

The Most Holy Body & Blood of Christ (*Corpus Christi*)

6th/7th June 2026

Services during the Week

Saggart: Mass: Sunday 9am, Mon, Wed & Fri 11am. **Adoration:** Sat/Sun 4 - 7pm

Rathcoole: Mass: Sat 6pm, Sun 12pm, Tue & Thur 10am.

Adoration: Sun 4 – 6pm, Tue 10.30 – 5pm; Fri 9 – 12 & 3 – 7pm

Newcastle: Mass: Sun 10am. Mon & Fri 10am; **Adoration:** Sat 3 – 5pm.

Confession: Available by request, generally after any Mass.

Baptisms/Marriages: Contact Parish Office for details (0860108420 Tue – Thur 10 – 12.30)

Corpus Christi Procession

This weekend we celebrate the feast of Corpus Christi (the Body and Blood of Christ). We invite you to join us for a Corpus Christi procession on Sunday in Saggart church at 9am. Children who have celebrated their First Holy Communion are especially welcome to join in the procession and benediction afterwards.

Rosminian Mission Appeal

Thanks to those who sent in donations last weekend. Some people have been leaving in used mobile phones and spectacles that will be forwarded to Fr Willy in a few weeks' time.

Cemetery Masses

Dates for the parish masses with blessing of the graves during June.

Newcastle church graveyard – Sunday 14th June at 10am.

Newcastle cemetery – Sunday 21st June at 2pm

Saggart cemetery after 9am Mass on Sunday 28th.

Bishop Donal Roche 'on The Way'

Bishop Donal Roche celebrated with us on Friday in Rathcoole the 50th anniversary of Scoil Chronáin. He joined TheWay.ie to look back on his first two years as Auxiliary Bishop in the Archdiocese of Dublin and to reflect on the challenges facing the Church in Dublin. [The video can be watched on YouTube.](#)

Archbishop Farrell's Pastoral Letter (see parish website version for links)

<https://www.dublindiocese.ie/pastoral-letter-may-2026/> is a link to Archbishop Farrell's Pastoral Letter for Pentecost, *Come, Holy Spirit, Fill Our Hearts with the Fire of Your Love*. It also contains details regarding a *Process for the Modification of Parishes for Mission*.

St Colmcille's Well – Prayer service & Pilgrim Walk

St Colmcille's Well (top of Ballycullen Road). Annual Prayer Service and Pilgrim Walk will take place on Sunday, June 7th, at 3pm. Reflection by Fr Timothy Lehané SVD. A Pilgrim Walk will leave from Knocklyon Shopping Centre Car Park at 2pm. Afterwards music & song from Craobh Nathaí and As Béal a Chéile.

Finding God in Nature & Culture

Finding God in Nature and Culture – Saturday 27th June 2026, Kildare Town. A day of talks, music, storytelling, prayer, and pilgrimage exploring the relationship between Christian faith, Irish culture, imagination, and the natural world. Featuring Paul Vander Klay, Fr Conor McDonough OP and Heather Pollington. Hosted at Solas Bhríde Centre with pilgrimage visits to St Brigid's Well and Kildare Cathedral. For tickets see <https://www.eventbrite.ie/e/finding-god-in-nature-and-culture-tickets-1988447493982?aff=oddtcreator>

Camp Veritas

Camp Veritas is a Residential Faith & Fun Camp, Supporting Young People 12 – 17 years explore and celebrate their Catholic Faith. Clongowes Wood College, Clane, Co. Kildare, June 23 to 28. Visit www.campveritasireland.org for more.

National Grandparents Pilgrimage to Knock Shrine

Sunday, 26th July beginning 2.30 with anointing of sick. Honouring Grandparents & the Elderly. Visit www.catholicgrandparentsassociation.org for more resources. All are welcome.

Guidelines to Parish Partnership Names (Something to ponder during the summer)

Each parish partnership is invited to consult with the people of all the parishes with a view of discerning a name for the partnership. Once a parish partnership name has been discerned in consultation with people of all of the parishes in the partnership, we are invited to notify the diocesan offices in order that the chosen name may be approved, and to confirm that is not already in use by another parish partnership in the Archdiocese. Once formally agreed and adopted by the partnership, the name may be registered with the diocese. For more <https://www.dublindiocese.ie/wp-content/uploads/2026/05/Guidelines-to-Parish-Partnership-Names.pdf>