



32nd Sunday of Ordinary Time

Family Remembrance Mass

10th November 2024



Please pray The Rosary for a revival of faith & prayer in our homes and return to mass.

Please collect the 2024 – 2025 Readers Lists from the Sacristy in either church

Mass Times & Intentions: Mass – Monday to Friday Clonmellon 10am

KILLALLON: Sun 10am: Ann. Paddy Ball, Ann. James & Anne Ball

CLONMELLON: Sun 11.30am: Ann. Maureen Reilly, Ann. John & Betty Gavin, William, Mary & Paddy Moran, Ann. Tommy & Ronan Daly

Mon -St. Martin of Tours. Ven Catherine McAuley **Thur** –St. Laurence O’Toole **Fri** –St. Albert – Mass Killallon 7.30pm

KILLALLON: Sun 10am: Ann. Peter Smith, Ann. Tim & Mary Clyne & d.f.m.

CLONMELLON: Sun 11.30am: Ann. Patrick & Phyllis Hannon, Ann. Jimmy & Ann Farrelly, Ann. Peter Reilly

Members of *Viatores Christi* will speak at Masses on **Sunday November 17th**.

It is an association of Catholic lay missionary/ Development workers. VC brings about positive change by improving access to healthcare & education in the marginalized communities in which they work.

Why are they talking at the Masses - To raise awareness about the missionary work of the Church. To thank the people of the Meath Diocese for your support for their work over the years. To offer an opportunity and preparation to anyone who feels called to volunteer.

Young Adults (18-40 yrs) Retreat in Mt. St. Joseph Abbey Roscrea 15th – 17th November.

Theme: 'I believe that nothing can happen that will outweigh the supreme advantage of knowing Christ Jesus, my Lord' [Phil 3:8]

November Offering Day: Today November 10th

Suggestion Boxes are now in place in the porches of both churches in our parish. The P.P.A. welcomes all suggestions from our parishioners.



God, thank you for the people in our lives whom we are remembering in a special way during the month of November. We thank you for being a compassionate God who walks with us in our dark moments of grief and loneliness. We are thankful for all who continue to love and support us through our grief.

Lord, continue to be a light for us, giving us hope, direction and courage. May we now live our lives treasuring the memories of those special people we have known and loved and help us to bring light and hope to others.

We make this prayer through Christ our Lord, **Amen**

Points to Ponder

The poor widow divested herself of everything. In her poverty she understood that in having God, she had everything; she felt completely loved by him and in turn loved him completely. What a beautiful example this little old woman offers us! Today Jesus also tells us that the benchmark is not quantity but fullness. There is a difference between quantity and fullness. You can have a lot of money and still be empty. There is no fullness in your heart. This week, think about the difference there is between quantity and fullness. It is not a matter of the wallet, but of the heart. There is a difference between the wallet and the heart ... There are diseases of the heart, which reduce the heart to the wallet ... This is not good! To love God 'with all your heart' means to trust in him, in his providence, and to serve him in the poorest brothers and sisters without expecting anything in return. Faced with the needs of our neighbours, we are called to deprive ourselves of essential things, not only the superfluous; we are called to give the time that is necessary, not only what is extra; we are called to give immediately and unconditionally some of our talent, not after using it for our own purposes or for our own group. Let us ask the Lord to admit us to the school of this poor widow, whom Jesus places in the cathedra and presents as a teacher of the living Gospel even to the astonishment of the disciples. Let us ask for a heart that is poor, but rich in glad and freely given generosity.

Pope Francis - The Angelus, St Peter's Square, November 2015