

# Edenderry Parish Newsletter 14<sup>th</sup> January 2024

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## Mass Times

Daily Mass at 10.00am

Saturday at 7.00pm

Sunday at 11.00am

Website: [edenderryparish.ie](http://edenderryparish.ie)

## Parish Office opening hours:

Monday – Friday 9.30am – 1.00pm

Room Bookings: Phone: Eilish/Mary 089-2264971

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We pray for the following whose Anniversaries occur around this time.



Paud Maloney  
Hannah McGuinness  
Nan Farrell  
Charles McKeon

R.I.P. Our Prayers are asked for:

Joe Abbott

Teresa Leech

Our sympathy to their family

## Masses for the Coming weeks

**Saturday 13th January at 7.00pm: Denis McNamara – 1st Anniversary,** Tommy, Nellie, Jack & Nora Dempsey, Kayla O’Sullivan

**Sunday 14th January at 11.00am: Edwina Judge – 1st Anniversary, Bernadette Moriarty – 1st Anniversary,** Hans Gobel, The Gilson Family, Tom Lawton, Pauline & Larry Fanning, Cora O’Regan

**Monday 15<sup>th</sup> January at 10.00am:** Cora O’Regan

**Tuesday 16<sup>th</sup> January at 10.00am:**

**Wednesday 17<sup>th</sup> January at 10.00am:** Sarah Leonard

**Thursday 18<sup>th</sup> January at 10.00am:** Patrick Leonard

**Friday 19<sup>th</sup> January at 10.00am:** Service of the Word & Holy Communion

**Saturday 20<sup>th</sup> January at 7.00pm:** Lar Conlon – late of Birmingham & Rathangan, Andy & Seamus O’Neill, Fiona O’Neill, Sinead Kenny

**Sunday 21<sup>st</sup> January at 11.00am: Thelma Mason – 1<sup>st</sup> Anniversary,** Anne Donoghue, Pat Mooney

## Weekday Mass Reader

Week starting 15<sup>th</sup> January: Sr. Aine

## Weekend Mass Readers

Saturday 20<sup>th</sup> January at 7.00pm – Eddie Lynch

Sunday 21<sup>st</sup> January at 11.00am – Ciara Staunton

## Weekend Eucharistic Ministers

Saturday 20<sup>th</sup> January at 7.00pm – Daniel Tenuto, Tina Norman, Assumpta Tyrrell, Deirdre Byrne

Sunday 21<sup>st</sup> January at 11.00am – Sean Dillon, Maria Egan, Patricia Brady, Bernadette McKeon

Ofalia House – Sean Dillon

2024 Church Calendars are now available in the Church Porches and the Parish Centre

**GROW:** Grow weekly meetings are back in Edenderry Parish Centre, Room 4 each Tuesday at 1.00pm. If you are in distress, feeling isolated or low, you are welcome to join some like-minded people for support free of charge. Contact Michelle on 086-4183805.

Bishop Denis will lead a diocesan celebration of Evening Prayer for the Feast of St Brigid in the Cathedral of the Assumption, Carlow on 1 February 2024, at 7:30 pm. All are warmly invited. More details later.

**Welcoming the relic of St Brigid**  
As we prepare to celebrate the life of St Brigid on February 1st and on this, the 1500th anniversary of her death, the Brigidine Sisters from their convent in Tullow are very generously loaning their relic of St Brigid to Kildare Parish for the year.

The relic will be housed in a specially designed shrine in St Brigid's Church, Kildare. The shrine will be unveiled and Mass will be celebrated in honour of St Brigid and the generosity of the Brigidine Sisters on Sunday 28th January at 11am. This is seen very much as a home-coming for St Brigid and all are most welcome to attend.

**Baptisms:** Please note if your child is to be baptised during or after February this year, you will need to attend the Baptism preparation evening on the last Monday of the previous month. Therefore, for Baptisms in February the preparation evening is on Monday 29th January at 8.00pm. For any queries contact Deacon Paul Wyer at 086-6086154  
The weekly collection envelopes for 2024 are available in the Church Porches and the Parish Centre. Please take one. Also, the PPS Charity donation boxes are available in the Parish centre. Thank you for your support.

**TOOLBOX TRAINING, DRILL WORKSHOPS**  
Learn DIY skills and understand what your drill can do for you. Venue: Parish Centre, Edenderry on Monday 22nd January 10.00am – 12.00 & Wednesday 24th January 7.00pm – 9.00pm. Contact Jacqui 085-2668368 to register. Open to Guys and Gals.

St. Pio Rosary will take place on the second Sunday of each month. Next Rosary will be on Sunday 14th January at 3.30pm. Thought for 2024. Lord, help me to remember that nothing is going to happen to me today that you and I can't handle together. Amen. Blessing of Relic afterwards. Everyone is welcome. Also available on Webcam at [edenderryparish.ie](http://edenderryparish.ie)

**Parish Lotto Draw Results for Wed 10th January 2024.** Numbers: 8-10-20-22  
No Jackpot winner  
11 Match 3 receive €91.00,  
No Local Match 3  
Next week's Jackpot: €15,000

Creative Places, Edenderry present Sing-along for all with Angi Ward is back on Mondays 2.00-3.30pm in the Parish Centre. Fee of charge – All Welcome

**SENIOR HELP LINE:** Ireland's only confidential listening service for older people provided by older volunteers is open 365 days of the year. The helpline is open from 10am to 10pm, so don't be alone. Phone Senior Help line LoCall 1850-440-444. No call costs more than .30cent.

**Mount St. Anne's Retreat & Conference Centre, Killenard, Portarlinton, Co. Laois** have job vacancies for Chef/Cook & Domestic Assistants.  
For detailed job description: email [ceo@mountstannes.com](mailto:ceo@mountstannes.com). Closing date for applications is Tuesday 30th January 2024

**COMMUNITY GARDEN**  
Proposed Community Garden Project for Edenderry.  
Edenderry Community Garden meeting at the Cabin Fairgreen Edenderry (R45HY18) at 12.00 Noon on Tuesday 16th January. Everyone Welcome  
For more information, please contact Derek (Offaly Local Development Company) on 087-7421524