



# SACRED HEART PARISH

**Sunday 13th July 2025**  
**15th Sunday in Ordinary Time**



**Priest: Kieran C.P.**

**Deacon: Joe Baxter**



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## ~Mass Times~

<b>Saturday Vigil:</b>	6.00pm:	Myrtle Saunders, Month's Mind Mass
<b>Sunday Masses:</b>	9:30am	Eileen Edwards, Anniversary Mass
	11:30am:	Danny Morgan, Month's Mind Mass
<b>Weekday Masses:</b>	Monday 10:00am:	Mary Cassidy Sr & Mary Cassidy Jr, Anniversary Mass
	Tuesday 7:00pm: Novena	Kathleen Tierney Pilkiewicz, Month's Mind Mass
	Wednesday 10:00am:	Paula Murphy
	Thursday 10:00am:	Francis Grogan, Anniversary Mass
	Friday 10:00am	

**Confessions & Adoration:** Saturday: 5:00pm - 5.45pm.

**Divine Mercy:** Friday 2:15pm, Exposition, Prayer and Confessions

## ~Sacrament of Baptism~

Baptisms are held on the 1st & 3rd Sundays of each month at 12.30pm.  
Please contact the parish office to arrange a baptism.

### ~Upcoming Feast Days~

14th July, St Camillus de Lellis  
15th July, St Bonaventure  
16th July, Our Lady of Mount Carmel

### ~Sanctuary Candles~

Gabriel McAlorum  
The Mac Quillan Family  
Francis Grogan  
Colette Grogan

*A Donation of £5 per candle is greatly appreciated*

### ~Recently Deceased~

Margaret McKeown  
Patrick Blackmore  
Thomas Mackin  
Noel Dunlop  
Mary Scott  
Mary Carson

*Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord*

### ~Weekly Collection~

£1118.82

### ~Monthly Collection~

£353.00

Thank You For Your Generosity

### ~Anniversaries~

*Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord*

### ~Baptisms~

Oisín James McIlkenny  
Elijah Thomas Armstrong

*Welcome into our Community*

## ~A Spiritual Communion~

Jesus, I believe that you are present in the **Most Blessed Sacrament**. I love You above all things, and I desire to receive You into my soul. Since I cannot now receive You Sacramentally, come at least spiritually into my heart, I embrace You as if you are already there, and I unite myself wholly to You.

**The Lord asks of you only this, that you act justly, love tenderly and walk humbly with your God.**  
**( Micah 6:8)**



## DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

The Parish Office will be closed this coming Monday 14th and Tuesday 15th July.  
It will be opened from 10am to 1pm Wednesday 16th, Thursday 17th, and Friday 18th.

### For anyone travelling in the coming weeks:

*"Lord, be our guide and protector on the journey we are about to take.*

*Watch over us. Protect us from accidents. Keep us free from harm to body and soul.*

*Lord, support us with Your grace when we are tired. Help us be patient in any trouble which may come our way.*

*Keep us always mindful of Your presence and love."*

**Climate Hope in Action: Faith and Community Voices Urged to Engage in NI Climate Plan Consultation.** As Northern Ireland's Department of Agriculture, Environment and Rural Affairs (DAERA) opens public consultation on its first statutory Climate Action Plan, a call is going out for citizens, faith groups and community organisations to bring their voices to the table. With the consultation running until Tuesday 24 September 2025, organisations across the region—from parishes to rural networks, youth groups to local councils—are being encouraged to contribute. As Laura Jessie Cook of Project Dandelion reminds us: "Climate action must also be narrative action. It's not only about reducing emissions—it's about who gets to shape the future." "The Letter – A Message for Our Earth": A documentary film from the Laudato Si Movement, inspired by Pope Francis' 2015 encyclical Laudato Si'. <https://theletterfilm.org/>

