

13th February 2022

SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Edenderry

# Link Up



Fr. Liam Lawton C.C.  
Edenderry

**046 9738863**

Sr Áine Small  
Parish Centre  
**046 9733311**

Deacon Paul Wyer  
**086 6086154**

**Parish Office**  
**046 9733311**

**E-mail:**

[edenderryparishcentre@gmail.com](mailto:edenderryparishcentre@gmail.com)

**Link Up Office**

Stephanie Quinn  
**086 3954046**

**E-mail:**

[edenderrylinkup@yahoo.ie](mailto:edenderrylinkup@yahoo.ie)

**Mass Times**  
**Edenderry**

**Daily Mass**  
10am

**Saturday**  
7p.m.

**Sunday**  
10a.m. & 11:30am

**Website:**  
[Edenderryparish.ie](http://Edenderryparish.ie)

**Vincent de Paul**  
087 3131844  
Shop: 0467938845

**Kildare & Leighlin**  
**Website..**  
[www.kandle.ie](http://www.kandle.ie)

## *"I'm Alright Jack!"*

"Woe to those who are rich." "Woe to those with plenty to eat." "Woe to those who laugh." "Woe to those who are honoured." **Does Jesus mean that heaven is denied us if we pick up a well earned pay packet at the end of the month, stock the freezer and put on a cheerful face?** Few of us consider ourselves really well off, but there is a real danger that when we are finally making



ends meet we can become seriously complacent. There is a real danger that when we are sitting down to our Spaghetti Bolognese and bottle of Italian red, that the images of world disasters flashing across our TV screens do not really touch us for more than fleeting moments. We have struggled through a hard day at work, paid the bills, fed the family and got the children to bed. The last thing we want is breaking news of famine or earthquakes to make us feel uncomfortable. **"Blessed are those who are poor. Blessed are those who are hungry. Blessed are those who weep."** Jesus is always on the side of those who are poor and badly done to, but this is not a prescription for being poor and hungry in a bid to win Jesus' favour. Jesus is clearly not about keeping people in poverty, so what exactly does he mean? In God's kingdom our earthly values are turned upside down. We count wealth, good health and success as blessings, which of course they are, but they stop being blessings and become hindrances instead when we bury our heads in the sand and fail to see or do anything about a world that suffers widespread starvation and war. The blessings in our lives can only bring true happiness once we are able to shed our **"I'm alright Jack"** mentality and do something about the "woes" in other peoples lives.

## **MASS ROTAS**

### **EDENDERRY-WEEKDAY MASS**

#### **READERS**

10am. Mon 14th Feb — Mary Foley

### **EDENDERRY—WEEKEND MASS**

#### **READERS**

7pm. Sat 19th Feb – Laura Fennessy

10am. Sun 20th Feb – Ingrid O'Brien

11:30am. Sun 20th Feb - Caroline McNamee

### **EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS**

7pm. Sat 19th Feb – Amanda Carter, Caroline Murphy, Deirdre Byrne, Bernice Flynn

10am. Sun 20th Feb – Bernie Nutterfield, Laura Pentony McKeon, Patricia Brady, Colette Staunton

11:30am. Sun 20th Feb – Marie Egan, Rita Guing, Elyse Haligan, Colette Burke

## Community Notices

**St Pio Rosary:** Monday 14th Feb in St Mary's Church @ 7:30pm. All Welcome.

### Up Coming Events @ Edenderry Library

**Event:** Art exhibition 'Flow—Clarity' by local artist Niamh Hynan

**Place:** Edenderry Library

**Date:** During the months of February / March 2022

**Time:** During Edenderry Library opening hours

**Event:** In conversation with Geraldine O'Neill

**Place:** Online event over Zoom

**Time:** 7:00 pm, Wednesday, February 23<sup>rd</sup>.

Please contact the library for more details at 04697 31028 or edenderrylibrary@ofalycoco.ie

### Volunteers Required

We are looking for Volunteers to help us with Pastoral planning (everyday work in our Church and Season's etc) in our Parish. If you are interested please give your name and number to the Parish Centre

Contact no: 046 9733311

Email: edenderryparishcentre@gmail.com



### *Failte*

*We welcomed the following into the Christian Community through the Sacrament of Baptism:*

*Croíadh Meabh O' Reilly*

*Tommy Rian McDonnell*

*Leo James Cullen*

*Lucy O' Dwyer*

*Charlie James Cullen*



## PARISH LOTTO DRAW

### RESULTS FOR DRAW HELD ON

**Wednesday 9th February 2022**

### NUMBERS DRAWN

08

13

23

29

**No Jackpot Winner**

**16 Matched 3's won €63 each**

**No local Winner**

**Next Week's Jackpot €13,000**

### Pilates starting in the Parish Centre, Edenderry

Date: Wednesday 16th Feb

Time: 10am

All ages - all levels welcome (first class FREE)

