



CATHEDRAL NEWS

Corpus Christi Procession — The annual procession to mark the feast of Corpus Christi takes place today: it begins with Mass at 3:00pm in the Franciscan Abbey, and from there proceeds to the Poor Clare Monastery, Nuns' Island. Those who wish to provide petals are welcome to drop them into the sacristy.

Fr Ian Cunningham OFM, who was ordained priest in Ennis last Sunday, will celebrate his first Mass in the Cathedral on Thursday next at 11:00am.

The Offertory Collection last Sunday came to €3,159.85: our sincere thanks to all who continue to support the Cathedral financially.

Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes — There is a second collection at all Masses today in aid of the upcoming pilgrimage.

Lourdes Petition Envelopes are available at the doors, and will be brought to Lourdes by the diocesan pilgrimage.

Celebrations This Week — Solemnity of the Most Sacred Heart of Jesus (12 June); feast of St Columba (Colum Cille), abbot & missionary, secondary patron of Ireland (9 June); memorials of St Barnabas, apostle (11 June), and the Immaculate Heart of the Blessed Virgin Mary (13 June); optional memorial of St Ephrem, deacon & doctor of the Church (10 June). St Colman, bishop (7 June), is not celebrated this year, except in the Diocese of Dromore where he is transferred to 8 June and celebrated as a feast; and St Anthony of Padua, priest and doctor of the Church (13 June) is not celebrated this year.



VOCATIONS

If you think you may have a vocation to the priesthood, or if you are interested in the religious life and would like to discuss it with someone, please contact Fr Ian O'Neill at priesthood@clonfertgalway.ie or 087-2048497.

OTHER NEWS

Galway Simon wishes to express its thanks to all who supported its recent church gate collection: a total of €533.65 was contributed at the Cathedral.

Young Adult Camino Pilgrimage over the final 100km from Sarria to Santiago, led by Bishop Michael Duignan. The pilgrimage is open to persons aged 18–35, takes place between 11 and 20 July 2026, and includes flights and accommodation. More information from youthpilgrimage@clonfertgalway.ie.

Youth Pilgrimage to Assisi — To mark the jubilee year of St Francis, the Franciscans will lead a pilgrimage for those aged 18–35 to Assisi from between 29 July and 7 August. For more information and to register email youfragalway@gmail.com.

MASS INTENTIONS THIS WEEK

Masses for the living are not listed here, though are celebrated as usual.

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| Sat | 6:00 | Martin & Mary Lydon; Patrick Lydon | Thur | 11:00 | Kitt & Steve Joyce |
| | | | | 6:00 | Bridie Forde |
| Sun | 10:30 | Laurence & Eileen Donohue | Fri | 6:00 | Golden Book of Remembrance |
| | 12:30 | Orla Casserly | Sat | 11:00 | Loretta & Grace Davey |
| | 6:00 | Tom & Kay Naughton | | 6:00 | Peter Hehir |
| Mon | 11:00 | Mattie Burke | Sun | 9:00 | Teresa O'Toole |
| Tue | 6:00 | Gerry Monahan | | 10:30 | Margaret Stewart & family |
| Wed | 11:00 | Bridie Roddy | | 6:00 | Margaret & John Smyth |
| | 6:00 | Franagan family | | | |

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Clergy

Mgr Peter Rabbitte
Fr John Gerard Acton
Fr Jijo Johney

Mass on Sunday

Sat. 6:00pm; Sun. 9:00am (Gaeilge),
10:30am (choir), 12:30pm, 6:00pm

Mass on Holy Days

Vigil Mass at 6:00pm; Mass on the day at
11:00am, 6:00pm

Mass on Weekdays

11:00am, 6:00pm

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Monday–Saturday, 5:30pm–5:50pm

Eucharistic Adoration

Monday–Friday, 11:30am–6:00pm
Sunday, 1:30pm–6:00pm

Marriage & Baptism

For details & requirements see www.galwaycathedral.ie/liturg

Cathedral Bookshop

091-531433
Monday–Saturday, 9:30am – 5:15pm;
Sunday after each morning Mass

Bethany Bereavement Support

Contact the group at 085-2258827

Legion of Mary

Contact: 087-2423068

Safeguarding

Ms Aileen Cawley: 085-2288047

Music at today's 10:30am Mass

Missa orbis factor (plainchant)

Lead me, Lord (Wesley)

Lead me, Lord, in thy righteousness, make thy way plain before my face. For it is thou, Lord, only, that makest me dwell in safety.

Ave verum corpus (Mozart)

Hail, true body, born of the Virgin Mary, who truly suffered, sacrificed on the cross for man; whose pierced side overflowed with water and blood, be for us a foretaste in the test of death. O sweet, O merciful, O Jesus, Son of Mary, have mercy upon me.

Organ postlude: Carillon de Westminster (Vierne)

Weekly music listings are available on the Cathedral website.