# Light the Fire

August 3<sup>rd</sup> 2025 *Hill of Slane*



**Dana**



**Archbishop Eamon Martin**



**Deacon John Taaffe**

**12pm - 1pm Gathering**

**1pm Welcome by Fr. Richard Matthews PP**

**1.15 Rosary**

**1.45pm Michael Murphy on Ven. Matt Talbot**

**2pm Holy Mass**

**3pm Eucharist Healing**

**4.30pm Depart for home**



**Website: [lightthefire.ie](http://lightthefire.ie)**  
**Email: [info@lightthefire.ie](mailto:info@lightthefire.ie)**

• Please bring a fold up stool •

*Come back holy boy*

## NATIONAL GRANDPARENTS PILGRIMAGE 2025

CELEBRATING THE WORLD DAY FOR GRANDPARENTS & THE ELDERLY

THEME: 'Blessed are those who have not lost hope' (cf. Sir 14, 2)

**Sunday 27 July 2025**



- Chief Celebrant Archbishop Francis Duffy
- Choirs and Music by director Una Nolan
- Special Guest Dana Rosemary Scallon
- Anointing of the Sick in the Basilica - 2:30pm
- Holy Sacrament of Mass - 3:00pm
- Rosary Procession (weather permitting)
- Children's Prayer appeal inviting all children to write a prayer for their grandparents, send it or bring to the CGA Knock Shrine



World Day for Grandparents and the Elderly 2025

Organise transport with your local parish.

Plenary Indulgence granted for the occasion  
HOSE UNABLE TO JOIN IN PERSON CAN TAKE PART ONLINE AT [WWW.KNOCKSHRINE.IE](http://WWW.KNOCKSHRINE.IE) WATCH  
[WWW.KNOCKSHRINE.IE](http://WWW.KNOCKSHRINE.IE) Telephone: +353 (0) 94 938 8100

**Down and Connor Diocesan Trust are seeking to recruit for an exciting new role of 'Youth Minister'**, to work across the Family of Parishes, comprising Duneane, Antrim and Randalstown. This role will be based within our Duneane Parish, 103 Roquary Road, Moneyglass, Toomebridge, BT41 3PT. The role will require you work to 35 hours per week, which will involve evening and weekend work. Full details can be found on the Diocesan website at: <http://www.downandconnor.org> or <https://www.nijobs.com/jobs/> and the Community NI website.

**Abide in His Love Women's Conference Nov 21-23.** The Great Northern Hotel, Bundoran Co. Donegal. An Amazing event for women exploring the beauty & gift of their feminine identity in Christ. Guest Speakers include: Sr. Mary Madeline Todd OP (USA), Megan Madden from 'A Mother's Lace' (USA/UK), Fr. Barry Braum, Fr. Mark Wharton (UK), Fr. Francesco Mary Gavazzi, CFR, the Nashville Dominican sisters, & Mass with Archbishop Eamon Martin. More speakers to be announced. Check out Eventbrite for tickets & more information. Not to be missed!

**Legion of Mary.** Meet every Monday at 7.30pm, at The Church of the Immaculate Heart of Mary. 577 Antrim Road, Belfast, BT15 3BU and every Thursday evening at The New Lodge Grotto for the Rosary.

**Chatty Café.** Open Monday to Friday 10.30am to 12.30pm. Come and join us for a cuppa & a chat.

**AA Meeting** upstairs in the Parish Centre every Monday & Friday, 6.30pm-7.30pm, Thursday at 7pm. (Ladies Group)

**Narcotics Anonymous (NA)** meeting upstairs in the Parish Centre on Wednesday's at 7pm-8pm.

**Cocaine Anonymous (CA)** meet every Tuesday at 7pm upstairs in the Parish Centre.

**The Spred Group** meet every second Monday in the Parish Hall at 7pm.

**Ladies Pensioners Group** are having a break until 24th July.

**The Stitch and Crocheting Group** meet Thursday evenings, 7pm in the Parish centre. Come along and learn a new skill.

**Lifeline-24hr** 7 days a week 0808 808 8000  
**Samaritans** anytime night or day 116 123  
**St Vincent De Paul** 028 90351561  
**Cancer Lifeline** 028 90 351999  
**AA** 02890351222

**AI-Anon Family Groups** 028 9068 2368  
**PIPS** 0800 088 6042  
**Youth Education Health Advise** 02890 757 809  
**Diocesan Safeguarding Officer** Philip O'Hara 07534 992 124

Sacred Heart of Jesus, I place all my trust in Thee