

The Most Holy Body & Blood of Christ Corpus Christi



Rosary Monday to Friday Clonmellon 9.35am followed by Mass @ 10am

How can a little piece of bread cause us to say Corpus Christi; the Body of Christ? This weekend's First Reading at Mass, tells us that Jesus took Bread and said, this is Corpus Christi, "My Body" (cf. 1 Corinthians 11:23-26). The Lord filled the small piece of bread with His very person. Then, He handed this Body, His Body to the disciples who are to hold Him up to the world. Corpus Christi; Jesus still says this is My Body, My Blood in the mouths of the priests who act in His memory. He needs men to give their lives to His service, to say Corpus Christi to the faithful. Become the body for Christ and give His Sacred Body to others. — Fr. Tony Gonoude



KILLALLON: Sun 10am: CLONMELLON: Sun 11.30am:

Rest in Peace:

Jack Fagan, Navan, late Clonmellon

Feast Days - Mon. The first martyrs of the Roman Church

Tue. St. Oliver Plunkett

Thur. St. Thomas, Apostle



KILLALLON: Sun 10am: M.M. Elizabeth (Lily) Sheerin

CLONMELLON: Sun 11.30am: Anniv. Robert Cannon, Anniv. Bernard & Eileen Daly & D.F.M.

Adoration: Every Monday 2.30pm – 8pm Clonmellon Church **Communion Calls: Tuesday** – Archerstown, Rathbrack

Baptism: 1st and 3rd Saturdays, 11am in Clonmellon

Wednesday - Delvin Road, Cloran, Killua



Please join us in our Corpus Christi Procession & Celebration today immediately following Mass at 11.30am.

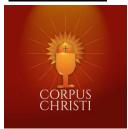
On this special day, we will hold a solemn procession through Clonmellon, followed by light refreshments and a time of fellowship. Come and be part of this meaningful occasion in the life of our parish—we look forward to celebrating together.

<u>A Fore Deanery Jubilee Year</u> celebration taking place at *Fore Abbey on Sun 31st Aug at 4pm* outside the Abbey ruin.

There will be Exposition and Benediction of the Most Blessed Sacrament. After, the Silverstream Monks will lead Evening Prayer in Fore Parish Church. Refreshments will be served in the Fore Coffee Shop to end the evening.

<u>Meath Diocesan 2025 Pilgrimage to Lourdes 9-14 Sept.</u> Led by Bishop Deenihan. Fr. Moore & the Deanery have noticed that the number of pilgrims travelling has fallen in recent times so Meath Diocesan Lourdes Hospitality Group have met and are appealing to people to travel on this pilgrimage. There will be a small subsistence of the fare available to those eager to travel but short in finance. There will also be medical assistance provided to those invalided. **Full details on Notice Boards & Joe Walsh Tours, tel: 01-2410800 or www.joewalshtours.ie.**

REFLECTION:



The Eucharist is essentially and of its very nature a community action in which every person present is expected to be an active participant. We are here, on the one hand, recalling what makes us Christians in the first place – our identification with the life, suffering, death and resurrection of Jesus. And that identification with Jesus is expressed not through a one-to-one relationship with him but in a community relationship with him present in all those who call themselves Christian. We relate to him through his Risen Body, which is the whole community bearing his name. There is no place in Christianity for individualism. It is a horizontal faith: we go to God with and through those around us. Every Lord's Day we come together as that Body, as a community, to say thanks to him and hence the name 'Eucharist' which means 'thanks'. It is regrettable, then, if

we are only in church to 'keep the Third Commandment' on a purely private, individual, devotional basis. With that mentality, it will not be surprising if we think it does not matter if we are late or leave early. Because, with that mentality, 'going to Mass' is a private affair for me and all the others who 'happen' to be there, too. Some even resent that there is too much going on. They wonder why they cannot be 'left in peace to say their prayers'. It is true some Mass celebrations can be overactive or over-intrusive but, on the other hand, it is not a time for contemplative prayer. One can do that much better at home. The whole point of being at Mass is to celebrate together with one's fellow-Christians as a community of the disciples of Jesus. - www.sacredspace.ie Intercom June 2025

NOVENA PRAYER TO THE SACRED HEART FOR VOCATIONS

Most Sacred Heart of Jesus, place those whom you are calling to be priests next to Your Heart. May they find refuge in Your Heart, and there, hear your invitation to love and serve. May their hope in Your Heart empower them to cast away all fears and worries. May this hope assist them to brighten lives of the faithful. May their love within Your Heart grow to serve You with great desire in every detail, and release this love with the open-hearted purpose of service for souls, seeing Christ in all, despite any sins or weaknesses. O Most Sacred Heart, increase their faith, hope, and love. O Lord of the harvest, send many faithful workers into your vineyard. Amen.