

*Ad Majorem Dei Gloriam*

# Domhnach Mór

## Parish of Donaghmore

*Archdiocese of Armagh*



A pure heart create for me O God,  
Put a steadfast spirit within me.

Psalm 50

07 July 2024

Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Fourteenth Week in Ordinary Time

• *Next Sunday, 14 July 2024*

*Amos 7:12-15.*

*Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time*

*Ps 84:9-14, R/ v 8.*

*Eph 1:3-14.*

*Mk 6:7-13.*

**Psalter Week 2**  
**Sunday Cycle B**  
**Weekday Cycle 2**

**Pope's Intentions for July 2024**

**For Pastoral Care of the Sick**

The Holy Father asks "for the sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick to give strength from the Lord to those who receive it and their loved ones, becoming a visible sign of compassion and hope for everyone."

<p><b>Parish Priest</b> Fr Gerard Mc Aleer Tel: (028) 8776 1327</p> <p><b>Associate Pastor</b> Fr Patrick Breslan PE. AP. Tel: (028) 8775 8277</p> <p><b>Retired</b> Fr Patrick McGuckin, PE.</p>	<p><b>Prayer for this coming week</b></p> <p><b>Psalm 26:</b> <b>Triumphant trust in God</b></p> <p>The Lord is my light and my help; whom shall I fear? The Lord is a stronghold of my life before whom shall I shrink?</p> <p>When evil-doers draw near to devour my flesh, it is they, my enemies and foes, who stumble and fall.</p> <p>Though an army encamp against me my heart would not fear. Though war break out against me even then would I trust.</p> <p>There is one thing I ask of the Lord, for this I long, to live in the house of the Lord, all the days of my life, to savour the sweetness of the Lord, to behold his temple.</p> <p>I will sing and make music for the Lord.</p>
<p><b>Sacrament of Baptism</b> To be arranged with Fr McAleer. They usually take place on Saturday at 4.00pm and Sunday at 12.30pm.</p>	
<p><b>The Disappeared</b> God our Father send your Holy Spirit to enlighten the minds and hearts of those people who can roll away the stone of sadness and anguish long suffered by the families of The Disappeared...</p>	
<p><b>Please note that all Notices for the Domhnach Mór Bulletin must include a contact number and be left at the Parochial House, Donaghmore by 9.00 pm on Wednesday.</b></p>	

## Anniversary Notices in the Dornnach Mór Bulletin

When requesting an anniversary Mass please write the name of the deceased, the day and date of the anniversary, the chapel and a contact name and number on the outside of the envelope and leave in Donaghmore Parochial House or in either sacristy.

### In Memoriam

*"It is a holy and wholesome thought to pray for the dead" (2 Maccabees 12:46)*

### Recently Deceased

Joan Harte

Fr Seamus Rice

Anna McKane



### Anniversaries

*Sat 06 July* Patricia Brennan  
Dennis Collins  
Eileen McElhinney  
Molly and Tommy Gates

*Sun 07 July* **Blessing of the Graves**  
Terry Mallaghan  
Rose Murphy  
Mary Kane  
Susan and John Duggan  
Johnny, Packie and Lizzie Girvan  
Bridgid Hetherington

Michael Quinn  
Terry and Mary Kelly  
Leo Hurson  
Patrick, Kitty, Eileen, Paul and Kieran Nugent  
Patrick, Nan, James and Minnie Quinn  
Joe McGee

*Mon 08 July*

*Tue 09 July* Joe Slevin  
Pauline Doris  
Joe McGee

*Wed 10 July*

*Thur 11 July*

*Fri 12 July*

*Sat 13 July*

*Sun 14 July* James Quinn  
Martin Hurson  
Rosa McVeigh

### Weekend Mass Times

Saturday 6.00pm Donaghmore - Vigil  
Sunday 10.00am Galbally  
Sunday 11.00am Donaghmore

### Weekday Mass Times

Donaghmore  
Monday - Friday 9.30am  
Saturday 10.00am

Galbally  
Tuesday - Friday 10.00am

*There is no Friday Evening Mass except for Month's Mind and 1<sup>st</sup> Anniversary Masses.*

### Requiescant in Pace

★ **Saint Oliver Plunkett**  
Archbishop of Armagh  
Died 1 July 1681

★ **Blessed Patrick O'Loughran**  
Native of Donaghmore Parish  
Died 1 Feb 1612

**Sunday Collection**  
**Sunday 23 June 2024**

**Thank you for your contribution.**

### Gift Aid

Use your envelopes and add 25p to every £1 you give.

### Contributing to the Parish by Cheque

- Dues made payable to Donaghmore Parish Clergy Revenue Account
- Any other cheque should be made payable to Donaghmore Parish

### Useful Numbers

It is not possible for the priests of our or any parish to be available at all times. In the absence of a priest in Donaghmore and Galbally in the event of an Emergency any of the following Parochial Houses could be contacted:

Carrickmore	(028) 80761207	Coalisland	(028) 87740221	Cookstown	(028) 86763370
Dungannon	(028) 87722631	Pomeroy	(028) 87757867	Tullyallen	(028) 87761211

### Special Mass for the Feast of St Mary Magdalene

As part of our St Brigid 1500 celebrations, we warmly invite all to a special Mass at 7.00pm on 22 July 2024 in St Patrick's Cathedral, Armagh. This Mass honours the invaluable contributions of women to the Church in the Archdiocese of Armagh. Tea, coffee and refreshments will welcome served in the synod hall afterwards.

