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Seeds of faith

We live by faith every day of our lives. We have faith that our friends and loved ones won't let us down. We have faith that the cash machine in the wall won't swallow our bank card and that the car will start when we need to get to an important job interview. We have faith in the 'use by' date on our food and faith in the hospital staff when we go for an operation. We use faith in a million and one situations, but how would we define faith, and more importantly how would we define 'faith in God'. Faith! It's not quite belief, but more than a hope. It's not quite conviction, but more than educated guess work. A faith that endures is built on thought, trust and confidence. At best faith is a journey; at very best a gift from God. At the end of the day it's faith that will give us the answers to the most important questions about life, death, and life after death. No wonder the disciples in today's gospel ask for more of it. "Increase our faith", the disciples beg. If we were Jesus we might have worked some kind of indisputable miracle at this point, but he doesn't and for good reason. We can't go on and on asking Jesus to work miracles whenever we feel the need for a bit of concrete evidence. In any case even some of those who had witnessed miracles harboured doubts. So instead of working another miracle, Jesus gives us something to ponder. Faith isn't measurable he tells us. If you have even a tiny bit of faith you have enough "If you had faith the size of a mustard seed, you could say to this mulberry tree, 'Be uprooted and planted in the sea,' " In other words, even if you have a tiny bit of faith you have enough to do great things. Today we are asked to take our mustard seed of faith, and act upon it without worrying and without asking for recognition because at the end of the day, it is only what God expects of us. Today we are asked to trust in our tiny seeds of faith.



Harvest Mass— Sat 1st Oct & Sun 2nd Oct

Thanksgiving for the Harvest, and for all the blessings we have received during the year.

Blessing of Pets: All parishioners are invited to bring animals to the church grounds for a blessing ceremony on Sunday 2nd October @ 3pm. Please do not park in the Church grounds as we need it free for the animals, you can park in the Cemetery or the Parish centre. Can you please pick up after your pets, bags and bins will be provided.

MASS ROTAS

EDENDERRY-WEEKDAY MASS

READERS
10am. 3rd Oct — Pauline Grennan

EDENDERRY—WEEKEND MASS

READERS
7pm. Sat 8th Oct – Cyril O'Neill
10am. Sun 9th Oct – Anne Hanley
11:30am. Sun 9th Oct - Edel Coyne

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS

7pm. Sat 8th Oct – Caroline Murphy, Deirdre Byrne, Bernice Flynn, Kathleen Hanlon
10am. Sun 9th Oct – Ger Kearney, Bernie Nutterfield Bernadette McKeon, Sean Dillon
11:30am. Sun 9th Oct - Elaine Farrell, Colisa Halligan, Rose Waters, Marie Egan

Ofalia House
Sean Dillon

Community Notices

St Pio Rosary: will be held in St Mary's Church, on Monday 10th Oct @ 7:30pm

Coastal Rosary for Faith & Life in Ireland

On **Sunday October 9th**, the annual Coastal Rosary will take place at 2.30pm. Join thousands of people from around Ireland to pray the Rosary for Life and Faith at our coasts, grottos, rivers, churches, and other suitable places. Simply sign up a Rosary location at

www.coastalrosaryireland.ie or text your location to 087 278 6552.

Offaly Dementia Cafe: is presented by the Alzheimer Society of Ireland on the first Monday of each month in the Bridge House Hotel at 10:30am. The next meeting will be held on October 3rd with guest speaker Christine Marten from ALONE. Please contact Claire Dolan on 087 7151323.



PARISH LOTTO DRAW

RESULTS FOR DRAW HELD ON

Wednesday 28th September 2022

NUMBERS DRAWN

04

05

28

31

No Jackpot Winner

8 Matched 3's won €125 each

No local Winner

Next Week's Jackpot €15,000

Catholic Teaching and Healing with Brother Johnson

Venue: Parish Centre, Edenderry

Date: Wed 5th Oct 10:30am –1:30pm. All welcome

Art Sale and Coffee Day and Raffle: in Aid of Irish Cancer Society and Irish Motor Neurone Disease in memory of the late Donal Byrne Auctioneer will be hosted on **Saturday 15TH October in The Oak Wood Inn Edenderry from 11am to 6pm.** All funds raised will go to these great causes. Paintings have been donated by local Artists and are priced between €50.00 to €100.00..If you wish to donate a painting or purchase a painting prior to the sale please contact Mary on 086 4081415 for more details

A raffle is also taking place and tickets are currently on sale from members of the Byrne and Abbott Families and also from the committee members and Oakwood Inn. Tickets are €2.00 per line or €5.00 for three lines or full card €10.00

Your support for these two worthy causes, would greatly be appreciated.



