we have the Spirit living in us. With the help of the Spirit we can live lives that are worthy of our great dignity.

Gospel - It is the little people, those who are humble and gentle of heart who receive the blessings of Christ.

Heavenly Father, your Son Jesus left us a wonderful example of gentleness and humility, and taught us the true meaning of strength. Help us to learn from his example. We ask this through Christ our Lord. Amen.

SUNDAY REFLECTION - The Lord understands us and knows us better than we know ourselves. O Lord, you have searched me and known me. You know when I sit down and when I rise up; you discern my thoughts from far away. You search out my path and my lying down, and are acquainted with all my ways (Ps 139:1-3). He knows what we are made of and so we can come confidently before him with our brokenness and need of his grace. It might be good during the Mass today to become aware of whatever is a burden to us now in our life and ask the Lord for his love and healing touch.
- St Paul's Sunday Missal.

A Family Prayer for the holidays

Heavenly Father, please bless our holiday.
Help our family to have patience and understanding.
Guide us to be mindful of this gift of time together.
Help us to make compromises when necessary and handle any chaos that comes our way with Your love and grace.
Open our eyes to truly see the beauty of the memories we are

• Thought for Today •

A heart that's always listening and a mind that's always learning gets tired. And when you're tired, you need to rest. Being kind enough to give yourself a break is the wise thing to do. Know that you:

- Aren't responsible for fixing everything that's broken.
- Don't have to please everyone.
- Don't have to have everything figured out.
- Have permission to rest - as long as you're the one who gives yourself permission.

Rest for you could look like moving slower as you clean the house or being mindful while you make a meal. It probably means being nicer to yourself. If you're not resting, you're not healing.

Pope Leo:

"Friendship with Christ, which forms the basis of faith, is not just one aid among many others for building the future; it is our guiding star."

"Life shines brightly not because we are rich, beautiful or powerful. Instead, it shines when we discover within ourselves the truth that we are called by God, have a vocation, have a mission that our lives serve something greater than ourselves."

"Peace, in fact, cannot be decreed: It must be embraced and lived. It is a gift from God, which unfolds through patient and collective effort. It is everyone's responsibility, beginning with civil authorities."

God's Presence

The light of God surrounds me,
The love of God enfolds me,
The power of God protects me.
The presence of God watches over me
Wherever I am God is.

CASA says Thank you to everyone who contributed to our recent collection. Total raised in Edgeworthstown was €307.55.

Mary's Meals annual church gate collection on 11th and 12th July. We now feed over 3 million children at school in the poorest countries worldwide. Your support will be appreciated.

"Youth 2000 Summer Festival 13th-16th August

Calling all young people aged 16-35! Join us at the Youth 2000 Summer Festival in Newbridge College, Co. Kildare. This is a donation-only event, with free buses available across the country and all meals included.

Expect inspiring talks and workshops, Mass, music, prayer, and plenty of opportunities to chill out and meet other young Catholics. Whether you are new to the faith or looking to be refreshed, all are welcome.

To register or find out more, visit youth2000.ie or follow @Youth2000Ireland."

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

THE WAY is a new digital multimedia platform recently set up by the Irish Bishops. Take a look at: theway.ie

READERS OF THE WORD OF GOD - JULY

Saturday 7.00p.m.: Ludovica Gherca
Sunday 11.00 a.m.: Sharon Haughey.

MINISTERS OF THE EUCHARIST - JULY

Saturday 7.00p.m.: Gerard Greene, Gerard Haughey.
Sunday 11.00 a.m.: Matthew Family.

Please arrange a substitute if you cannot be present.

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