For more info contact Trish @ 087 7431759



*Respect yourself enough to walk away from anything that no longer serves you.*



### OUR PRAYERS ARE ASKED FOR:

*Pat Nolan, Carrick Rd, Edenderry*

*Annie Flynn nee Lynch, 12 Gilroy Ave, Edenderry*

*May they Rest in Peace.  
Our Sympathy to their families*

## MASSES FOR THE COMING WEEK

**Saturday 7pm:** Paud & Josie Ryan; Tom & Molly Dwyer; Angela Dockery; May O' Connell

**Sunday 10am:** Joe & Bridget O'Reilly & deceased family members

**Sunday 11:30am:** Phyllis Dunne

**Monday 10am:** Gerry Fitzsimons, **Month mind Mass**

**Tuesday 10am:**

**Wednesday 10am:**

**Thursday 10am:**

**Friday 10am: Mass Card Intentions**

**Saturday 7pm:** Seamus & Eiley Hurst; Eddie & Liam Brennan; James & Elizabeth O' Grady, Clonbullogue; Bernadette (Bunny) Cummins, Lucia Cummins & deceased members of the O' Neill family; Matthew, Henrietta, Katie, Pat & Ollie Gilligan; Betty Coakley; Willie Kilduff.

**Sunday 10am**

**Sunday 11:30am:** James & Margaret Burke; Owen & Mary McSweeney; Liam & Shirley Moran; James & Jane Moran; Paddy & Rita McGonigle



*We Pray for the following whose Anniversary occurs around this time.*

*Ann Clarke & deceased members of the Clarke & Judge family*

*Edward Ennis*

*David Keegan*

*Eamonn Keegan*

*Brendan Kelly*

*John Kelly*

*Kathleen O'Brien - Mallon*

*William Walsh*

*Patrick Mooney*

*Mary Mooney*

*Simon Loughlin*

## BRERETON FUELS

PHONE 087 2951052

FOR MORE INFORMATION

### Turf

Trailer load €180

Tonne Bag €55

Small Bags €4 each or 4 for €12

### Logs:

Trailer load of Hardwood €300

Tonne bag of Hardwood €65

Small bag of Hardwood 3 for €12

Small bag of Softwood €4 each or 3 for €10

Bag of Kindle €3

### Briquettes:

BNM Briquettes €6.30 each or 10 for €60

Hardwood Briquettes €5.50 each

Bcosy Wooden Briquettes €5

15kg wood pellets €6 each or 10 for €55

### Coal:

20kg House Coal €12 - 40kg House Coal €23

40kg Economy €22.50 - 40kg Polish Coal €25

40kg Doubles €22.50 - 40kg Lignite Nuggets €22.50

40kg Superburn €24.50

*Water Salt Softener 25kg (€8 each or 3 for €22)*

*Gas: 11kg Butane €30 - 14kg Propane €30*

*34kg Propane €100 - 47kg Propane €135*

Great Fuel  
Prices



eunielawlor@hotmail.com

087 984 0944

046 977 3554

Find us on: facebook

Croghan, Rhode, Tullamore, Co. Offaly

*Don't Delay. Call Today!*

- Sky Digital TV & Broadband Agents
- Free to Air TV Systems *No More Bills*
- Sky Eyes Fitted
- Satellite Dishes Repaired & Replaced
- Saorview & Combo Boxes Supplied & Fitted *No More Bills*
- Saorview Aerials Supplied & Fitted *No More Bills*
- TV's Mounted & Tuned
- Digital CCTV & Farm Cameras
- Pre Cabling Advice for New Homes & Extensions
- Fibre Optic Splicing



SAORVIEW TV  
freesat  
sky + HD WiFi  
skybroadband  
skymultiroom

Sales  
Setup  
Service  
Support



# EDEN Windoor

UPVC WINDOWS & DOORS SUPPLIED AND FITTED  
REPAIRS TO ALL TYPES OF WINDOWS AND DOORS

Contact: Daryl O'Gara

**087 2323782**

edenwindoor@yahoo.ie

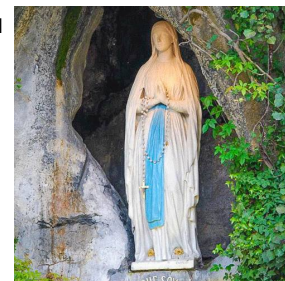
## Our Services include:

- ✓ UPVC WINDOWS & DOORS SUPPLIED & FITTED
- ✓ DOMESTIC & COMMERCIAL LOCKSMITH SERVICES
- ✓ GLASS REPLACEMENT
- ✓ HANDLES, HINGES & LOCKS
- ✓ HIGH SECURITY CYLINDERS

FULLY INSURED  
& TAX COMPLIANT

PSA Licence Number 07188

We are happy to let you know that we are once again travelling to Lourdes. We are going on 15<sup>th</sup> August for five days / four nights. The cost is €649.00. (Single supplement: €120)



This year we are going with Marian Pilgrimages and they have named five hotels, all near the Grotto, and when we have the numbers we will know which one. Booking forms to be completed by 31<sup>st</sup> March 2022.

