

# St. Joseph's Redemptorist Church

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Polish Language Mass celebrated every 3rd Sunday of the month at 5pm. Celebrant: Fr Peter

Dundalk Radio FM 100 broadcasts 9.00am Mass every Sunday morning from St Joseph's.

**5th Sunday in Ordinary Time  
7th February 2010**

### Mass Times

Saturday: 9.30am  
Vigil: 6.30pm  
Sunday: 9.30am, 11.00am,  
and 12.30pm

### Holydays:

Vigil: 7.30pm  
Morning: 9.30am, 11.00am,  
and 12.30pm  
Evening: 7.30pm

### Weekdays:

Mon – Fri: 8.30am, 9.30am,  
7.30pm

### Bank Holidays:

Masses: 9.30am & 7.30pm

### Devotions

Sunday: 7.00pm

### Novena to St. Gerard:

Wednesday: 9.30am & 7.30pm

### Novena to Our Lady of Perpetual Help:

Saturday: 9.30am

### Confessions

Saturday: 9.00am – 9.30am  
10.00am – 1.00pm  
3.00pm – 6.00pm  
Mon – Fri: 10.00am – 11.00am  
6.30pm – 7.15pm

### Baptisms

Sunday: 1.30pm  
Required Baptism preparation meetings take place on 1st & 3rd Tuesday of the month. Baptism card can be obtained in Reception in the Monastery to be filled in before Baptism Meeting.

### Marriages

You are reminded to give 3 months notice for marriages.

### Reception Hours

**Monday – Saturday:**  
10.00am – 6.00pm

**Sunday:**  
10.00am – 12.30pm

## Devotions this evening at 7pm

### Healing Services For Lent

Our special Healing Services will take place every Sunday evening during Lent at 7.00pm. Please spread the word among your friends and neighbours.

## GETTING MORE OUT OF SUNDAY MASS

Many people say they get little out of Sunday Mass. They cannot hear the readings, they say, or they don't understand them. This year most of the gospel passage read at Mass will be from St. Luke's gospel. For five Thursday evenings during Lent we will study this gospel from 8pm to 9pm in the Parish Room.

**The dates are: February 25th, March 4th, 11th, 18th & 25th.**

We will use Fr Brendan McConvery's book to facilitate our study. This book is entitled "The Year of God's Favour—Getting More out of Sunday Mass in the Year of Luke". A limited amount of copies are available at Reception for €6.00. You are invited to come to this. If you can't come every evening, come as often as you can. Don't be shy or fearful. Just bring yourself and an open heart and mind! If you wish to participate please give your name at Reception. Together we will let God's Word speak to our daily lives.

### Redemptorist Associates Group

Please join us on Wednesday, 10th February at 8pm in the Parish Room for an information meeting for the Redemptorist Associates Group; an association of Redemptorists, co-workers and friends who gather regularly to share Redemptorist Spirituality, to listen, to explore, to reflect, pray and talk together about various aspects of the Redemptorist story and faith and life issues. The commitment of those taking part is simply to attend the regular gatherings. We look forward to seeing you there! For more info please pick up a brochure in the back of the church or at reception in the monastery.

### St Joseph's Young Priests' Society

The Society's work was established in Ireland by Mrs Olivia Taaffe in 1895. The purpose of the Society is to promote vocations to the Priesthood and religious life, to promote the vocation of the laity, to foster an understanding and love of the Mass and to assist financially in the education of students for the Priesthood. The Society arranges prayer meetings, vigils, pilgrimages, seminars, retreats and encourages regular prayer for vocations. Students are supported spiritually and assisted financially by the Society from the members' contributions. You can help the work of the Society by supporting the Branch in your Parish. If you would like further information please contact Fr Dick Delahunty, CSsR here in St Joseph's 042 933 4042.