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

Tadhg Usher

Danny John Egan

Baptism: Please note that if your child is to be baptised during or after November this year, you will need to attend the baptism preparation evening, on the last Monday of the previous month. Therefore for baptisms in November the preparation evening is on **Monday 24th October @ 8pm** in the Parish Centre. Any queries contact Deacon Paul Wyer @ 086-6086154



OUR PRAYERS ARE ASKED FOR:

Margaret (Peg) Foran nee Williams
St Conleths Terrace, Edenderry

May she Rest in Peace.
Our Sympathy to her family

MASSES FOR THE COMING WEEK

Saturday 7pm: Patsy Smith, Donegal formerly St Francis St, Months mind Mass, Jamie Quinn; Baby Ronan Kelly

Sunday 10am: Jimmy Kelly, Months mind Mass;

Sunday 11:30am: Hugh Hand, Months mind Mass; Tarleigh Foley; John Lawless; Billy Seery; Alfie Dillon

Blessing of Pets @ 3pm

Monday 10am: Mass Card Intentions

Tuesday 10am:

Wednesday 10am:

Thursday 10am: Kieran Rafter; Liam & Brigid Rafter

Friday 10am:

Saturday 7pm: Rita Cooney, 1st Anniversary; Tommy Cooley, Maisie Cooley; Francie Cooley; Seanie Doyle; Karen Hughes; Marie Lennon; Tommy Cullen; Joe Brereton & deceased members of the Brereton & Grehan families; Sean Flynn

Sunday 10am: Aisling Maher, Months mind Mass; Carmel McGuinness

Sunday 11:30am: Peg Ryan, Months mind Mass; Peadar O' Neill, 1st Anniversary; Tony Mulvin; Willie & Lillie Carter



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

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THURSDAY | 2-2:45pm

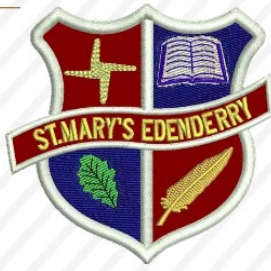
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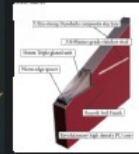
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Coffee Morning

Everyone Welcome



We are re-introducing our Coffee Morning the first Tuesday of the month (4th October)

Venue: Parish Centre

**Time: from 10:30am to 12noon
All Welcome to call in for a chat**

We look forward to seeing you.



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Choose the word that best matches the definition

1. An infectious disease that damages a person's nerves and skin
A. mumps B. influenza C. malaria D. leprosy
2. A community smaller than a city
A. metropolis B. country C. village D. state
3. A person ordained to perform religious duties in the church
A. teacher B. priest C. leper D. usher
4. To restore to health
A. infect B. heal C. praise D. leprosy
5. To rid of impurities by or as if by washing
A. cleanse B. praise C. glorify D. priest
6. To honor, worship, and express admiration to God
A. heal B. cleanse C. praise D. thank
7. To express gratitude to someone for something they have done
A. cleanse B. heal C. faith D. thank
8. The number equal to 7 + 3
A. ten B. twelve C. nine D. eleven

Word Search

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 GALILEE
 CLEANSED

THANKED
 PRAISE
 NINE
 LOUD

Priest: *The Lord be with you*
People: **And with your Spirit**

PENITENTIAL ACT...

Gloria.....

OPENING PRAYER

O Lord, to whom no one is a stranger and from whose help no one is ever distant, look with compassion on refugees and exiles, on segregated persons and on lost children; restore them, we pray, to a homeland, and give us a kind heart for the needy and for strangers. Through Christ or Lord.

