

PARISH OF YOUGHAL

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Thanks to all who contributed to our parish income last weekend:

Parish Collection €2,350.00

Maintenance Fund €1,911.00

Parish Office, 3 The Presbytery, Emmet Place

Open: Mon to Friday 9 am - 1 pm

Thursday, 2 pm - 6 pm

Parish secretary: Ann J. Walsh - 024 91717

Please pray for those who have died. May they rest in peace: *For May Buckley who died recently.*

For Alice O'Connell & Patrick Butler whose First anniversary occurs at this time.

St. Vincent de Paul Youghal: Anyone who needs a little help phone: 087 127 3448

Eucharistic Adoration: If you are willing to spend an hour in prayer before the Blessed Sacrament every week, contact: Una 087 996 1004.

Adoration Chapel, Emmet Place, Youghal.

A Joyful Family Rosary

As part of the Grow in the Love of the Lord programme, a Family Rosary with guided reflections will take place at 3.30 pm on Sunday, 9th February, at the Holy Family Church. All welcome. A special invitation goes out to families with children who are preparing to receive First Holy Communion this year.

This Sunday at the Holy Family Church Hall You are welcome to call for tea and a chat after 11 am Mass. This is an initiative of the Parish Pastoral Council.

Saturday 1st February is the Feast of St. Bridget, secondary patron of Ireland. The 10 am Mass in the Parish Church will be offered for all those who have been associated with the fishing and seafaring industries and activities over the years.



Next Sunday 2nd February, is the Feast of the Presentation of the Lord (Candlemas Day) candles will be blessed at all Masses for use in the Church and in the home for the coming year.



The 12 noon Mass in the Parish Church 2nd February will be offered as a Month's Mind Mass for the late Fr. Jim Hannon, RIP, a former curate of the parish.

Monday 3rd February is the Feast of St. Blaise. The traditional blessing of throats will take place after the 8 am and 10 am Masses.

Tuesday 11th February, Feast of Our Lady of Lourdes, is also World Day of the Sick. Mass with the anointing of the sick will be celebrated in the Holy Family Church at 4 pm on that day. Families and neighbours are asked to assist those who would like to attend the Mass and avail of the Sacrament of the Sick. We encourage as many as possible to celebrate this Mass with the sick as a genuine sign of support for the sick in our parish. Refreshments afterwards in the Holy Family Hall.

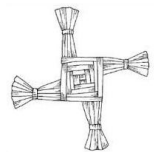
Ministers of the Word: Pope Francis has designated a special Sunday as Sunday of the Word of God. This will be celebrated this year on Sunday 26th January. To mark this event, on the following Sunday 2nd February 2020 a workshop for all Ministers of the Word in the Parish of Youghal will take place at the Holy Family Church Hall at 3 pm and will conclude at 5 pm. The workshop will be facilitated by Mary Clavin from the Archdiocese of Dublin. Mary has given many such workshops in Dublin and in many other places. If you are aware of any friend or family member who may be interested in becoming a Minister of the Word, please feel free to bring them along.

Prayer to St. Brigid

Dear St. Brigid, brilliant star of sanctity in the early days of our Irish faith and love for the omnipotent God Who has never forsaken us, we look up to you now in earnest, hopeful prayer.

By your glorious sacrifice of earthly riches, joys and affections obtain for us grace to "seek first the Kingdom of God and His justice"

with constant trust in His fatherly care. By your life of laborious charity to the poor, the sick, the many seekers for light and comfort, obtain for us grace to be God's helpers to the utmost of our power during our stay on earth, looking forward, as you did, to our life with Him during eternity. By the sanctified peace of your death-bed, obtain for us that we may receive the fulness of pardon and peace when the hour comes that will summon us to the judgment seat of our just and most merciful Lord. Amen.



Confessions:

Saturday: After 10am Mass - After the Vigil Masses

Thursday before the First Friday after 10am Mass in Our Lady of Lourdes