

# Edenderry Parish Newsletter

## Sunday 31st August 2025

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### Mass Times

#### Daily Mass 10am

(no 10am mass on the day of a funeral except for the first Friday of the month)

#### First Friday Mass 10am

#### Saturday Mass at 7.00 pm

#### Sunday Mass at 10.00am

Website: [edenderryparish.ie](http://edenderryparish.ie) & MCN live Edenderry

Facebook / Instagram Edenderry Parish Church

#### Parish Office opening hours:

Monday – Friday 9.30 am – 1.00 pm

Room Bookings: Phone: 0469733311

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Safeguarding: Diocesan Designated Liaison Person  
085 8021633

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



Kate Ennis.  
Jolly Farrell.  
Brendan Kelly Edenderry & Somerset.  
Danny Young.  
Bridie Grennan.  
Margaret Sheridan.

### R.I.P.

#### Our prayers are asked for

Bernadette (Bernie) Brady (nee Metcalfe).  
Noreen Dunne (nee McCarthy).  
Birute Shalashovichene.

**Our sympathy to their families.**

### Masses for the Coming week

**Saturday 30th August at 7: 00pm:** Emma Ayres, Christy & Peg Foran, Kate Ennis, Sean & Molly Traynor, Noel Guing, Dolores Farrell, Hughie Hand, John O'Dare, Jolly Farrell.

**Sunday 31st August at 10.00am:**, Christopher Ryan (4<sup>th</sup> Ann).

**Monday 1<sup>st</sup> September at 10am: Mass..**

**Tuesday 2<sup>nd</sup> September at 10am: Mass.**

**Wednesday 3<sup>rd</sup> September at 10am: Mass:**

**Thursday 4<sup>th</sup> September at 10am: Mass.**

**Friday 5<sup>th</sup> September at 10am: Mass. 1<sup>st</sup> Friday**

**Saturday 6th September at 7pm:** John & Mary O'Meara & their daughter Margaret,

**Sunday 7<sup>th</sup> September : at 10.00am: Monica Phelan 1<sup>st</sup> Anniversary,** Aisling Maher, Madeline Loughlin, Karen Hanley (2nd Ann),

**Weekday Mass Reader: Week starting 1<sup>st</sup> September** Sr Aine.

### Weekend Mass Readers

**Saturday 6th September at 7.00pm:** Pauline Grennan, Eddie Kelliher.

**Sunday 7th September at 10.00am:** Sheila Cleary Gerry Raleigh.

### Weekend Eucharistic Ministers

**Saturday 6th September at 7.00pm:** Ewan Halligan, Caroline Murphy, Ciara Staunton, Teresa Naughton.

**Sunday 7th September at 10.00am:** Martin Tyrrell, Sheila Cleary, Bernadette McKeon, Elyse Halligan.

**Ofalia House:** Martin Tyrrell.

### **Divine Mercy Prayers**

Sunday 7<sup>th</sup> September @ 2-45pm all welcome.

We recently welcomed the following into the Christian Community through the Sacrament of Baptism  
Jaxon Arlo Mullally.

### **Liturgy Conference 20th September Carlow Cathedral and Carlow College**

Come and join with Bishop Denis and the Diocesan Liturgy Commission for a day of personal enrichment as we explore many aspects of the celebration of Mass and liturgy in our parishes. In his invitation to the day, Bishop Denis says: "I warmly invite every parishioner in our diocese – congregation member and liturgical minister – and our clergy to come along to this day. I know it will be personally enriching, informative and practical, as well as being a time to meet old friends and make new ones! I look forward to personally welcoming you in Carlow on 20th September." Look out for more details on speakers, available workshops and booking information next week.

### **Confessions**

Before Mass every Saturday Evening @ 6-30pm

### **Baptisms**

Please note if your child is to be baptised you will need to attend the Baptism preparation evening on the last Monday of the previous month. For Baptisms In September/October the preparation course will take place on Monday 29<sup>th</sup> September @8pm. For any queries contact Deacon Paul Wyer at 086-6086154

You can keep up to date with all Parish News on Edenderry Parish Church @ Facebook and Instagram

### **Blessing Prayer for all who have returned to school**

As we remember all who have started back to school in the recent weeks,  
We pray that they begin this new year of learning with open minds and open hearts.  
May it be a year full of promise for each one of them and for all who will guide and teach them  
May they continue to grow in knowledge, wisdom, and love in God and one another  
When they are distracted, may the light of God's wisdom give the focus,  
When they are tired, may God's Holy Spirit fill them with energy  
May their minds always be open to learning  
May their friends always build them up and may they be a friend who supports and encourages.  
May they always be aware of God's loving presence in every moment of every day.  
May they bring that loving presence to everyone they meet.  
May almighty God bless them all.

### **Parish Lotto Results.**

**Wed 27th August 2025**

Numbers: 15-17-29-32

No €20, 000 Jackpot Winner

3 Match 3s receive €250 .00 each

No Local Match 3 Winner

**Next week's Jackpot €20, 000**

### **St Vincent De Paul**

If anyone is looking for assistance from the Saint Vincent De Paul please contact helpline 0873131844

Like to start your own business but not sure how to do it? Offaly Local Development Company are meeting unemployed people NOW for places on their next Business Development Programme. Contact Des Regan on dregan@offalyldc.ie or call/message 087 969 9998. Starting 29th Sep 2025

Nominate your Local Community Group!  
Offaly County Council are now accepting nominations for our upcoming Community & Voluntary Group Awards 2025. Winners will receive a bursary of €500 to use for their community work.  
Closing Date September 14th. Please see [www.offaly.ie](http://www.offaly.ie) for further information.

### **Edenderry Library**

Tuesday 2nd Sept

11:00 – Tuesday Morning Bookclub (adults)

Wednesday 3rd Sept

14:30 – YA Bookclub (New Members Teens 13-17

Welcome) 18:30 – Creative Writers Group

19:00 – Ciorcal Comhrá – conversational Irish group for Adults (new members welcome)

Thursday 4th Sept

ALL Day – Sensory Room Available for Bookings

Friday 5th Sept 10.30 – Baby & Toddler Group – all welcome

12:00 – Feeding Support Group (with Public Health Nurse/lactating specialist)

3.30pm – Crafty Friday for over 6s – Booking Required

Saturday 6th Sept

10-12 – STEM Saturdays & Magic Table Sessions

11:00 – Saturday Storytime

### **Grow**

Are you feeling isolated, stressed or suffering from Low Mood or anxiety. Whatever the reason you are in distress – **Grow can help.**

Free weekly peer support group at 1pm each Tuesday in the Parish Centre. All are welcome to attend.

### **Pieta**

Ciara Farrell Suicide Bereavement Liason Officer  
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