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NEWSLETTER

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PARISH OF MAYNOOTH

WELCOME TO THE NEWSLETTER

Dear Friends,

Congratulations to all the *buachaillí agus cailíní* from *Gaelscoil Uí Fhiaich* who made their Confirmation here this weekend. And many thanks to Bishop Donal Roche for coming to us again and for being so generous with his time. May the Lord bless the newly Confirmed, their families and their teachers. And on Wednesday we started our Novena of Grace. Petitions may still be left in the petition box at the altar in St Mary's. May St. Francis Xavier pray for us that the Lord will give us all the graces and blessings we need for our lives. "If you only knew the gift of God", Jesus says to the Samaritan woman in our Gospel, "you would be the one to ask, and he would give you life-giving water". We ask him this Lent to give us all that living water to refresh to renew us, to change our hearts into hearts of flesh, and to give us strength for our journey towards the promised land of Easter.

God bless.
Fr Tom

MASS TIMES

SUNDAYS

St Mary's:

Family Mass: Sat 5.30 pm

Vigil Mass: Sat 7.00 pm

Sunday: 8.45 am, 11.30 am, & 1.00 pm

Ladychapel:

Sunday: 10.00 a.m.

CONFESSION

St Mary's

Saturdays after the 10.00 a.m. Mass

DAILY MASSES

St Mary's

Mon. – Sat. – 10.00 a.m.

First Friday – 10.00 a.m.

WORKING HOLY DAYS

St Mary's

Vigil Mass: Sat 7.00 pm

Morning Mass: 10.00 am

Ladychapel:

Vigil Mass: 8.00 pm

PARISH PILGRIMAGE TO ROME 2026

- The Parish Pilgrimage to Rome will take place on Tuesday 22 nd September for four nights at 4* Hotel Twenty One. Spiritual Director: Fr Tom Dalzell. **Cost of the trip has now been reduced to €1,295 pps** which includes 10kg bag (optional 20kg bag at extra cost), Direct return flights from Dublin to Rome, Breakfast included, Fully guided with tours and visits. Optional travel insurance €55 up to 79 yoa; €75 from 80-94 yoa, Transfers & tours by private coach. Please see poster in porches. **If you are interested in travelling please contact Martina in the Parish Office.**

NOVENA OF GRACE 4TH – 12TH MARCH

- The Novena of Grace takes place from the 4th - 12th March. Copies of the Novena of Grace Prayer and Petition Sheets will be available in the porch during the week. Petitions can be placed in the Petition Box on the Altar.

CONFIRMATIONS

- Congratulations to the Boys & Girls from *Gael Scoil Uí Fhiaich* who received their Confirmation on Friday 6th March.

MAYNOOTH PARISH BIBLE STUDY GROUP - SCRIPTURE IN LENT

- If you would like to take some quiet time to enrich your prayer life through Scripture this Lent, why not join us on Friday mornings? Our Bible Study group will focus on Lenten themes
Dates: 13th, 20th & 27th March.
Time: Friday mornings, 11.00 – 12.15 (Tea/coffee from 10.30am)
Venue: Maynooth Parish Pastoral Centre

MASSES ON ST PATRICK'S DAY

- Tuesday 17th March is St Patrick's Day. Vigil Mass in St Mary's on **Monday 16th at 7.00 p.m.** Mass in St Mary's on St Patrick's Day will be at **8.45 a.m. and 10.00 a.m.** There will also be Mass in **Ladychapel at 10.00 a.m.**

MAYNOOTH BETHANY BEREAVEMENT SUPPORT GROUP

- Have you suffered a loss? We would like to invite you to our Bethany Group Support Meeting.
When: Monday 30th March, 2026
Where: Parish Pastoral Centre, Maynooth (in the grounds of St Mary's Church)
Time: 7.30 p.m.
You are very welcome to join us for a cup of tea and refreshments afterwards.
For more information, please contact Bethany Maynooth 086-2700740.
Our Bethany Team: Jean Kennedy, Anne Gallagher & Antoinette O'Brien

A LITTLE KINDNESS FOR ST PATRICK'S DAY

- The Maynooth Parish Young Adult Group invites you to join our St Patrick's Day outreach by donating **non-perishable food items** for individuals and families in need. Please see poster in porches for collection dates and drop-off locations.

PARISH COLLECTIONS WEEKEND OF 28TH FEBRUARY/ 1ST MARCH

- First Collection:** € 1,247 (support of Diocesan Priests)
- SHARE:** € 940
- Family Envelope & Standing Orders:** € 2,510

Notices for inclusion in the Sunday Missalette must be sent to the Parish Office no later than 12.00 on Wednesdays