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CARRAIG NA BHFEAR PARISH
Church of the Immaculate Conception

Sat/Sun 23rd/24th August 2025
TWENTY-FIRST SUNDAY IN
ORDINARY TIME

Mass Times and Intentions

Saturday, 23rd August, 5.30 pm

Sunday, 24th August, 11.30 am

Monday, 25th August, 9.00 am
Marie Fitzgerald

Tuesday, 26th August, No Mass

Wednesday, 27th August, No Mass

Thursday, 28th August, No Mass

Friday, 29th August, 9.00 am
John O'Donovan

Saturday, 30th August, 5.30 pm
Sean and Betty O'Mahony

Sunday, 31st August, 11.30 am
Patrick and Mary O'Mahony and their son John

Moderator

Very Rev. Fr. Christy Fitzgerald Co P.P.
Parochial House, Watergrasshill:
Telephone: 0214513671
Priest on Call: 0876015489

Parish Office – Aug Opening

Fri 2.30 pm to 4.30 pm
Phone: 0214884119
Email: carraigparish@gmail.com

Collection

Sat/Sun 16th/17th August €1273.00

Dunbolg Cemetery Mass

Thank you to Fr. Pat Fogarty and to Fr. John
Magner who concelebrated our Mass in Dunbolg
Cemetery on Friday 15th August.

Thank you to all who attended and who
contributed generously to the collection held
during the Mass. The proceeds of this collection
go to the cemetery committee who maintain
both the old and new cemetery areas in excellent
condition.

Weekday Mass Schedule

For the month of August weekday Mass in this
church will be celebrated at 9.00 am on
Mondays and Fridays only.

From 1st September weekday Mass in this
church will be celebrated at 9.00 am on
Wednesdays and on Fridays.

Weekday Mass will be celebrated in
Watergrasshill at 10.00 am on Mondays and in
Glenville at 10.00 am on Thursdays.

Saint Francis' Vocation Prayer:

Most High, Glorious God, enlighten the
darkness of our minds. Give us a right faith, a
firm hope and a perfect charity, so that we may
always and in all things act according to Your
Holy Will. Amen.

Season of Creation 2025

The Season of Creation is marked throughout
the Christian world from 1st Sept to 4th Oct
(Feast of Saint Francis of Assisi), and has a
special significance for the Catholic Church,
since the late Pope Francis established 1st Sept.
as an annual World Day of Prayer for the Care
of Creation.

This year's Season of Creation has as its theme
"Peace with Creation". During this season we
celebrate God as Creator and, in a world marked
by war and destructive behaviours, we are
challenged to work towards peace and to care
for the gift of all that is created.

Lough Derg Pilgrimages

Pilgrimage season continues through August and
September. For further information see
www.loughderg.org, email info@loughderg.org
or telephone 0719861518

Men's Jubilee Camino

Men's hike (over 18s only) on Sat 13th Sept.
20kms on greenway, from Dominican abbey
(ruin) in Carlingford to St. Catherine's Newry
via Newry Cathedral (Jubilee Indulgence).
Mass, Adoration, Rosary, Confessions &
Fraternity.

Registration & details on
www.dominicans.ie/events/. Cost €70 for
Lunch, dinner & bus. Enquiries to
op.evangelisation@gmail.com.

Poor Clares Vocation

Afternoon – Saturday 27th September 2025 from
2pm to 4pm.

End of Summer Course

Gregorian Chant for Beginners – Wed 27th Aug
to Fri 29th Aug – MTU, Cork School of Music,
Union Quay. Cork.

Novena to Our Lady of the Sacred Heart

Sacred Heart Church, Western Road,
Cork. Sunday August 31st to Monday 8th Sept
2025 daily 10am & 8pm. Fr. Brendan O'Rourke
C.S.S.R & Fr. Dan Baragry
C.S.S.R. Theme: Following in the footsteps of
Mary.

Around the Fireside

Around the Fireside will resume with the next
session to take place in Carraig na bhFear
Community Hall on Saturday 6th September at
8.00 pm.

There will be Music, Song, Recitation, and
Storytelling. Tea/Coffee will be served. Come
enjoy the atmosphere and the fun.

Useful Support Services and Helplines

IFA Mind Our Farm Families

1890130022 (Mon-Fri 9.00 am – 6.00 pm and
Sat 10.00 am – 2.00 pm)

A dedicated phone and counselling service
operated by Pieta House that supports people
who are feeling suicidal or who are concerned
about a family member or friend.

IFA's Debt Support service

1890924853 provides a confidential helpline to
assist farmers with financial difficulties.

Farm and Rural Stress Helpline

1800 742 645 (7 days, 24 hours)
Provides support to farmers that are going
through a difficult time or feeling down.

Samaritans - 116 123

If you are worried or finding it difficult to cope,
this helpline is free and open day and night

The Alzheimer Society of Ireland

Emotional support and information on supports
and services available on:
[Freephone 1800 341 341](http://www.alzheimersociety.ie) Monday to Friday from
10.00 until 5.00 pm, and Saturday 10.00 am until
4.00 pm. or email: helpline@alzheimersociety.ie

Pieta House 1800 247247

Free 24/7 professional helpline for people at risk
of suicide & self-harm, and those bereaved by
suicide Telephone 1800 247 247 or text HELP
to 51444. The service is free of charge

Childline – 1800 666666