## Edenderry Parish Newsletter 3rd March 2024

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**Mass Times** 

Daily Mass at 10.00am Saturday at 7.00pm Sunday at 11.00am

**Website:** edenderryparish.ie **Parish Office opening hours:** Monday – Friday 9.30am – 1.00pm

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Please note that from the First Sunday in June (2<sup>nd</sup> June 2024) Our Sunday Mass and all Holy Days will be changed to 10.00am

Easter Penitential Service on Wednesday 20th March at 7.30pm.

## **Masses for the Coming weeks**

**Saturday 2<sup>nd</sup> March at 7.00pm:** Kay Delamere, Fionnuala Doyle, Patrick & Alacoque Connell, Tommy & Mary Hoey, Special Intention

Sunday 3<sup>rd</sup> March at 11.00am: Watt McNamee – Months Memory, Shay Hayes – 1st Anniversary, Mickey Usher – 1st Anniversary, Phyllis Usher, Ernie Lawless, Wendy & Bernadette Connolly, Marian Rowan, Maria Lynam, Deceased members of the Lynam & Larkin Families, Jude Loughlin, Christopher (Kit) O'Mara, May Glennon, Phyllis Dunne

Monday 4<sup>th</sup> March at 10.00am: Mary Farrell Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup> March at 10.00am: Mai O'Donoghue

Wednesday 6th March at 10.00am: Thomas Kelly & deceased family members

Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> March at 10.00am:

Friday 8th March at 10.00am: Mass at 10.00am during Lent.

Saturday 9th March at 7.00pm: Molly Walsh – 1st Anniversary, Jimmy Walsh, Margaret Davy, Maurice

Murrin

Sunday 10th March at 11.00am: Peter Moore – Months Memory, Billy McCarthy – 1st Anniversary, John

Mason

**Weekday Mass Reader** 

Week starting 4th March: Sr. Aine

**Weekend Mass Readers** 

Saturday 9<sup>th</sup> March at 7.00pm – Declan Manley Sunday 10<sup>th</sup> March at 11.00am – Edel Coyne

**Weekend Eucharistic Ministers** 

**Saturday 9<sup>th</sup> March at 7.00pm** – Ewan Halligan, Colette Staunton, Caroline Murphy, Kathleen Hanlon **Sunday 10<sup>th</sup> March at 11.00am** – Martin Tyrrell, Bernadette McKeon, Mary Finnegan, Sheila Cleary

Ofalia House – Martin Tyrrell

RIP: Our Prayers are asked for:
John Corrigan
Sean (Bocky) Donoghue
Our Sympathy to their Family

We welcomed Páidi Eugene Mooney into the Christian Community through the Sacrament of Baptism

General prayer & Rosary for Peace in the world and other intentions in St. Mary's Church at 3pm. This will be a very special prayer by all Local Prayer groups. All very welcome to join on this day.

Easter Penitential Service in St. Mary's Church on Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup> March at 7.30pm

Friends of St. Pio. The monthly St. Pio Rosary will be recited in St. Mary's Church on Sunday afternoon 10<sup>th</sup> March at 3.30pm. After the Rosary St. Pio's glove will be available for those who would like to be blessed. Everyone Welcome.

Coffee Day in Ballyfore
P.J. & Brid Lynam are once again holding a
Coffee Day in their house in Ballyfore on
Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> March in aid of Offaly Hospice
and the Irish Cancer Society. As always it
is an all-day event. All support would be
greatly appreciated and we are looking
forward to seeing everyone on the day.

Coffee Morning in the Parish Centre will be held on Wednesday morning 6<sup>th</sup> March after 10.00am Mass. (Please note this month, Wednesday instead of Tuesday)

St. Vincent de Paul – 087-3131844 Edenderry Shop: 046-9738845

Next week's Jackpot: €13,000

Parish Lotto Draw Results for Wed 28 February 2024. Numbers: 4-9-17-26
NO €11,000 Jackpot winner: 20 Match 3 receive €50 each
No Local Match 3

Local Community Fair: 1<sup>st</sup> Sunday every month in Edenderry Parish Centre: 11.00am – 2.00pm All local crafters under one roof bringing you fresh home baking, jams, honey, gift ideas in all shapes and sizes like jewellery, decoration, gift items or hampers. Some items can be personalized and preorder with individual crafter.

Edenderry Historical Talk: Dr. Ciaran Reilly, Edenderry in the early years of the Irish Free State, 1923 – 1940: challenges and opportunities. Venue: Edenderry Parish Centre on Friday 8<sup>th</sup> March at 8.00pm. All are welcome.

Trocaire Boxes are available in the church porches and the Parish Centre. Please support Trocaire.

To book Anniversary Masses, Baptisms, etc. phone the Parish Office or email edenderryparishcentre@gmail.com

**Volunteers Needed** 

Are you a parent or grandparent in Laois/Offaly with a few hours free each week? If so, please consider offering friendly support to young parents with Parents First. There is free training and travel allowance. Find out more, call Dolores or Paula at 086 1959221 or 0579322996

Caring in Offaly CE scheme: Home Respite Care Worker 19.5 hours per week, contact Alison Hackett for more information on 086-0213711 / ahackett@familycarers.ie

**EDENDERRY LIBRARY: Ireland** 

**New! Creative Writing:** Edenderry Library is delighted to have a new facilitator lead writing group. It takes place on the 1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Wednesday of every month at 6:30pm. Booking is required.

Are you caring for a loved one at home with additional needs? A spouse, partner, child, close relative or neighbour? Then you are a family carer! Become a member of Family Carers Ireland, the national charity supporting Ireland's 500,000+ family carers nationwide. Contact 057 93 70221 and hear how we can support you or for more info visit www.familycarers.ie.