

# Parish of Middle Killeavy

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6<sup>TH</sup> OCTOBER 2024

27<sup>TH</sup> SUNDAY IN  
ORDINARY TIME

## **LATELY DECEASED:**

Bridie McClorey, Water St.; Daniel Greer, Dunbrae; Sr Kathleen Hanna, Limerick; Teresa Guthrie, Brannock Close;

## **MASS INTENTIONS**

<u>Saturday 5<sup>th</sup> 6.15pm</u>	<u>Peadar Woods M.M.:</u> Nora Campbell
<u>Sunday 6<sup>th</sup> 10.30am</u>	Attracta & Terry O'Brien
<u>Sunday 6<sup>th</sup> 12noon</u>	Robert & Ellen Tumilty; John Tumilty Christine Tumilty; Eileen Tumilty
<u>Monday 7<sup>th</sup> 10.30am</u>	Priest's Intentions
<u>Tuesday 8<sup>th</sup> 10.30am</u>	Parish Mass Intentions
<u>Wednesday 9<sup>th</sup> 10.30am</u>	Priest's Intentions
<u>Thursday 10<sup>th</sup> 10.30am</u>	Priest's Intentions
<u>Friday 11<sup>th</sup> 10.30am</u>	Kay Mc Veigh
<u>Saturday 12<sup>th</sup> 10.30am</u>	Priest's Intentions
<u>Saturday 12<sup>th</sup> 6.15pm</u>	<u>Vanessa Dillon, 1st Anv</u> <u>Nicky Lennon 1<sup>st</sup> Anv</u> Peg McAnulty
<u>Sunday 13<sup>th</sup> 10.30am</u>	Priest's Intentions
<u>Sunday 13<sup>th</sup> 12noon</u>	Tom O'Neill

**PARISH COLLECTION:** last weekend raised: Weekly Collection: £882 & €1 (Env £578 7€1; Loose Plate £304). Thank you for your continued support.

**ALTAR SOCIETY:** Group D will be responsible during the month of October .

## **MINISTERS OF THE WORD – OCTOBER**

<b>6.15pm</b>	<b>10.30am</b>	<b>12noon</b>
Lyn Curtis	Patricia McArdle	Bernadette O'Loan

## **MINISTERS OF THE EUCHARIST – OCTOBER**

<b>6.15pm</b>	<b>10.30am</b>	<b>12 noon</b>
12 <sup>th</sup> -13 <sup>th</sup> Eamon Murphy	Ann Rocks	Theresa Dillon
19 <sup>th</sup> –20 <sup>th</sup> Bronagh Carville	Pat Mc Kay	James Lannon
26 <sup>th</sup> – 27 <sup>th</sup> Eilish Smith	Sheila Murphy	Bronagh Strain

**THE RELICS OF ST BERNADETTE:** are currently on a pilgrimage around the cathedrals and dioceses of Ireland. The visit of the relics is a fitting prelude to the launch of the Jubilee Year 2025 with its theme "Pilgrims of Hope". The pilgrimage around Ireland of St Bernadette's relics will be a source of hope, great joy and inspiration, especially for the many people of Ireland who have travelled to Lourdes over the years....to the sick, disabled persons, the vulnerable and those who struggle in any way, and to people of all ages who have volunteered to help in various ways in Lourdes and have been uplifted themselves by the experience of serving and caring. St Bernadette once wrote: "One who loves does not notice her trials; or perhaps more accurately, she is able to love them. I shall do everything for Heaven, my true home. There I shall find my Mother in all the splendour of her glory. I shall delight with her in the joy of Jesus himself in perfect safety."

*Adapted from the letter of Archbishop Eamon.*

## **Local pauses on the relics' pilgrimage include:**

Cathedral of Ss. Patrick and Colman, Newry: 17<sup>th</sup> & 18<sup>th</sup> October  
St. Patrick's Cathedral, Armagh: 19<sup>th</sup> October  
St. Patrick's Church, Dundalk: 20<sup>th</sup> October

**DIVINE MERCY DEVOTIONS:** take place on the first Sunday of each month (including today) in St. Nicholas's Church, Dundalk, from 2pm, with Sacrament of Reconciliation, Adoration Divine Mercy Chaplet and Sacrament of the Sick. All welcome.

**WORLD ROSARY DAY – 7<sup>TH</sup> OCTOBER:** Pope Francis has asked for a new prayer initiative as a great symphony of prayer leading up to the Jubilee 2025. He has requested that all Catholics pray the Rosary at the same time at 7pm (local time) on the 7<sup>th</sup> October, the Feast of Our Lady of the Rosary. Fr. Richard Gibbons has registered Knock Shrine as a venue for the rosary at that date and time and for those who are housebound, or unable to gather at a local level, can join with them online.

**HOSPICE CHURCH COLLECTION:** A door collection for Southern Area Hospice will be held at all Masses this weekend. Last year, the Hospice church door collection campaign raised £39,386.80, which helped fund two weeks of inpatient nursing care. This year marks their 35<sup>th</sup> year of providing local Hospice care and they need to raise over £3.6 million to continue providing their specialist palliative care, free-of-charge to patients living in the Southern Trust area. Please do what you can to help with this year's collection. On behalf of Southern Area Hospice. thank you for your continued support!

**ST GERARD MAJELLA NOVENA:** Annual Solemn Novena in honour of St. Gerard Majella will be held in St Joseph's (Redemptorist) Church, Dundalk, from the 8<sup>th</sup> to 16<sup>th</sup> October. There will be eight sessions each day: 7am, 9.30am, 11am, 1.10pm, 4.30pm, 6pm, 7.30pm, 9pm. All are welcome.

**WORLD MISSION SUNDAY** is the Holy Father's annual appeal to support overseas mission and missionaries. For Mission Sunday 2024, Pope Francis has chosen the theme 'Go and invite everyone to the banquet'. Mission, he said, is a tireless going out to all men and women, in order to invite them to encounter God. The annual Mission Sunday Collection will take place on Sunday 20<sup>th</sup> October. Please do what you can.

## **THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK**

Great God, who has told us  
"Vengeance is mine,"  
save us from ourselves,  
save us from the vengeance in our hearts  
and the acid in our souls.

Save us from our desire to hurt as we have been hurt,  
to punish as we have been punished,  
to terrorize as we have been terrorized....

Give us the depth of soul, O God,  
to constrain our might,  
to resist the temptations of power,  
to refuse to attack the attackable,  
to understand  
that vengeance begets violence,  
and to bring peace—not war—wherever we go....

*From "A modern prayer for peace – Joan Chittister"*

**PARISH TEAM:** Fr Liam (30262376); Fr Saji (30267032) Srs. Marie & Margaret (30268512)

**PARISH OFFICE:** Monday – Friday, 10am – 12noon