FIRST READING (6:-1.4-7)

A reading from the prophet Joel.

Fields don't be afraid but be joyful and glad because of all the Lord has done for you. Animals don't be afraid. The pastures are green; the trees bear their fruit, and there are plenty of figs and grapes. 'Be glad people of Zion, rejoice at what the Lord your God has done for you. He has given you the right amount of autumn rain, he has poured down the winter rain for you and the spring rain as before. The threshing-places will be full of corn; the pits beside the presses will overflow with wine and olive-oil. I will give you back what you lost in the years when swarms of locusts ate your crops. It was I who sent this army against you. Now you will have plenty to eat, and be satisfied. You will praise the Lord your God, who has done wonderful things for you. My people will never be despised again. Then, Israel, you will know that I am among you, and that I, the Lord, am your God and there is no other. My people will never be despised again.

The word of the Lord.

RESPONSORIAL PSALM:

The Lord upholds my life. Response:

1. *O God, save me by your name;
by your power, uphold my cause.
O God, hear my prayer;
listen to the words of my mouth. Response*
2. *For proud men have risen against me,
ruthless men seek my life.
They have no regard for God. Response*
3. *But I have God for my help.
The Lord upholds my life.
I will sacrifice to you with willing heart
and praise your name for it is good. Response*

SECOND READING

A reading from St Paul's letter to the Corinthians.

Remember that the person who sows few seeds will have a small crop; the one who sows many seeds will have a large crop. Each one should give, then, as he has decided, not with regret or out of a sense of duty; for God loves the one who gives gladly. And God is able to give you more than you need, so that you will always have all you need for yourselves and more than enough for every good cause. As the scripture says, "He gives generously to the needy; his kindness lasts for ever. And God, who supplies seed to sow and bread to eat, will also supply you with all the seed you need and will make it grow and produce a rich harvest from your generosity. He will always make you rich enough to be generous at all times, so that many will thank God for your gifts

which they receive from us. For this service you perform not only meets the needs of God's people, but also produces and outpouring of grateful thanks to God. And because of the proof which this service of yours brings many will give glory to God for your loyalty to the gospel of Christ, which you profess, and for your generosity in sharing with them and everyone else. And so with deep affection they will pray for you because of the extraordinary grace God has shown you. Let us thank God for his priceless gift.

The word of the Lord.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

Alleluia, alleluia!

I am light of the world, says the Lord, anyone who follows me will have the light of life.

Alleluia!

THE GOSPEL (16:19-31)

Priest: *The Lord be with you*

People: **And with your Spirit**

A reading from the Gospel according to Luke.

Jesus said to them, "Take heed, and beware of all covetousness; for a man's life does not consist in the abundance of his possessions." And he told them a parable, saying, "The land of a rich man brought forth plentifully; and he thought to himself, 'What shall I do, for I have nowhere to store my crops? And he said, 'I will do this: I will pull down my barns, and build larger ones: and there, I will store all my grain and my goods. And I will say to my soul, Soul, you have ample goods laid up for many years; take your ease, eat, drink, be merry.' But God said to him, 'Fool! This night your soul is required of you; and the things you have prepared, whose will they be? So is he who lays up treasure for himself, and is not rich toward God,"

Priest: **The Gospel of the Lord**

People: Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ

PRAYER OVER THE OFFERINGS

O Lord, who willed that your Son should lay down his life to gather into one your scattered children, grant that this sacrifice of your peace, may bring about a communion of minds and hearts, and an increase in our awareness of the plight of the poor, the homeless and those fleeing from war. Through Christ our Lord.

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

O Lord, who have renewed us with the one Bread and the one Chalice, grant that in sincerity of heart we may show true compassion towards strangers, and the Refugees seeking safety, and that all of us may deserve to be gathered together at last, in the land of the living. Through Christ our Lord.

Divine Mercy Prayers: will take place on **Sunday the 9th October 2022 at 2:45pm.**

Specific intention for October: For mercy and peace for the whole world, especially for those nations suffering from persecution, lack of freedom, freedom to profess their faith and respect for human rights.

Please note change of date for Divine Mercy Prayers for October

Confessions in the Church each Saturday
evening from 6pm to 7pm.