## Ash Wednesday is 17th February. This is a day of fast and abstinence.

### Temperance Sunday

The Pioneer Total Abstinence Association has organised two Masses on 14 February to mark Temperance Sunday; in the Church of St John the Baptist, Moy, at 3pm, and in St Patrick's Dundalk, also at 3pm. Priests and people throughout the diocese are welcome to attend and priests are invited to concelebrate.

Weekly Parish Envelope  
Collection Totalled  
**€694.00**  
Thank You

**Consecrated Wine**  
is available at St Joseph's  
Shrine to Coeliacs and anyone  
else who are unable to take the  
Communion Host.

**Samaritans**  
048 3926 6366  
08457 90 90 90

Triduum in honour of Our  
Lady of Lourdes in the Friary  
Church on 11th to 13th  
February. Masses daily at  
10am and 6.15pm.



Anointing of the  
sick on Saturday  
13th at 10am  
Mass.

*We offer our condolences and  
sympathy to the family and  
friends of the recently  
deceased:*

Michelle Durnin  
Elizabeth McEneaney

*May They Rest in Peace*

**Pastoral Centre, The Magnet, The Demesne Dundalk.**  
Enquiries: from South 042-9336393  
from North 0035342-9336393  
10am – 2pm

### MARRIAGE PREPARATION PROGRAMME

To help meet the needs of pre-marriage couples; to help couples achieve healthy relationships; to ease the transition to marriage.

Fee: €80.00 per couple. A deposit of €20.00 secures a place on the programme

4 Thursday evenings from 7.30pm-9.30pm  
Commencing Thursday 18<sup>th</sup> February 2010

### Eucharistic Ministers – Sun 14th Feb

#### 6.30pm Vigil

Host: Culleton; M McElevy; J Connolly,  
E Connolly Wine: S Fee

#### 9.30am

Host: G Devlin, M Murphy Wine: E Gibson

#### 11.00am

Host: K Fergus; D Casey, J Kennedy,  
P O'Hanrahan; Wine: M Agnew

#### 12.30pm

Host: J Hastings; U Hastings; A Tuite;  
B Conlon Wine: M Callan

### Readers of the Word – Sun 14th Feb

6.30pm: M or J Duffy

9.30am: M O'Keeffe

11.00am: N McCourt

12.30pm: C Neary

### Anniversaries

#### Saturday 6th February

9.30am

Our Lady's Novena

6.30pm

James Gaffney; Ian McCumiskey;  
Veronica Newell, Anne Hughes; John Hughes;  
John & Brigid Rafferty;  
John & Mary Hughes & Family; Una Conway;  
Joseph Rice, Quay St; Molly, Vin & Niamh O'Neill

#### Sunday 7th February

9.30am

The Deceased Collectors

11.00am

Those Engaged in Parish Ministry

12.30pm

Month's Mind of Daniel McFadden; Greenacres

#### Monday 8th February

8.30am

List of the Dead

9.30am

Gerry Muckian; Eda & Peter McCourt;  
Kathleen & Charles Palmer; John McGonigle

7.30pm

James, Mary, Brigid, Seamus & Patricia Whelan;  
Brian Tuite; Brigid Perry

#### Tuesday 9th February

8.30am

Pat & Susan Martin

9.30am

William O'Reilly

7.30pm

James McEnarney; Lucia Rubi

#### Wednesday 10th February

8.30am

9.30am

Bro Fergus McArdle

7.30pm

St Gerard's Novena

#### Thursday 11th February

8.30am

9.30am

Katie & Ellen Sheelan; Joe O'Meara

7.30pm

Collette Cunningham

#### Friday 12th February

8.30am

9.30am

Michael Durnin, Point Rd

7.30pm

#### Saturday 13th February

9.30am

Our Lady's Novena

6.30pm

Brendan McMahon, Point Rd;  
Terry Bromley, Muirhevnamor; Kevin Matthews;  
James 'Jaeger' & Angela Woods;  
John Lambe, Quay St; Thomas McEvoy