



## Darver & Dromiskin Parish

Thirty First Sunday in Ordinary Time November 3rd 2019

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Priests of Our Lady Queen of Peace Pastoral Area: Darver & Dromiskin,



### BAPTISMS

First weekend of each month.

St. Peter's Dromiskin, Sat. evening at 6.00pm.

St Michael's Darver Sun. morn at 11.15am.

One month's notice must be given at Darver prior to Baptism. Parents to avail of Parish Baptismal Programme.

**Parish Mass Times St. Michael's Darver** Sunday 10.30am

Tuesday 9.30am: Thurs. 9.30am plus 1/2 hr adoration

**St. Peter's Dromiskin** Sat. Vigil 7.00pm. Sunday 9.00am

Mon. 7.00 p.m. & Novena: Our Lady of Miraculous Medal.

Wed 9.30am plus 1/2 hr. Adoration after Mass.

Fri. 9.30am Mass

**Parish Collection: 27th Oct. 2019**

St. Michael's Env. € 352.00 Cash €59.00.

St. Peter's Env € 402.50 Cash €58.58

I the Lord of sea and sky I have heard my people cry  
All who dwell in dark and sin My hand will save  
I who made the stars of night I will make their darkness bright  
Who will bear my light to them? Whom shall I send?

### CHORUS

Here I am Lord; It is I Lord

I have heard You calling in the night

I will go Lord If You lead me

I will hold Your people in my heart.

I the Lord of snow and rain I have borne My people's pain  
I have wept for love of them They turn away  
I will break their hearts of stone Give them hearts for love alone  
I will speak My word to them Whom shall I send? CHORUS

**Confirmation will be celebrated in our Parish on May 13th 2020 in St. Peter's Church Dromiskin at 11.00am**

**New Auxiliary Bishop Michael leads celebrations**

All volunteers in ministry in the four parishes in our Pastoral area "Our Lady Queen of Peace" Darver and Dromiskin, Kilkenny, Knockbridge, Louth are invited to attend Mass of thanksgiving followed by a meal, music and dance.

Concelebrated Mass begins at 7.30pm next Fri. 8th Nov. In Kilkenny. Hope to see you there.

### St. Michael's Darver

Sun. Nov. 3rd 10.30am M.M. Brigid Kirk.

Av. John Joe Hoey & Jeremiah Carmody.

Sun. Nov. 10th 10.30am Av. Michael & May McDonnell.

### St. Peter's Dromiskin

Sat. Nov. 2nd 07.00pm Av. John, Bernadette & Michael Morgan.

Sun. Nov. 3rd 09.00am Av. Bon Gavino – Gautier.

Mon. Nov. 4th 07.00pm Parish List of the Dead.

Wed. Nov. 6th 09.30am Av. Joe & Annie Kinahan & deceased family

Sat. Nov. 9th 07.00pm Parish List of the Dead

Sun. Nov. 10th 07.00pm Av. Peter & Mary Kieran.

### Recently Deceased:

Please pray for: Maureen Murtagh, Cecelia Bloomfield & Caitriona Higgins nee Fagan. (Heeney)

**All those whose names are on Parish List of Dead will be remembered at all Masses in Nov.**

**In Nov. Rosary offered in Darver Cemetery Sun. @ 3.00pm.**

**Mar Iosa Prayer Hour:** Tues in St. Peter's 7.30 – 8.30pm.

Hour of Prayer, Reflection and Adoration. You are invited and will be most welcome

### FAITH MATTERS

Lord, like Zacchaeus, I hear you calling me by name and I gladly welcome you to my house today. Note the urgency in Jesus' exhortation to Zacchaeus – 'hurry!' Help me become more aware that I am, at all times and in all places, in Your loving presence. Help me to realise that the divine is in me and in every person that I meet, and this includes those whom I may find difficult.

Zacchaeus' encounter with Jesus was life-changing. Can I respond with the same joy and generosity to the call of Jesus?

Jesus teaches us that prayer is above all a response to God - a response, not an initiative. Prayer is concerned not with me, but with God. The essential act of prayer, in the words of Sister Wendy Beckett, is **'to stand unprotected before God'.**

Prayer helps us to strike up a deep relationship with Jesus and He calls us by name. Life is never the same again after Jesus enters your 'house' and builds up a friendship which is far more valuable than you could ever ask or imagine. Where do I fall short so that I cannot see Jesus? What particular tree can I climb in order to see Him more clearly? The practice of prayer gives me a daily glimpse of the Lord as he passes.

'He has gone to be the guest of a sinner'.

How do I feel when Jesus invites himself to my kitchen?

**PARISH €OTTO RESULTS 29th Oct.**  
**Numbers drawn: (04) (06) (13) (14)**

**Jackpot €4,200 not won**

2 winners with 3 numbers : Pat McKeown & Carolan family.

**Next weeks 3 numbers - share €200**

**JACKPOT €4,400 NOW**

**Thanks for your continued support!**

**Minister of the Word:**

**St. Michael's 10th Nov-Elaine**

Jesus Wants to Stay  
with Zacchaeus

"When Jesus came to that place, he looked up and said to him, "Zacchaeus, hurry and come down! I must stay at your house today."

Zacchaeus came down quickly and welcomed him gladly." Luke 19:6,7



"For the Son of Man has come to seek and to save that which was lost."