



October 11, 2026

NEWSLETTER

ST. MARY'S PARISH, MAYNOOTH & LADYCHAPEL

MASS TIMES

SUNDAYS

St Mary's:

Family Mass: Sat 5.00 pm

Vigil Mass: Sat 7.00 pm

Sunday: 8.45 am, 11.30 am, & 1.00 pm

Ladychapel:

Sunday: 10.00 a.m.

DAILY MASSES

St Mary's

Mon – Sat – 10.00 am

First Friday – 10.00 am

WORKING HOLY DAYS

St Mary's

Vigil Mass: Sat 7.00 pm

Morning Mass: 10.00 am

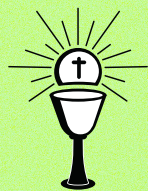
Ladychapel:

Vigil Mass: 8.00 pm

CONFESSION

St Mary's

Saturdays after the 10.00 am Mass



Dear Friends,

Thank you to all who came to our Blessing of Pets last weekend. It was a great turnout and many thanks to Emma for organising the event for the end of the Season of Creation. Thanks too to all who attended our meetings during the week for parents of children preparing for First Holy Communion and Confirmation in 2027. Please remember to send in your Registration form and to sign up for the Confirmation Connects sessions with Emma. Information on Seeds of Faith classes for children not attending schools under the patronage of the Archbishop is available on the parish website. Our Finance Committee discussed many things last week and it has been decided to do go ahead and do some remedial work on the church grounds at St Mary's. As you know, the work by KCC on our boundary wall to widen the footpath and cycle lane has been delayed because the Council's planning permission ran out of time. We need to locate the underground utilities before drilling for drainage. It has also been decided to install a new sound system in St Mary's and we should have that in place before Christmas. Thank you once again for all your financial support which make these things possible. And please don't forget our special Mass this Monday morning at 10am in honour of the new saint, St Carlo Acutis.

God bless.

Fr Tom

PARISH COLLECTIONS WEEKEND OF 3RD / 4TH SEPTEMBER, 2026

First Collection: € 1,167 (support of Diocesan Priests)

SHARE: € 887

Family Envelope & Standing Orders: € 2,451

MAYNOOTH BETHANY BEREAVEMENT SUPPORT GROUP

Have you suffered a loss? We would like to invite you to our Bethany Group Support Meeting. There will be no meeting in October. The next meeting will take place on the **30th November** in the Parish Pastoral Centre at **7.30 pm**.

- For more information, please contact Bethany Maynooth 086-2700740.
- Our Bethany Team:** Jean Kennedy, Anne Gallagher & Antoinette O'Brien



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NOTICES

FEAST OF *Carlo Acutis*

All are invited to Mass at **10 am** on Monday **12th October** to celebrate the Feast of St Carlo Acutis.



MAYNOOTH PARISH YOUNG ADULT GROUP

There will be a talk on the theme of '**New Beginnings**', will take place at St Mary's Parish Pastoral Centre at **7 pm** on Wednesday, **14th October** and will be led by **Fr Cyril Odia**. All are welcome!

VOCATION SOCIETY OF ST JOSEPH

The Vocations Society of St Joseph (formerly St Joseph's Young Priests Society) will meet in the Parish Pastoral Centre after the 10.00 am Mass on Thursday **15th October**.

MISSION SUNDAY 18TH OCTOBER

October and World Mission Sunday is a time for the faithful of the world to show their appreciation towards the work of overseas missionaries. Please call Missio Ireland on (01) 497 2035 or go to www.missio.ie for further information. The Annual Collection will take place next weekend **17th/18th October**. It will replace the Share Collection.

CANCELLATION OF MASS

There will be no **5.00 pm** Mass on Saturday **31st October**.



**Ladychapel Choir are
looking for more
SINGERS!**

We would welcome new members, both male and female. If you are interested in joining the choir, please contact Rachel (086 8236433) or come along to the practise which is held **every Wednesday** night in Ladychapel Church at **8:30 pm**. All are welcome.

FIRST COMMUNIONS

Parents of children attending schools which do not offer Religious Education are invited to register their children for classes in preparation for First Holy Communion & Confirmation 2027. Please see the parish website and church porches for further information.

RCIA - INVITATION TO ADULTS SEEKING BAPTISM IN THE CATHOLIC CHURCH

Our Parish RCIA team welcomes, supports and accompanies adults seeking to become members of the Catholic Church. The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA) is the process by which people enter into the fullness of the Catholic faith through the Sacraments of Baptism, Confirmation, and Eucharist. The RCIA team will meet and guide candidates through the different stages of the process. If you know someone who is interested in exploring the possibility of becoming a Catholic, then please invite them to contact Martina in the Parish office. They will then be put in touch with a member of the RCIA team.