

MASS TIMES:

CHURCH OF OUR LADY CONCEIVED WITHOUT SIN, MITCHELSTOWN:

Sat & Eve of Holyday: 7.30p.m. Sunday & Holyday: 8.30am. 10.30am. 12noon & 7.30p.m.

1st Friday: 7.30p.m. - Weekday: 8.30a.m. & 10a.m.

Morning Prayer in Parish Church: Mon. to Fri. at 8a.m.

Rosary in Parish Church: Mon. to Sat. at 9.45a.m. Before: 10a.m. Mass

Perpetual Adoration: Sunday 12.30p.m. & Saturday 7p.m.

Eucharistic Healing Hour of Adoration: Every Thursday night from 8p.m. to 9p.m.

CHURCH OF THE HOLY FAMILY, BALLYGIBLIN:

Sunday & Holyday: 9.30a.m. - 1st Friday: 7.30p.m.

ST. JOSEPH'S CHURCH, KILLAULIG:

Sunday & Holyday: 10.30a.m. - 1st Friday: 8.15p.m.

CONFESSION TIMES:

MITCHELSTOWN: Saturday, Eves of Holydays: 12 - 1p.m. & 7p.m. - 7.30p.m.

1st Thursday of month: 12 - 1p.m. & 7p.m. - 7.30p.m.

NEW: After Saturday Evening Mass on the 1st Saturday of the month.

BALLYGIBLIN: 1st Friday 7p.m. **KILLAULIG:** before 1st Friday Mass.

CLERGY:

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Mitchelstown Parish & Community Newsletter

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Come let us Adore: Perpetual Eucharistic Adoration continues to remain strong in Mitchelstown after over 25 years commitment. We wish to invite new people to consider giving an hour of your week in the Adoration Chapel, day or night. At present we have a night hour needing someone. It is **Monday morning 2am to 3am**. Please contact Catherine Hanlon 087-7727496 or Nora Hogan 025 - 24149

Advent Saint: The great Saint of Advent is St. John the Baptist. St. John was six months older than Jesus. At the visitation of Our Lady to his mother Elizabeth, he leaped for joy in her womb at the greeting of Our Lady, who was carrying the Saviour. After his birth, he lived his life hidden from the world. Then, a short few years before Jesus revealed Himself, St. John had been calling the people to conversion and repentance. He was preparing the people who were to become the disciples of Jesus. St. John speaks to us during this Advent, reminding us to go to Jesus, who will baptise us with the fire of the Holy Spirit. St. John is an example to all of us, by his faith in Jesus. He is again calling us to this Advent, to prepare our hearts through repentance, for the celebration of the birthday of the Saviour.

Cloyne Diocese Celebrates the 25th Anniversary of the founding of Perpetual Eucharistic Adoration Centres: In 1988 Perpetual Eucharistic Adoration Centres were founded in the Diocese of Cloyne. They began in the Parishes of Cobh and Fermoy on the 8th December 1988, followed by Kanturk, Mallow, Youghal, Macroom, Midleton, Mitchelstown, Doneraile and Charleville. To mark the occasion of the 25th anniversary, the following celebrations of Mass with Bishop Crean (Bishop of Cloyne) have been organised for December:

7pm Mass on Sunday, 8th December in St. Colman's Cathedral, Cobh.

7.30pm Mass on Monday, 9th December in St. Patrick's Church, Fermoy.

6.30pm Mass on Saturday, 14th December in The Church of the Immaculate Conception, Kanturk.

Let us give Thanks to God for this wonderful Apostolate of Prayer in the Diocese.

Thanks to all the wonderful people in the Diocese, who have committed to an hour of prayer in Eucharistic Adoration during the past 25 years. Without their commitment the Adoration Centres would not have continued. Praised be to Jesus Christ, present in the Blessed Eucharist.

Fermoy Committee of Cork Mental Health invite you to join with them in an evening of reflection, remembrance, light and hope to guide us through the Christmas Season. Sunday 8th December, St Patrick's Church, Fermoy – 7.30pm. All very welcome.

