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### Parish Envelopes:

The new envelope boxes are being distributed.  
*If you are living in the Mornington Church area and you have no envelope box, please contact the Sacristy after Mass or the Parish Office.*

**The envelope boxes for distribution are in the Church today.  
Please help with the distribution if you can**

## *28th January 2024 - Fourth Sunday Ordinary Time*

### Mass Intentions This Weekend 27/28 January 2024

Saturday 6.00pm: Christopher Keller - Months Memory Mass.  
Joseph & Ann McGrane - Anniversary.  
Maida & Valley Ward, Maurice, Brendan, Gerard & Paul Foy - Anniversaries.

Sunday 10.00am:  
Sunday 11.30am: Miriam Callan - 5th Anniversary.  
Rose & Christopher Cosgrove, Freddy Floody & Dora Floody - Anniversaries.

Monday 8.45am: Special Intention.

Tuesday 10.00am:  
Wednesday 8.45am: *Mass followed by Adoration until 8pm.*

Thursday 10.00am:  
Friday 8.45am: List of the Dead.

### Mass Intentions Next Weekend 3/4 February 2024

Saturday 6.00pm: Joan Molloy - Months Memory Mass.  
Tommy Finglas - Anniversary.

Sunday 10.00am: Joe Maguire - 4th Anniversary & Birthday Remembrance.

Sunday 11.30am: Edward & Phyllis Tormey - Anniversary.  
Seamus Gibney - 25th Anniversary.  
Kevin & Kitty Craven & deceased members of the Craven & Matthews families - Anniversary.

**R.I.P.:** Please pray for **Michael Anderson, Stameen and Rose Flynn, Beamore** - who died during the week.



**Adoration** continues in the Church on Wednesdays from **9.15am to 8pm.**  
All are Welcome. Please note finish time 8pm.  
Why not come along and spend some time with the Lord.

Drogheda Community Services provide a one-to-one Bereavement Counselling Service at Dermot Kierans Centre, Scarlet Crescent, Drogheda. Counsellors are available during the day and evenings. This is a free service. To make an appointment please call 041 9836084 or email info@droghedacsc.net.

**On Sunday, January 28<sup>th</sup>,** the Priests and Religious of the Diocese will gather with Bishop Deenihan to celebrate the blessing of candles and sung Vespers in the Cathedral of Christ the King, Mullingar at 4pm. The homily will be preached by Fr John Harris OP, Provincial of the Irish Dominicans. This is a annual gathering to celebrate the contribution of religious sisters, brothers and priests to our diocese. The Feast of the Presentation being the Day for Religious.

This year, the celebration will also mark the **Fortieth anniversary of Bishop Smith's Ordination as Bishop of Meath.** That is a significant milestone which should be celebrated and we wish Bishop Michael many more years of health and happiness.

**All parishioners are welcome to attend this celebration in the Cathedral.**

### Feast Days this week

**Thursday 1st February** is the **Feast of St. Brigid**, the first day of spring. St. Brigid's crosses will be blessed during the **10:00am Mass**, and distributed at the end of Mass.



**Friday 2nd February** is the Solemnity of the **Presentation of the Lord**, or Candlemas Day. It is the day that all the candles used in the liturgical life of the Church for the coming year are blessed. You are invited to bring candles to the Church to be blessed (for use in your homes throughout the year) during the **8.45am Mass**.

**Saturday 3rd February - Blessing of throats** - Feast of St. Blaise. The blessing of throats will take place in Mornington Church after the **6pm Mass**.



### Dates for Your Diary

Tues, 30th January: Youth Choir 7.30pm-8.30pm in Parish Rooms  
Wed, 31st January: Children's Choir practice at 6.30pm-7.15pm in the Parish Rooms.  
**New members welcome for both Children's & Youth Choirs, Contact 089-4305764**

Tues, 30th January: St. Joseph's Young Priests Society at 8.30pm in the Parish Rooms.  
Wed 6th March: Donacarney Schools First Confession commencing at 11am in the School.  
Thursday 21st March: Donacarney Boys School Confirmation at 11am.  
Thursday 21st March: Donacarney Girls School Confirmation at 2pm.