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# Parish Bulletin

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## The Parish of St Philomena

### Palmerstown

# 24 – 25 January 2026

## Third Sunday in Ordinary Time



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## Sunday Mass Readings

First Reading: Isaiah 8:23-9:3  
 Second Reading: 1 Corinthians 1:10-13,17  
 Gospel: Matthew 4:12-23



## CONTACT US

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## **CHURCH NOTICES**

### **FAMILY GIVING**

Sunday, 18-Jan-26 €575

### **COMMON FUND**

Sunday, 18-Jan-26 €655

### **SHARE**

Sunday, 18-Jan-26 €440

### **SUNDAY MASS TIMES**

6pm Vigil Mass (Sat)  
9.30am and 12 noon

### **WEEKDAY MASSES**

10am on Monday,  
Wednesday, Thursday,  
Friday and Saturday

Tuesday

10am Eucharistic Service

### **HOLY DAYS MASSES**

7.30pm Vigil Mass  
10 am on Working Holy Days  
9.30am & 12 noon on  
Christmas Day and St  
Patrick's Day.4

### **SAFEGUARDING**

If you have a concern about child abuse, please contact Mr Andrew Fagan, Director, Child Safeguarding & Protection Service, Dublin Archdiocese (Mon-Fri: 09:00-17:00, Tel: 01-8360314 or Deputy Liaison Person Tel: 01-8360304.

Tusla Office, Local Garda Station, or HSE (vulnerable adults) 1850 24 1850

# **Mass Intentions**

Saturday, 24 Jan	10am	George & Rose Reid & Margaret Reid (RIP)
	6pm (Vigil)	Brian Smith (RIP) Ina Downey (Anniversary) Sean Higgins (Anniversary)
Sunday, 25 Jan	9.30am	
	12 Noon	Patrick Carpenter (Anniversary) Eamon Bambrick (Anniversary) Tom Bambrick (Anniversary) Lily Bambrick (Anniversary) Noel Iremonger (Anniversary)
Monday, 26 Jan	10am	Mark O'Hara (RIP) Colm & Damien Corr (Anniversary)
Tuesday 27 Jan	10am	Eucharistic Prayer Service
Wed, 28 January	10am	Monica Beausang (Anniversary)
Thurs, 29 January	10am	Cáit NicIonraic (RIP)
Friday, 30 Jan	10am	Pat Smith (RIP)
Saturday, 31 Jan	10am	
	6pm (Vigil)	Ed O'Hara (Anniversary)
Sunday, 01 Feb	9.30am	
	12 Noon	Brid Hamill (Anniversary)

### **CHRISTMAS DUES**

Thank you to all who have submitted their Christmas Dues Envelopes. If you have a dues envelope, we would be most grateful if you could please return same as soon as possible.

If you would like to donate, Christmas Dues Envelopes are available at the back of the church or you can also donate online through the Donate button on our website: <https://palmerstownparish.com/>



Society of St. Vincent de Paul

## **THANK YOU**

SVP Palmerstown would like to express our extreme gratitude to the people of Palmerstown for once again responding so generously to our Annual Appeal. Over the Christmas period, a total of almost €8,000 was donated - via the indoor collections in December (€4,410), our collection at SuperValu on November 30th (€2,800), and a number of generous personal donations.

These funds will help us continue providing assistance, in the form of food, heating, electricity and education, to families in need in our parish.

The next SVP outdoor church grounds collections for February will take place next weekend (31 January and 01 February 2026) after the 6pm (Saturday Vigil), 9.30am and 12 noon Masses.



### **WEEK OF PRAYER FOR CHRISTIANS UNITY:**

Our local Service of Prayer for Christian Unity will take place in the Presbyterian Church, Lucan at 8pm on Monday 26th January 2026.

All are welcome.

### **STANDING ORDERS & EASY PAYMENT PLUS CONTRIBUTIONS**

We are incredibly appreciative to all who contribute to the Family Giving, Standing Orders, Dues, Common Fund and SHARE collections.

The Standing Orders and Payzone contributions from July are as follows:

**November 2025      €1,995.50**

**December 2025      € 1,885.50**

Please note the Family Offering (Family Giving Envelopes, Standing Orders and On-Line Parish Donations via Payzone) are the only funds that support the parish. The Common Fund, Christmas, Easter & Summer Dues pays the priests of the Diocese. The SHARE collection funds projects in the Diocese.

### **NEWCOMERS TO THE PARISH**

We welcome all newcomers to the parish and offer you every good wish as you settle among us. If you would like to be actively involved in parish life, or if you need any information, please let us know, anytime, through the Sacristy - 📞: (01) 6266241, ✉: [sacristy@palmerstownparish.com](mailto:sacristy@palmerstownparish.com).