### Catholic Communications Office – Newsletter

The Catholic Communications Office produces a five-story weekly magazine *Sharing Good News* that reports on stories associated with the Bishops' Conference, activities in parishes and dioceses, and that celebrates Church life generally. If you wish to subscribe to receive *Sharing Good News*, please register your email address on <https://catholicnews.ie/newsletter/>

### St Joseph's Grammar School - Donaghmore Sunday – Save the date!

Donaghmore Sunday 2024 is returning on 29 September 2024 from 12.00noon until 4.00pm, promising a day full of attractions, including stalls, music, food and fun activities for the whole family.

### Do you want to learn more about your faith? Do you want more confidence to play a role in your parish?

If you are interested, why not consider joining our Theology programme. The programme is accredited by St Patrick's Pontifical University, Maynooth. There are no educational entry requirements, and completion of the course is based on submitted work and does not include sitting exams. Our Theology programme will be continuing this year and starting late September. If you are interested and would like more information contact Milanda on 0(0353 42)9342954 or [milanda@parishandfamily.ie](mailto:milanda@parishandfamily.ie) (9am – 2pm). All are welcome.

#### As I sit in Heaven

As I sit in heaven  
and watch you everyday,  
I try to let you know with signs  
I never went away.

I hear you when you're laughing,  
and watch you as you sleep.  
I even place my arms around you  
to calm you as you weep.

I see you wish the days away,  
begging to have me home.  
So I try to send you signs  
so you know you are not alone.

Don't feel guilty that you have life.  
Life that was denied to me.  
Heaven is truly beautiful,  
just you wait and see.

So live your life, laugh again,  
enjoy yourself, be free.  
Then I know with every breath you take  
you'll be taking one for me.

#### Prayers and Blessings in the Morning

Lord,  
I start so many mornings tired in spite of adequate sleep  
and then I find myself worried for the day ahead.  
Remind me that you are with me today.  
Be my calm in the chaos, my quiet amid the noise, I pray.  
When things get harried and I know they will  
whisper in my heart,  
remind me of your loving presence  
and help me live this day with you.  
Amen. (by Karla Manternach).

#### Prayers and Blessings in the Evening

Heavenly Father,  
I seek you first at the beginning of the day  
and again now as the day draws to a close.  
I am grateful for all the signs of your loving presence that  
you showed me this day.  
Help me reflect on when I glorified you  
and when I neglected to honour you.  
I repent for my shortcomings  
and ask that you grant me pardon and peace this night.  
In your Holy Name, I pray.  
Amen. (by Kristin Armstrong).

Source: *Living Faith, Daily Catholic Devotions.*



# Verbum Dei



Sunday Cycle B

Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

7 July 2024

**First Reading** Ez 2:2-5

**A reading from the prophet Ezekiel**

The spirit came into me and made me stand up, and I heard the Lord speaking to me. He said, 'Son of man, I am sending you to the Israelites, to the rebels who have turned against me. Till now they and their ancestors have been in revolt against me. The sons are defiant and obstinate; I am sending you to them, to say, "The Lord says this." Whether they listen or not, this set of rebels shall know there is a prophet among them.'

The word of the Lord.  
**Thanks be to God.**

**Responsorial Psalm** Ps 122, R/ v 2

**Response:**

*Our eyes are on the Lord  
till he show us his mercy.*

1. To you have I lifted up my eyes,  
you who dwell in the heavens:  
my eyes, like the eyes of slaves  
on the hand of their lords. (R)
2. Like the eyes of a servant  
on the hand of his mistress,  
so our eyes are on the Lord  
our God till he show us his mercy. (R)
3. Have mercy on us, Lord, have mercy.  
We are filled with contempt.  
Indeed all too full is our soul  
with the scorn of the rich,  
with the proud man's disdain. (R)

**Second Reading** 2 Cor 12:7-10

**A reading from the second letter of St Paul to the Corinthians**

In view of the extraordinary nature of these revelations, to stop me from getting too proud I was given a thorn in the flesh, an angel of Satan to beat me and stop me from getting too proud! About this thing, I have pleaded with the Lord three times for it to leave me, but he has said, 'My grace is enough for you: my power is at its best in weakness.' So I shall be very happy to make my weaknesses my special boast so

that the power of Christ may stay over me, and that is why I am quite content with my weaknesses, and with insults, hardships, persecutions, and the agonies I go through for Christ's sake. For it is when I am weak that I am strong.

The word of the Lord.  
**Thanks be to God.**

(Stand)

**Gospel Acclamation**

*Alleluia, alleluia!*

*The Word was made flesh and lived among us;  
to all who did accept him  
he gave power to become children of God.  
Alleluia!*

**Gospel** Mk 6:1-6

The Lord be with you.  
**And with your Spirit.**

**A reading from the holy Gospel according to Mark**  
Glory to you, O Lord.

Jesus went to his home town and his disciples accompanied him. With the coming of the sabbath he began teaching in the synagogue and most of them were astonished when they heard him. They said, 'Where did the man get all this? What is this wisdom that has been granted him, and these miracles that are worked through him? This is the carpenter, surely, the son of Mary, the brother of James and Joset and Jude and Simon? His sisters, too, are they not here with us?' And they would not accept him. And Jesus said to them, 'A prophet is only despised- in his own country among his own relations and in his own house'; and he could work no miracle there, though he cured a few sick people by laying his hands on them. He was amazed at their lack of faith.

The Gospel of the Lord.  
**Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.**