

## Dungiven Parish Bulletin

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### MISSION ALERT.

Mission Sunday comes only once a year. On this special day we are given the opportunity to express our unity with and support to Christian communities everywhere. World Mission Ireland provides spiritual and practical assistance to the Church's mission worldwide. "Together in Faith" we can all play an active role in helping more than 1,100 dioceses and communities globally. This is the Church in action – communities supporting communities. **HOW CAN YOU HELP?** Support is needed by prayer as well as financially. On Mission Sunday, 23<sup>rd</sup> October 2011 please pray for the universal missions of the Church and give as generously as you can to the Mission Sunday Collection. Every penny of the money donated to this collection goes into a universal fund and is distributed to the missions most in need. All aid is greatly appreciated by communities less fortunate than ourselves and "Together in Faith" may we continue to spread the good news in God's name. *There are two envelopes in your box for next Sunday 23<sup>rd</sup> Oct., the ordinary collection, and the Missions collection, which will be taken up after Holy Communion.*

**TEMPORARY CHANGE OF TIME OF DAILY MASS** - On **Tues. 18<sup>th</sup> Oct.**, the daily Mass for St. Patrick's Church will be celebrated at **7.30 pm. - not 10.00 am.**

**BAPTISM TIMES - St. Patrick's Church:** Saturday at 4.45 pm. or Sunday at 12.15 pm. **Drumsum and Gortnaghey:** by arrangement.

### MONTH MIND MASS.

For Margaret Heaney on Sat. 22<sup>nd</sup> Oct. at 6.00 pm. Vigil in St. Patrick's Church.

**PARISH MASS TIMES - St. Patrick's.** Mon. 10.00 am. **Tues. 7.30 pm.** Wed. – Sat. 10.00 am. Vigil 6.00 pm. Sun. 9.00 & 11.30 am. **St. Matthew's.** Mon. – Sat. 10.00 am. Sun. 11.00 am. **Immaculate Concept.** Mon. & Wed. 9.15 am. **Fri. 7.15 pm.** Sat. Vigil 7.15 pm. Sun. 10.15 am.

**CONFESSIONS - St. Patrick's.** Sat. 10.30 – 11.30 am. & 5.15 - 5.50 pm. **Immaculate Conception.** Sat. 6.50 pm.

**LAST WEEK'S COLLECTION: £2,624.**

(St. Patrick's £1,785. Drumsum £449. Imm. Concept. £390.)

**READERS OF THE WORD** - A 'Morning of Reflection' will take place on Sat. 22<sup>nd</sup> Oct. for **all readers** in the parish. This is an opportunity to pray together and share with others called to this special ministry. The morning takes place in the Conference Room from 10.30 am. – 2.00 pm. Please confirm your attendance to the parish office **no later than Thurs. 20<sup>th</sup> Oct.**

### LEGION OF MARY.

Mass will be offered for Active and Auxiliary members on Wed. 26<sup>th</sup> October at 7.30 pm. in The Conference Room. Everyone welcome. Light refreshments served afterwards.

**THE PARISH REQUIEM** - Solemn Requiem Mass will be concelebrated in St. Patrick's Church, on Friday 11<sup>th</sup> Nov. at 7.30 pm. for all deceased parishioners.

**PARISH BINGO - EVERY TUESDAY – ST. CANICE'S HALL @ 8.30 PM. SHARP.**

**POPE BENEDICT** - "The Holy Father, Pope Benedict, has requested prayers for the success of the New Evangelizers for the New Evangelization meeting in Rome this weekend (15<sup>th</sup> – 16<sup>th</sup> Oct.) Pope Benedict will celebrate Mass in St. Peter's on Sunday morning and has asked that "at the same time in the parishes and communities throughout the world, prayers are offered in order that the Spirit may inspire the Church to find new ways to proclaim the Gospel." The Catholic Grandparents Association will be represented at the meeting by Catherine Wiley, C. G. A. Founder and Máire Printer, C. G. A. President."

**HIKE TO CROAGH PATRICK** - Do you fancy a trip to Westport, Co Mayo combined with a hike of one of Ireland's most famous mountains 'Croagh Patrick'. The trip will be on **Sunday 23<sup>rd</sup> Oct.** for those aged 16 - 35 and it will cost £20. This fee will include transport from Derry and dinner in Hotel Westport. For further details or to book a place please contact the Catechetical Centre on 028 7126 4087 or email [ddcc@derrydiocese.org](mailto:ddcc@derrydiocese.org). Places are limited so please book early.

**THE IRISH CATHOLIC NEWSPAPER** – is running the first part of a special feature on the parishes of County Derry in this week's edition of the paper. This will be an excellent opportunity to try the paper especially if you have never read it before. The paper costs £1 and is available to buy at the back of the church and also from McCloskey's shop.

**BENEDY COMMUNITY CENTRE - Luncheon Club** for over 60's on Mon. 17<sup>th</sup> Oct. @ 10.30 am. **Benbradagh Club** on Wed. 19<sup>th</sup> Oct. Music by Country Memories (Stephen O'Neill). **Dungiven Outdoor Bowling Club** Presentation Dance on Sat. 22<sup>nd</sup> Oct. from 10.00 pm. - 1.00 am. Music by Outbound Express. Adm. £5.

**ST. CANICE'S P. S.** - Annual **Road of Hope Shoebox Appeal**, which brings Christmas joy and hope to millions of underprivileged children across the world. Boxes should be returned to the school by Fri. 28<sup>th</sup> Oct.

**CO. DERRY REGIONAL P.T.A.A.** - Dinner Dance in The Oak Leaf Restaurant, on Fri. 21<sup>st</sup> Oct. at 8.00 pm. Tickets from Mary Tel: 777 41439 or Jacqueline Tel: 777 40085.

**ALZHEIMER'S SUPPORT GROUP** – On Wed. 19<sup>th</sup> Oct. at 7.30 pm. in Cornfield Care Centre, Seacoast Road, Limavady. Topic – Advocacy. All welcome.

**ST. CANICE'S G.A.C.** - Lotto No's: 8, 10, 21, 25. No winners. Jackpot £3,200.

### CONSIDERING BUYING YOUR FIRST HOME?

Or wanting to move? Or just interested in a better rate? Veronica and staff at Northern Bank, Dungiven, are inviting you to their Mortgage Information Evening on Tuesday 18<sup>th</sup> October from 5.00 – 7.00 pm. and Saturday morning 29<sup>th</sup> October from 10.00 am. – 1.00 pm. Everyone welcome. Light refreshments available. Any further enquires, please contact Veronica on 028 9004 7563.

**DRUM LOTTO** - Wed. 7<sup>th</sup> Sept. – 4, 15, 18, 27. £25: Darren Carlin. Wed. 14<sup>th</sup> Sept. - 8, 20, 24, 30. £25: James O Kane. Wed. 21<sup>st</sup> Sept. - 10, 11, 22, 28. £25: Anna McCartney. Wed. 28<sup>th</sup> Sept. – 14, 23, 28, 29. £25: Roisin McCaul. Jackpot £875.

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