

For those that would like to contribute we have a donation program, some examples of associated costs are listed below. Every contribution will be gratefully received. If you would like to make a contribution or just find out more, please contact Fr Ray or Colin Smith on 086 2564372. For electronic transactions, please contact the Parish office for details.

Focal Point landmark tree €250

Specimen tree €200.

Native tree €80.

Stations of the Cross €250

Gardens bench €500.

Fruit tree €20

Large shrub €10

The Parish Gardens will grow and evolve over the years. It will be a wonderful benefit to the parish, the church and the whole community for generations to come. Sincere thanks for your encouragement and support

The Oldcastle Parish Gardens Committee



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"A GARDEN IS A FRIEND YOU CAN VISIT ANY TIME"

Dear Friends

We are currently developing The Parish Gardens in the field at the back of St. Brigid's Church. We believe it will be a wonderful asset and amenity to the town and surrounding community. We intent to utilise the on-site features and views and add lots of interesting elements. The trees, flowers and shrubbery have been chosen with fragrance, colour and symbolism in mind. The five areas will be linked by a winding pathway, they are...

The way of The Cross

This garden will visitors a natural alternative to the Church Stations. The journey will be simple and easy to follow with a focus on the Stations. There will be seating to meditate and pray.

Healing Garden

This Garden will have a calm, peaceful and a welcoming environment. It will feel organic and natural. A special refuge for visitors with a feeling that you're entering somewhere special and safe.

Wildlife Meadow & River walk

This garden is natural and rustic. We want to encourage wildlife into this area so visitors can feel close to nature. We will expose the stream to enhance this area with the soothing sound of the running water.

Garden of Inspiration

This Garden is challenging, thought provoking and most of all a place where visitors come for inspiration. This garden would also outside platform for services and performances.

Childrens' Garden

Colourful and magical place for families where religion and fun are associated together, a space were the parish schools can utilise and develop for outdoor teaching and learning. We also intend to have a memorial for all local deceased children