



Parish of St Joseph & St Benildus & St Mary

SUNDAY 19 JANUARY 2025 – SECOND SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME



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PARISH OFFICE OPENING HOURS

Monday to Friday - 9 am to 1 pm

PARISH SHOP OPENING HOURS

Monday to Friday 11 am – 2 pm

PARISH EMAIL/WEBSITE

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NEWSLETTER EMAIL ITEMS

Email: jbmnews@gmail.com by
Wednesday each week at 12 pm

BAPTISMS, WEDDINGS & CERTIFICATE REQUESTS

Email: parishofficejbm@gmail.com

FACEBOOK PAGE

www.facebook.com/josephandbenildus/

LIVE STREAMING OF MASSES

St. Joseph & Benildus Church

<https://www.mcn.live/Camera/st-joseph-and-st-benildus-waterford>

St. Mary's Church

<https://www.mcn.live/Camera/st-marys-church-waterford>

MASS & SERVICE TIMES

St Joseph & St Benildus Church

Mass: Sunday

5.45 pm Vigil (Saturday)
10.00 am – Children's Liturgy Mass
12.00 noon

Mass: Monday to Friday

10.30 am

Mass: Saturday

10.30 am & Novena Prayer

Holydays of Obligation

5.45 pm Vigil, 7.30 am & 10.30 am

Confessions

Saturday after 10.30 am Mass

St Mary's Church, Ballygunner

Mass: Sunday

7.15 pm Vigil (Saturday)

10.45 am

Holydays of Obligation

10.45 am

BOOKING MASS INTENTIONS: must be made through the Parish Office only, either in person or by phone.

SAFEGUARDING: The Safeguarding Representatives for our Parish are Michael Maher and Mary O'Sullivan. If you have a safeguarding concern, contact the Diocesan Designated Liaison Person, Fr John Harris at 087 966 1959 or Anne Walsh at 089 485 8845.

LOOP INDUCTION SYSTEM: Hearing aid users at St. Joseph & Benildus Church: digital aids work automatically, while others should switch to "T" for clear PA sound.

NIGHT PRAYER OF THE CHURCH: Monday to Friday at 8 pm. Zoom login: 943 588 4859

ADORATION: Wednesdays 11 am – 2 pm at St Joseph and St Benildus Church.

RECENTLY DECEASED

Raymond Liddane, Parochial House, Newtown, Waterford
Dora Costello (nee Redmond), Powerscourt, Waterford
Margaret Murray (nee Kavanagh), Riverview, Knockboy, Waterford
Dr Anne Gannon, Viewmount, Waterford

ANNIVERSARIES / REMEMBRANCE

Geraldine Walsh, Winifred Breen (1st Anniversary), Evelyne O'Riordan (1st Anniversary), Cissie & Brian Delaney

REMEMBERING IN OUR PRAYERS THIS WEEKEND 18/19 JANUARY 2025

St. Joseph & St. Benildus Church, Newtown

5.45 pm: Joe Phelan (10th Anniversary), his mother Susan Phelan (Anniversary) & his brother Bernard Phelan (Anniversary)
Mona O'Keefe (Anniversary)
Carmel Clarke (Anniversary) & her daughter Dearbhla (Birthday remembrance)

10.00 am: Sheila Breslin (Anniversary)

12 Noon: Sean Caraway (Anniversary)

Jerry Harrington (Anniversary)

St. Mary's Church, Ballygunner

7.15 pm: Margaret O'Toole (Month's Mind)
Phil & Nicholas Harrington (Anniversary)
Davy Doyle (Anniversary)
Margaret Hogan (Anniversary)
Michael & Alice Parle (Anniversary)
Maureen & Harry Sharpe (Anniversary)
John & Anne Morrissey (Anniversary)
Michael Carroll (Anniversary)

10.45 am: Lily Gaffney (Anniversary)
Tom Leahy (Anniversary)
Sean Leahy (Birthday remembrance)

REMEMBERING IN OUR PRAYERS NEXT WEEKEND 25/26 JANUARY 2025

St. Joseph & St. Benildus Church, Newtown

5.45 pm: John Kennedy (Anniversary)

10.00 am: Michael Fitzgerald (Anniversary)
Geraldine Walsh (Anniversary)

12 Noon: Michael Flavin (Anniversary)
Niall Byrne (Anniversary)
Ernie Walsh (Birthday remembrance)

St. Mary's Church, Ballygunner

7.15 pm: John & Statia Meade (Anniversary)

10.45 am: Claire Phelan (Anniversary)
Kathleen Condon Anniversary)

PARISH FAITH REP RECRUITMENT 2025

Do you feel called to help young people on their journey of faith? Join the team of Faith Reps across the diocese. We are looking for volunteers (aged 18+) to train and be commissioned for two years to support young people in their faith in their parish or area, while being supported themselves by the Ascend Diocesan Team for Youth & Young Adult Ministry. What qualifications are necessary? We are looking for people who uphold the teachings of the Catholic Church and have a heart for young people, and who are supported by their parish priest. Faith Reps can come from any walk of life or stage of life. If you have any questions, you can attend an information session: Monday 10th February at 7.30pm (St John's Pastoral Centre, Waterford X91 HW9D) or 17th February at 7.30pm (on zoom). Alternatively, you can learn more at www.waterfordlismore.ie/parish-faith-reps, email youthministry@waterfordlismore.ie or contact (085) 8623704. Application deadline: Friday 21st February.

CHURCH COLLECTION

11/12 January - € 2,611

HONOURING FR LIDDANE'S LEGACY

As a community, we continue to grieve the profound loss of our beloved Father Liddane. His unwavering faith, kindness, and dedication to our parish touched countless lives, and his absence is deeply felt in our hearts. As we process this loss together, we will find moments to reflect on the legacy of his faith and kindness. May we find comfort in our shared memories and strength in the faith that Father Liddane so beautifully exemplified.

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PARISH SHOP OPENING HOURS

The shop is open Monday to Friday from 11 am to 2 pm. Whether you are looking for Mass cards, religious gifts, or home decor, you will find a variety of beautiful products to choose from. Feel free to stop by and browse.

7.30 AM MASS UPDATE

The 7.30 am Mass in St Joseph & St Benildus' Church will resume on Monday 20th January.

WEEK OF PRAYER FOR CHRISTIAN UNITY

The annual Week of Prayer for Christian Unity will start on Saturday 18th January and continue until 25th January 2025. During this week, Christians are reminded of Jesus' prayer for his disciples that "they may be one so that the world may believe" (John 17.21). Hearts are touched and Christians come together to pray for their unity.

67TH DIOCESAN LOURDES PILGRIMAGE

From 4th to 9th June, led by Bishop Cullinan. For more info, go to <https://joewalshstours.ie/pilgrimages/group-diocesan-pilgrimages/waterford-and-lismore-diocesan-lourdes-pilgrimage/> or contact Joe Walsh tours by email a [t info@joewalshstours.ie](mailto:info@joewalshstours.ie) or phone (Cork: 021 242 7190 / Dublin: 01 241 0800).

RETREAT FOR BLIND YOUNG ADULT CATHOLICS

From June 19th (6pm) to June 22nd (3pm) at Holy Family Mission, Glencomeragh House E91 H584 Clonmel. Led by Fr Patrick Cahill and the team of Holy Family Mission, "You Were Made for Greatness" is a guided retreat on missionary discipleship for blind Catholics (aged 18-39). Cost € 250. For more info and to register, visit www.eventbrite.ie.