

Middleton Parish Newsletter (Covid Times)

27th September 2020 Twenty Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Clergy in the Parish:

Priests: Rt. Rev. Msgr. Jim Killeen, P.P., V.G. 021-4631750
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Deacon: Rev. Edward Mulhare

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Mass Times:	Weekdays:	Monday to Friday	8am Holy Rosary
		Monday to Saturday	10am Holy Rosary
		Wednesday and Friday	7.30pm Holy Rosary
	Sundays	Saturday Vigil	6.10pm
		Sunday Morning	8am, 10am and Noon
	Holy Days	No Vigil; 10am, Noon and 7.30pm on the Holy Day	

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament on Wednesday and Friday from 10.30am to 7pm.

Confessions: During the month of October the Saturday Confessions are as follows:
October 3rd, 10.30 -11am; October 10th, there are no Confessions; October 17th, 10.30-11am;
October 24th 10.30 – 11am; October 31st, Noon-1pm.

Baptisms: To book a baptism a form may be collected from the parish office or printed off the parish website. When filled in, it should be returned with a copy of the child's birth certificate, to the parish office. There is a backlog at the moment so please do not fill in the date.

First Holy Communion Dates 2020

Saturday October 3rd, Scoil Bhríde. Two ceremonies:
Mrs Sinéad Barry @ 12 noon and Miss Elma Casey @ 2pm

Saturday October 10th, Gaelscoil Mainistir na Corann. Three ceremonies:
Múinteoir Cáit @11am; Múinteoir Ultan @ 1pm and Múinteoir Meaghan @ 3pm

Saturday October 17th, Middleton CBS. Two ceremonies:
Múinteoir Máiréad @ 12 noon and Múinteoir Eoin @ 2pm

Saturday October 24th, Middleton Educate Together, St. John the Baptist.
Two ceremonies: Elma's class @ 12 noon; Derval's class @ 2pm

Congratulations to the children of Ballintotis National School who received Holy Communion for the First time this Saturday, 26th.

Autumn Town Stations

Monday, October 5th: Bailick: Road, Avenue, Court; Cherrywood Ridge, Heights; The Granary, Wood Quay, Charleston Wharf. Riverside: Park, Estate; Rosary Place; Fr. Murphy Place and Church View. The Rock: Youghal Road, Rockgrove; Beechwood: Court, Drive; Oakwood Lodge, Park South, The Oaks; St. Mary's: Road, Terrace, Convent View, Castleredmond Court, Ashwood, Crescent and Ashbrook; Roxboro Close, Mews.

Tuesday, October 6th: Main Street East: Distillery Walk, Corabbey Court, Connolly Street, Dickenson's Place, School Land, Drury's Avenue. Drury's Lane, McDermott Street, College View, O'Brien's Tce., Dungourney Road, Clonmult Tce., The park, Lauriston Mews, Oliver Plunkett Place, Owenacurra Centre, Midleton Hospital, Suncourt Estate, Bromley Court. Main Street West: Broderick Street, Coolbawn: Mews, Court, Church Lane, Riverside Way, Thomas Street, The Crescent, New Cork Road, Old Cork Road, Woodlands, Dwyer Road and Chestnut Drive.

Wednesday, October 7th Castleredmond – Main Road, Lakeview Road, The Cotswolds, Ballinacurra Road, The Dark Road, Árd na Gréine; Oak Park, Orchard Avenue, The Courtyard, The Paddock, Castleredmond Estate; Towns Park, Rocky Road, Midleton Downs, Manor Lane Court, Hawthorn Drive.

Thursday, October 8th Mill Road: Lower, Middle, Upper, north of the Railway Line, The Courtyard (Mill House), Mill Race, Millenium Court, The Crescent, Millbrook: Avenue, Close, Drive, Court and Lawn; Elsinore: Heights and Rise. Park Street: Park Street, Lourdesville, Mannix Place, Roche's Terrace, Michael Collins' Square, Tom Clarke's Terrace, Tim Daly's Terrace, Show: Field and Park; McSweeney's Terrace, and Elm Grove. Avoncore: Estate, Cottages, Place and Park; Forest Hill, Brookdale, Árd na Corann, Broomfield: Ridge, Court and West. Broomfield Village. Knockgriffin and Whitegate: Cork Road North, Dermot Hurley Terrace, Joseph Ahern Terrace, Kennel Road, Willowbank: Court and Crescent.

Friday, October 9th Ballinacurra: Fr. Murphy Terrace, Main Street, Mill View, Cora Chuain, The Crescent, Hillside Court, Beechwood Close, Maple Woods, Hyde Park, Rosehill: West and East, Roselawn, Church Road, Dawn View, Quay Road, The Kiln, South Quay, The Maltings, Upper Road, Lower Road, Geragh Road, Kearney's Cross, Cloyne Road.

All Station Masses are in Holy Rosary @ 7.30pm. The Autumn stations are one of four collections during the year which, along with the November offerings, form the major part of the personal income of the priests of the parish. The ordinary Sunday collection goes fully to the expenses of the parish and the priests do not get anything from it. Envelopes for the station offerings are available at the back of the church and may be returned in any of the following ways:

- Baskets will be placed on the altar rails before all weekday Masses
- A special collection box will be at the back of the church at weekend Masses
- Hand it in to the sacristy before or after any Mass
- Drop it in to the parish office or any priest's house.
- Post to the parish office, but do not send cash in the post. Any cheques should be made payable to Midleton Parish No 2 a/c. If using a station envelope please put it inside a plain one.
- By online transfer to the following account: Midleton Parochial No 2 Account
IBAN: IE83 AIBK 9341 2714 7992 64
BIC: AIBKIE2D

Please do not put envelopes in the collection boxes during the day as they are unattended. If you cannot get a station envelope you can put your donation in an ordinary envelope but please write your name, address, and the words 'Autumn station' on the outside. We thank you for your continuing generosity. In the present climate the Rural Stations will not be held in people's homes. The Station Areas will be grouped and Masses for those groups will be celebrated in Holy Rosary, dates to be decided.

Mass Attendance: At the moment the Vigil and Sunday morning Masses are all going over the 50 mark, with the Noon Masses for the last three Sundays going over 100. In the light of these figures we propose to introduce a new method for seating arrangements which will be outlined within the next few weeks.