

CONGRATULATIONS

To all the Boys & Girls who received the **Sacrament of Confirmation** on Thursday 28th May 2026.



We pray God's blessing on them and their families & friends.

WHAT'S ON

Thursday 4th June

After Mass the Holy Rosary in the Oratory is specifically for vocations to the priesthood.

First Friday—5th June

All those on the Altar List of the Dead will be remembered at the 10.00am Mass.

Eucharistic Prayer Group

meets in the Oratory from 2.30pm-3.30pm. All welcome.

Eucharistic Adoration

Monday to Friday 10.30am to 5.00pm in the Oratory.



Devotional Candles
In Thanksgiving to Our Lady are available in the Church and the Parish Office during the month of May.
Offering €1.

During the month of June Devotional candles for **Healing and Renewal** will be available in the Church at all Masses and from the Parish Office.

Offering €1



Church Collections

w/e 23rd/24th May 2026

1st Priests: €695

2nd Collection: €420

Envelopes: €625

SACRED HEART NOVENA, St Bernadette's Church, Clogher Road, from 4th June to 12th June. Please see posters at the back of the church.

Marino Institute of Education

Are you looking for food for the mind and oxygen for the soul in the company of fellow seekers? Join the Adult Education Certificate in Spirituality and Human Development Programme. It is open for applications now.

For more information, please see the following website www.mie.ie/spirituality. If you are interested, please contact Mary at mary.gao@mie.ie or 087 450 8549.



At this time we remember all those who are preparing to sit exams and we invite you to include the names of your loved ones who are sitting exams in the folder at Our Lady's Altar.

Hospitality Weekend

Come and join us at Our Lady of Good Counsel Mourne Road Parish Church

13th June at 6.30 Mass

14th June 9am and 12 Midday Masses.

Following the 12midday Mass on the 14th

Music, Dance and Refreshment and historical Tour of the Church

Thought Psalm 23 famously says "Though I walk in the valley of the shadow of death no evil would I fear, for You are with me." We often take that to mean approaching our own death. It also means walking in grief, after, not only loss, but a major shake-up of things financial, familial and practical. He, who sent His own Son to die, promises to comfort us. Jesus did not die for the environment, the economy or politics but for you. He's with you in the valley and He knows the way through.

PARISH LOTTO

Development Fund

There was no winner of last week's Jackpot of €4000. The winning numbers were 8, 9, 23, 25
Congratulations to last week's winners of the three €20 Prizes.

The last Parish Lotto Draw took place on Tuesday 26th May 2026

We would like to thank everyone who has supported the Parish Lotto over the years, which has contributed to the development of the Parish for many years.

We would also like to thank those who volunteered to run and manage the Lotto on a weekly basis.

Unfortunately the cost involved in operating the Lotto is not sustainable. There is also a downward trend in those participating in the Lotto. Therefore it is with regret that we are unable to continue.

THE MOST HOLY TRINITY

Entrance Hymn

Sing praise to our Creator,
O sons of Adam's race —
God's children by adoption,
Baptized into his grace.

***Praise the holy Trinity,
Undivided Unity;
Holy God, mighty God,
God immortal, be adored.***

To Jesus Christ give glory,
God's co-eternal Son;
As members of his Body
We live in him as one. **(Refrain)**

Now praise the Holy Spirit
Poured forth upon the earth;
Who sanctifies and guides us,
Confirmed in our rebirth. **(Refrain)**

First Reading *Exodus 34:4-6,8-9*

With the two tablets of stone in his hands,
Moses went up the mountain of Sinai in the
early morning as the Lord had commanded
him. And the Lord descended in the form
of a cloud, and Moses stood with him there.

He called on the name of the Lord. The
Lord passed before him and proclaimed,
'Lord, Lord, a God of tenderness and
compassion, slow to anger, rich in kindness
and faithfulness.' And Moses bowed down
to the ground at once and worshipped. 'If I
have indeed won your favour, Lord,' he
said, 'let my Lord come with us, I beg.
True, they are a headstrong people, but
forgive us our faults and our sins, and
adopt us as your heritage.'

The word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Responsorial Psalm *Daniel 3:52-56*

To you glory and praise for evermore.

You are blest, Lord God of our fathers.

To you glory and praise for evermore.

Blest your glorious holy name.

To you glory and praise for evermore.

You are blest in the temple of your glory.

To you glory and praise for evermore.

You are blest on the throne of your
kingdom.

To you glory and praise for evermore.

You are blest who gaze into the depths.

To you glory and praise for evermore.

You are blest in the firmament of heaven.

To you glory and praise for evermore.

Second Reading: *2 Corinthians 13:11-13*

Brothers, we wish you happiness; try to grow perfect;
help one another. Be united; live in peace,
and the God of love and peace will be with you.

Greet one another with the holy kiss. All the saints send you
greetings.

The grace of the Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God and the
fellowship of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

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

Gospel *cf. Rv 1:8*

Alleluia, alleluia!

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son,

and to the Holy Spirit;

the God who is, who was, and who is to come.

Alleluia!

Gospel *John 3:16-18*

Jesus said to Nicodemus:

'God loved the world so much that he gave his only Son,
so that everyone who believes in him may not be lost
but may have eternal life.

For God sent his Son into the world

not to condemn the world,

but so that through him the world might be saved.

No one who believes in him will be condemned;

but whoever refuses to believe is condemned already,

because he has refused to believe in the name of God's only
Son.'

The Gospel of the Lord.

Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

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