



PARISH OF THE HOLY REDEEMER, DUNDALK
2ND AUGUST 2015 EIGHTEENTH
SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
A Parish in the 'Dun Dealgan' Pastoral Area



The Transfiguration of the Lord: Thursday 6th August is the feast of the Transfiguration. The Cross requires the exodus of Jesus, his death, Resurrection and glorification. The disciples have to realise that he must depart, just as they are now prepared for his going up to Jerusalem to die.

Friday is First Friday of the Month: The sick and housebound will be attended during the week as arranged.

Divine Mercy Devotion on First Friday: Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament after 10.00am Mass until 4.00pm. Holy Hour and Chaplet 3.00pm - 4.00pm.

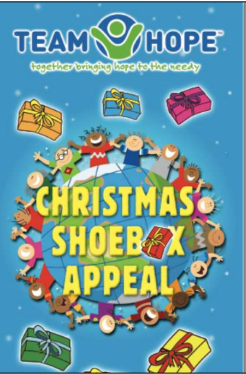
Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament in the Church: Tuesdays after 10.00am Mass until 4pm. Every 1st Friday of the month 10.30am-4.00pm. 1st Saturday of every month after 7.30pm Mass.

Monday is a Bank Holiday there will be no evening Mass. The Miraculous Medal Novena Prayers will be offered at the 10.00am Mass.

A Second Collection will be taken up at all Masses next weekend to help reduce the parish debt.

Shoe Box Appeal – This year as part of our Christmas preparations we are asking parishioners to take part in the Christmas Shoe Box Appeal. If you have any empty shoe boxes can you please drop them into the parish office or if you would like to get involved in the appeal you can do so by filling the shoe box with a range of simple Christmas gifts, drop it off at the parish office and we will do the rest.

Why? They are forgotten children - victims of war, disease or poverty. Children living on the edge, in some of the poorest countries in the world. For families living on less than €1 a day, Christmas is just another ordinary day - nothing special, no Christmas tree, no presents. BUT your shoebox will bring a little



hope, a lot of laughter and smiles, and a practical expression of God's love at Christmas time, for children who have very little. We will share more details of this initiative in September.

The Church Gate Collection this weekend is in aid of St Vincent de Paul.

Divine Mercy Devotion this Sunday at 3.00pm in St Nicholas Church. Thank you.

Resource Centre Lotto: 27th July 1, 2, 11, 17. Four match three winners. Lotto Jackpot: €5,750. No Bingo or Lotto draw Monday next as it is a Bank Holiday.



Our Lady Calls us to Pray
Medjugorje Prayer Group
Will meet on the 1st Tuesday of every month
Starting Tuesday 4th August @8.00 p.m.
Jean Corr Room,
Redeemer Resource Centre,
Dundalk, Co. Louth
All are warmly welcome.
“Dear Children! Also today I am with you and with joy I call all of you: pray and believe in the power of prayer...”

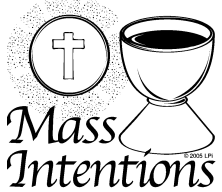
PRIESTS IN PARISH
Fr. Paul Montague Adm
Fr. Neil Xavier O'Donoghue CC



PARISH OFFICE HOURS
Monday - Thursday 10am-1pm 2pm-4pm
E-mail: holyredeemer@eircom.net
www.holyredeemerparish.ie

PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL MISSION STATEMENT:
“Conscious of our brokenness and moved by the Spirit of Compassion, we the Holy Redeemer Parish Pastoral Council, strive to be messengers of God’s healing and love in today’s world and to encourage and support all parishioners to bear witness to the Gospel of Christ.”

ANNIVERSARY & REMEMBRANCE MASSES				
Saturday (vigil)	1st August	7.30pm	Av.	Eddie Donegan.
Sunday	2nd August	10.00am	Av.	Micheal O'Brennan. Micheal & Rose McCarron.
		11.30am	MM	Mary O'Brien.
		6.00pm	Av.	James McEneaney.
Monday (Bank Holiday)	3rd August	10.00am		Special Intention.
Tuesday	4th August	10.00am	Av.	Frances & Noel Crinion.
Wednesday	5th August	10.00am		Special Intention.
Thursday	6th August	10.00am		Special Intention.
Friday	7th August	10.00am		Parish List of the Dead.
Saturday (vigil)	8th August	10.00am		Teresa Quinn. Av. Katie & Owen Farrell. Peter Farrell. Chris & James Farrell. Peter & Briege McCourt.
		7.30pm	Av.	Leo McCoy. Teresa Keohane.
Sunday	9th August	10.00am	Av.	Michael Martin.
		11.30am	MM	Christina Coburn.
		6.00pm	Av.	Felix McGee. James & Madge Madden. Lyndon Mills.



We Remember Those Who Have Died: Marie Gartland (nee Roddy), Ashling Park. Jim & Marie Quigley, Newtownbalregan. Doris O'Hanrahan, Dublin Road. May McDonnell, Knockbridge. Anne Thompson, Blackrock. Teresa Donnelly, Carlingford. Peter Maguire, Mountain View Crescent. Damien Rogers, Kilcurry.

We welcome into our community those recently baptised: Jamie Peter Corbett.

Manager - Part Time: The Archdiocese of Armagh is seeking to employ a part-time Manager for the Diocesan Pastoral Centre in Dundalk on a one-year fixed term contract (September 2015 - August 2016, 25 hours per week). Prospective candidates should have relevant management experience, have excellent communication skills, both verbal and written, be holders of a valid driving licence with the use of a car and have proven experience of active engagement and leadership within the Church. Application forms and further information can be obtained from the following websites www.armagharchdiocese.org/ www.parishandfamily.ie The closing date for receipt of application forms is August 14th 2015.

Summer Dues 2015: The summer dues are currently being collected. These dues are for the upkeep of the priests who serve this parish. We are grateful to all the dues collectors for their work and the generous support of the parishioners.

	Car Boot Sale in aid of Sosad , in McEvoy's Car Park, Batchelors Walk, Dundalk. Sunday 9th August, 11am - 3.30pm. Adults - €2, Children - Free. Cars - €10, Vans - from €15. Queries: 087 1366403.			
	WEEKLY FINANCIAL REPORT	Total	Church	Envelope
	PARISH COLLECTIONS 26th July 2015	€1,589.34	€955.78 (plate)	€633.56

SAFEGUARDING CHILDREN AND VULNERABLE ADULTS POLICY STATEMENT: The parish recognises and upholds the rights of all children and vulnerable adults and is committed to ensuring their safety and wellbeing at all times. A copy of the policy is always available for those who wish to view it in the parish office or the Sacristy. The Safeguarding Children representative for Holy Redeemer Parish is Sharon Duffy 042-93-34259.