Application forms can be collected in the Parish Centre or from:

Tony Mullaly, Broadford 086-0791034

Kevin Kelliher, Rhode 087-6162804

Eilish O'Grady, Edenderry 086-8909955

Anne Duffy, Carbury/Derrinturn

086-1600132



#### OPENING PRAYER

Let us pray, (that everything we do will be guided by God's law of love) God our Father, you have promised to remain for ever with those who do what is just and right. Help us to live in your presence. We make our prayer through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever.

#### FIRST READING: Jr 17:5-8

A reading from the prophet Jeremiah.

The Lord says this:

'A curse on the man who puts his trust in man, who relies on things of flesh, whose heart turns from the Lord. He is like dry scrub in the wastelands: if good comes, he has no eyes for it, he settles in the parched places of the wilderness, a salt land, uninhabited. 'A blessing on the man who puts his trust in the Lord, with the Lord for his hope. He is like a tree by the waterside that thrusts its roots to the stream: when the heat comes it feels no alarm, its foliage stays green; it has no worries in a year of drought, and never ceases to bear fruit.

The word of the Lord.

#### RESPONSORIAL PSALM (Ps 1:1-4.6)

**Response:** Happy the man who has placed his trust in the Lord.

1. Happy indeed is the man who follows not the counsel of the wicked; nor lingers in the way of sinners nor sits in the company of scorners, but whose delight is the law of the Lord and who ponders his law day and night.

**Response:**

2. He is like a tree that is planted beside the flowing waters, that yields its fruit in due season and whose leaves shall never fade; and all that he does shall prosper. **Response:**

3. Not so are the wicked, not so! For they like winnowed chaff shall be driven away by the wind. For the Lord guards the way of the just but the way of the wicked leads to doom.

**Response:**

#### SECOND READING 1Cor 15:12.16-20

A reading from the first letter of St. Paul to the Corinthians.

If Christ raised from the dead is what has been preached, how can some of you be saying that there is no resurrection of the dead? For if the dead are not raised, Christ has not been raised, and if Christ has not been raised, you are still in your sins. And what is more serious, all who have died in Christ have perished. If our hope in Christ has been for this life only, we are the most unfortunate of all people. But Christ has in fact been raised from the dead, the first-fruits of all who have fallen asleep.

The word of the Lord.

#### GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

Alleluia, alleluia!

Blessed are you, Father, Lord of heaven and earth, to revealing the mysteries of the kingdom to mere children.

Alleluia!

#### THE GOSPEL (LK 6:17.20-26)

A reading from the holy Gospel according to Luke.

Glory to you, Lord.

Jesus came down with the Twelve and stopped at a piece of level ground where there was a large gathering of his disciples with a great crowd of people from all parts of Judaea and from Jerusalem and from the coastal region of Tyre and Sidon who had come to hear him and to be cured of their diseases. Then fixing his eyes on his disciples he said: 'How happy are you who are poor: yours is the kingdom of God. Happy you who are hungry now: you shall be satisfied. Happy you who weep now: you shall laugh. Happy are you when people hate you, drive you out, abuse you, denounce your name as criminal, on account of the Son of Man. Rejoice when that day comes and dance for joy, for then your reward will be great in heaven. This was the way their ancestors treated the prophets. 'But alas for you who are rich: you are having your consolation now. Alas for you who have your fill now: you shall go hungry. Alas for you who laugh now: you shall mourn and weep. Alas for you when the world speaks well of you! This was the way their ancestors treated the false prophets.'

The Gospel of the Lord.

#### PRAYER OVER THE GIFTS

Lord, we make this offering in obedience to your word. May it cleanse and renew us, and lead us to our eternal reward. Grant this through Christ our Lord.

#### PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

Lord, you give us food from heaven. May we always hunger for the bread of life. We ask this through Christ our Lord....

#### Update on Covid restrictions from Bishop Denis

To ensure the safety and wellbeing of all members of the congregation

- The wearing of face coverings inside Church buildings
- Good sanitising and cleaning arrangements
- Suspension of a handshake as the Sign of Peace
- Holy Communion to be received in the hand ONLY
- Holy water to be used in the Church holder, but not yet restored to fountains for communal use at the entrances to Church buildings. If you need Holy water bring a bottle of water to the Church and one of the Priests will bless it.

While we are encouraged by the lifting of the restrictions imposed during the pandemic we will continue to take care to provide appropriate protection and reassurance to all involved

#### John of God Sisters celebrating 150 years.

On the weekend of 5th/6th March we will remember the Celebration of the John of God Sisters to Edenderry. They will be celebrating 150 years of their foundation this year. The 11:30am Mass on Sunday 6th March will be offered for all the Sisters who worked and lived in Edenderry, in recognition of their excellent service in our hospitals, schools and Parish ministries. .