

**Name of memorial:** Fr. Willie Doyle Memorial

**Inventory No. 1437**

**Place:** Melrose, Dalkey Avenue, at the junction with The Burgage.

**Address and map reference:** Melrose, Dalkey Avenue, Dalkey, Co. Dublin.

Map reference: O 262 267 (Sheet 50)

Co-ordinates: N 53.2762°; W 6.1080°.

**Access:** at all times. **Parking:** adjacent. **Disabled access:** yes.

**Position:** on the wall of the lane to 'Melrose'.

**Description and dimensions:** black marble plaque.

Height: 22cms. Width: 37cms.

**Recorded by:** Brian Smith 26 December 2022.

**Text:**

**MELROSE  
BIRTHPLACE 1873 OF  
FR WILLIE DOYLE S.J. M.C.  
CHAPLAIN 48<sup>TH</sup> BRIGADE  
16<sup>TH</sup> IRISH DIVISION  
NOMINATED FOR V.C  
KILLED IN FLANDERS 1917**

**Mentions in books:**

*'Chaplain in the War Trenches - In memoriam, Fr Willie Doyle S.J, Dalkeyman, 1873-1917'* by Tony Quinn. *Dún Laoghaire Journal*, No. 4 (1995) pp.56-58.

*'Man of the People - Fr William Doyle SJ'* by *Carmel Uí Cheallaigh* (Dublin, Elm Books, 2017)