



PARISH OF THE HOLY REDEEMER DUNDALK  
5TH SEPTEMBER 2021  
23rd Sunday in Ordinary Time  
A Parish in the 'Dun Dealgan' Pastoral Area



**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.”

**A Students Prayer  
At the beginning of School Year**

We give you praise, O God,  
for everything that is new and beautiful,  
for everything which holds promise & us brings joy.

Bless us as we start this new year,  
with our friends and teachers.  
Help us to make the most of every chance we have  
to start afresh.

May we show love to one another and to all.  
May the new beginning of this school year  
remind us that you give us chances to start over  
again and again.

Help us to forgive others  
as we receive your forgiveness.

Help us to learn and to work together.  
Help us to listen when we should  
and to know the best words when we speak  
and when it is better not to speak.

We thank you for our friends  
Help us to be good friends this year.  
Help us to be patient  
with ourselves and with others.

Bless our school and keep us safe.  
Be with us as we travel each day.

Help us to be aware of you love  
shown to us in the people around us.

Bless all those who care for us  
in school and at home.  
Help us show our care for them  
and to say sorry when we need to.

May the Blessed Mother Mary protect us  
and help us to live as well as we can  
giving thanks and glory to God as she did.

**Amen**

**FIRST HOLY COMMUNION/CONFIRMATION**



We offer our congratulations  
to all the pupils of  
Redeemer Boys & Girls  
Schools who received the  
Sacrament of First Holy  
Communion yesterday 4th September.

The pupils of St. Brigid's Special School will  
receive the Sacrament of Confirmation on  
Wednesday 8th September and the Sacrament  
of First Holy Communion on Friday 10th  
September. We ask you to please keep the  
children in your prayers as they receive these  
special Sacraments.

**SPECIAL COLLECTION** This weekend a  
special collection in aid of the Irish Episcopal  
Conference will be taken up, together with our  
normal weekly Church collection. We thank  
you for your generosity.



It's that time of year again. We  
ask God's blessing on all our  
schools, our students, our  
teachers and other staff mem-  
bers as they prepare to begin a  
new school year.

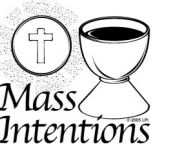
**BAPTISMS** Are being conducted  
fortnightly at 12:00 noon on a  
Saturday and at 12:30pm on a  
Sunday (these times may change if  
a funeral is taking place). Call to  
the parish office to arrange a day  
and time for the Baptism. Please give at least  
one month's notice. Please note the maximum  
in attendance is six, this includes the baby,  
parents, Godparents and Priest. We welcome  
into our Christian community recently  
baptised:- Zach Edvard Broadhurst. Donnacha  
McShane. Fionn Michael Halpenny-Treanor.



**MASS CARDS/BOUQUETS** are always  
available from the Sacristy and Parochial  
House.

**Anniversary and Remembrance Masses**

<b>Saturday (Vigil)</b>	4th September	6.00pm	<b>Av's</b>	Padraic & Patrick Bellew. Rose & James McKeever. George McGoldrick, Michael & Brigid Cotter. Maureen Carr.
<b>Sunday</b>	5th September	10.00am 12.00pm 6.00pm	<b>Av's</b> <b>Av</b>	Owen & Mona Larkin. Kevin Clarke.
<b>Monday</b>	6th September	10.00am		Special Intention
<b>Tuesday</b>	7th September	10.00am		Special Intention
<b>Wednesday</b>	8th September	10.00am	<b>Av</b>	Cecil Graham
<b>Thursday</b>	9th September	10.00am	<b>1st Av</b>	Jack McCabe
<b>Friday</b>	10th September	10.00am		Holy Souls.
<b>Saturday (Vigil)</b>	11th September	10.00am 6.00pm	<b>Av</b>	Miriam Dowdall
<b>Sunday</b>	12th September	10.00am 12.00pm 6.00pm	<b>MM</b> <b>Av</b>	Seanie Coleman Jason Kearney



**WE REMEMBER THOSE WHO HAVE DIED RECENTLY:** Eamon McConville, Barton Park.

Hughie Hoey, Oakland Park. Alan Donnelly, Pearse Park. Margaret Corry, Mulholland Ave. Margaret O'Neill, Mount Avenue. Esther Duffy (née Mulholland) Newtownbalregan.



**THE LEGION OF MARY ACIES** This year, the Legion of Mary celebrates its centenary. The Legion



of Mary was founded by Frank Duff, the first meeting occurred on 7th September 1921. The Legion has since then become a worldwide lay Catholic organisation of up to 10 million members. The Legion has been active in the Parish of Holy Redeemer since the Parish began in 1969. To mark the centenary, the Dundalk Curia Acies will take place on Wednesday 8th September at 4.30pm in Holy Redeemer Church. All members, active and auxiliary are most welcome to attend.

**SAINT VINCENT DE PAUL** Monthly Church Gate collection will be taken at all Masses this weekend. We thank you for your generosity.

**A SECOND COLLECTION** will be taken up at all Masses next weekend to build up parish funds for future maintenance.

**ORDINATION** Rev. Br. Ryan M. Holovlasky C.S.R. will be ordained to the Priesthood this afternoon at 4pm at St. Joseph's Monastery, Dundalk, by H.E. Archbishop Eamon Martin. On behalf of Redeemer Parish we wish to extend our good wishes and we pray that the Lord may always be with Fr. Ryan in his priesthood, lead him in His path, so he may lead others in God's ways. And may the Lord grant him strength and peace in his life as a Priest. May he be blessed with a fruitful and enriching ministry.



WEEKLY FINANCIAL REPORT	TOTAL	CHURCH	ENVELOPE
Parish Collection 29th Aug. 2021	€1,235.37	€657.52	€577.85



**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 Thomas Fox 042-93-34259.



**PRIESTS IN PARISH**

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**PARISH OFFICE HOURS**

Monday - Thursday 10am-1pm. 2pm-4pm.

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