Dungiven Parish Bulletin

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**BAPTISM** – Will take place in St. Patrick's Church on the following dates during the month of June: **Sun.** 3<sup>rd</sup>, **Sat.** 9<sup>th</sup>, **Sun.** 17<sup>th</sup> and **Sat.** 23<sup>rd</sup>. (Sunday at 12.15 pm. and Saturday at 4.45 pm.). Drumsurn and Gortnaghey: by arrangement.

## MONTH MIND MASS.

For Jim McCloskey on Saturday 26<sup>th</sup> May at 6.00 pm. Vigil Mass in St. Patrick's.

## PARISH MASS TIMES THIS COMING WEEK.

**St. Patrick's.** Mon. - Sat. 10.00 am. Vigil 6.00 pm. Sun. 9.00 & 11.30 am. **St. Matthew's.** Mon. - Fri. 10.00 am. **Sat. 11.00 am.** Vigil 6.00 pm. Sun. 11.00 am. **Imm. 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. **St. Matthew's.** Sat. *after* 10.00 am. Mass & 5.30 pm. **Immaculate Conception.** Sat. 6.50 pm.

## LAST WEEK'S COLLECTION: £2,455.

(St. Patrick's £1,593. St. Matthew's £335. Imm. Concept. £527.)

# DIOCESAN PURPOSES COLLECTION: £2,006.

(St. Patrick's £1,411. Drumsurn £221. Imm. Concept. £374.)

#### FIRST COMMUNION DAY.

The children of **St. Matthew's P. S., Drumsurn,** will receive their First Communion next Sat. 26<sup>th</sup> May at **11.00 am.** in St. Matthew's Church.

## **CEMETERY SUNDAY.**

Will take place next Sunday 27<sup>th</sup> May after 10.15 am. Mass in the Imm. Conception. Will take place next Sunday 27<sup>th</sup> May at 6.00 pm. in St. Patrick's. Will take place on Sunday 3<sup>rd</sup> June at 3.00 pm. in St. Matthew's.

**PRAYER IN DAILY LIFE** – Monthly Scripture Meeting on Monday 21<sup>st</sup> May at 7.00 pm. in the Conference Room.

INTERNATIONAL EUCHARISTIC CONGRESS – BUS SERVICE PROVIDED BY DERRY DIOCESE: Bus transport will be made available for people wishing to attend the Congress on any of the weekdays. Meals will also be facilitated for people travelling by bus. *Bookings should be made by Tuesday 29<sup>th</sup> May*. If you wish to make a booking or require further information, please contact one of the following numbers during office hours: St. Patrick's, Pennyburn, Tel: 7126 2360. Draperstown, Tel: 7962 8248. For people who intend to travel by bus provided by the diocese to the final Mass (Statio Orbis) in Croke Park on Sunday 17<sup>th</sup> June, further information on this will be available to you through the parish newsletter on the weekend of 2<sup>nd</sup> / 3<sup>rd</sup> June.

**ALTAR SOCIETY** – <u>Cleaners are required</u> for Gortnaghey Chapel to cover the months of April and October. Please leave your name in Gortnaghey sacristy.

Please let the Priests know when you have a relative in hospital, we would like to visit them. Contact the parish office or either of the Priests.

MASS IN OLD PRIORY – On Pentecost Sunday (27<sup>th</sup> May) at 7.00 am.

**VOCATIONS PRAYER VIGIL** - The Derry Diocesan Vocations Council is holding a Prayer Vigil in St. Eugene's Cathedral, Derry, on Friday 25<sup>th</sup> May. It will begin with Mass at 7.30 pm. followed by prayer and reflections on Diocesan Priesthood. Please come along and join with us in praying for Vocations to Priesthood and Religious Life.

**SAFEGUARDING OUR CHILDREN** - If you have concerns about the welfare and safety of children in our parish, please contact one of our Parish Representatives: Mrs. Siobhan McCartney Tel: 777 42671, Mrs. Winnie McNicholl Tel: 777 41529, Mrs Margo O'Kane, Tel: 777 42038 or Mrs Mary O'Kane, Tel: 777 42116.

St. CANICE'S PRIMARY SCHOOL - <u>ANNUAL FAMILY FUN DAY</u> on Sunday 10<sup>th</sup> June. St. Canice's P.S. Parents Association Fundraiser: 1.00 – 5.00 pm. on the school grounds. Adm. £3 per person (under 2's free). Max Family Rate £15. BBQ, Tea/Coffee, Cakes etc. available, plus lots of fun activities for the whole family. Volunteers for the day are needed, please contact any of the committee if you could help for an hour on the day.

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

**BENEDY COMMUNITY CENTRE** - "The Gossip Stop" by Benedy Amateur Drama Society in the centre on Thurs. 24<sup>th</sup> May @ 8.30 pm. Adm. £2.00 (inc supper).

**DROMANTINE FAMILY FUN DAY** - Sun. 10<sup>th</sup> June. Wanted for tombola any 'unwanted gifts'. Leave with Sally McCartney or Theresa Donaghy before Sunday 20<sup>th</sup> May.

**BENBRADAGH WALK** – In aid of Guatemala Project. Mary Mullan is returning to Guatemala in November for six months to work with babies born with cleft pallets and suffering from malnutrition. Register at Gelvin School at 10.30 am. next Sunday 27<sup>th</sup> May. Walk starts at 11.00 am. (Approx 3 hours).

**NAISCOIL NEACHTAIN** - Would like to thank everyone who supported our Co-Chairperson Seamus Harkin in raising £950 by completing the full Belfast Marathon in a great time of 4hrs 8mins on Monday  $7^{th}$  May. Go Raibh Maith Agat.

**ST. CANICE'S LADIES G.F.C.** – *Summer Camp* ( $16^{th} - 20^{th}$  July). Registration in St. Canice's G.A.A. Club (today) Sun.  $20^{th}$  May, from 6.00 - 7.30 pm. for Nursery, P1 – P7 and including Year 8's only. Cost: £20 per child, to be paid on night of registration.

**ST. CANICE'S G.A.C.** - The hugely popular *Football Summer Camp* will run this year from  $16^{th}-20^{th}$  July. Open to boys and girls involved in U6 - U12's all are encouraged to attend, including those currently not involved in football. Registration Night in the club hall on Mon.  $21^{st}$  May at 9.00 pm. sharp. Cost £20 (£10 deposit). All who attend are guaranteed a week's fun and a good gift.

**WHIST DRIVE** – In St. Peter's Hall, (today) Sun. 20<sup>th</sup> May at 8.00 pm.

**FEENY COMMUNITY ASSOC.** – Farmers Market on Sat. 26<sup>th</sup> May from 12.00 noon – 4.00 pm. on Main Street, Feeny. Home bakes, Arts & Crafts etc. Tables still available at £5 per table, contact Ann Tel: 777 81876.

**N. W REGIONAL COLLEGE** – Derry and Limavady new range of par-time courses, which commences this September. Enrolments begin on Tues 22<sup>nd</sup> May. For a copy of its new part-time Course Guide Tel: 7127 6000 or email info@nwrc.ac.uk

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