

Dungiven Parish Bulletin

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ORDINATION OF REV. BRENDAN – As you know the Deacon Rev. Brendan Collins will be ordained a Priest in The Church of the Sacred Heart, Omagh, (today) Sunday 25th August. Please pray for him as he approaches Ordination.

BAPTISMS – Will take place in St. Patrick's Church on the following dates: **August: Sat. 31st. September: Sun. 8th, Sat. 14th, Sun. 22nd & Sat. 28th.** (Sun. at 12.15 pm. & Sat. at 4.45 pm.) Drumsurn and Gortnaghey: by arrangement.



BAPTISMS – We welcome into our Christian Community – Sophia Elizabeth Mullan, 21 O'Cahan Place. Ethan Jai Farren-Begley, 23 Ard-Na-Smol. Orla Mary O'Kane, 21 Curragh Road. Rory Patrick McGuigan, 10 Greenhaven. Bobby Kevin James O'Neill, 67 Ard-Na-Smol. James Martin O'Rourke, 71 O'Cahan Place.

MONTH MIND MASS.

For Mick Murphy on Saturday 31st Aug. 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. - Sat. 10.00 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. **Imm. Concept.** Sat. 6.50 pm.

LAST SUNDAY COLLECTION: £2,724.

(St. Patrick's £1,830. St. Matthew's £384. Imm. Concept. £510.)

ST. PATRICK'S CHURCH - *Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist for Sept.:* **6.00 pm.** – James McClarey, Willie McGrellis & Frances Lynch. **9.00 am.** - Anne Hasson, Sarah O'Kane & Eoin Mullan. **11.30 am.** - Dominic Magee, Celine McKenna & Geraldine Brolly.

ST. PATRICK'S CHURCH – *Readers for Sept.:* **6.00 pm.** – Jeremy Granleese. **9.00 am.** – Seamus Mullin. **11.30 am.** – Cora O'Kane.

COLLECTORS FOR SEPT. – *St. Patrick's* - **6.00 pm.** – Patsy McCloskey, Sean Boyle, Willie McGrellis & James McClarey. **9.00 am.** – Jim Farren, John McNicholl, James Craig & Patrick Murphy. **11.30 am.** – James Farren, Kevin McNicholl, Tom Nelis & Martin Millar. *St. Matthew's* – Francis McCauley, Aidan Rafferty & Shaun Devlin.

TAKING THE TABLET - Thornhill Ministries' regular reading group around 'The Tablet' reconvenes on Thur. 5th Sept. Tel: 7135 1233, if you are interested in joining the group or if you would like a copy of the articles that will be discussed.

TERMONBACCA – Mass in honour of Blessed Alexandrina Sun. 25th Aug. at 7.30 pm.

BLESSED SACRAMENT CHAPEL - Will be open next Sun. 1st September from 3.00 – 6.00 pm., with prayer dedicated to children starting/going back to school and their families.

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

ST. PATRICK'S COLLEGE DUNGIVEN – We welcome all applications for 6th Form study in September. Follow our successful students who achieved 100% grades A*-E 2013. To arrange an interview Tel: 777 41324 or visit www.stpatrickscollege.co.uk

ST. MARY'S GORTNAGHEY, P.S. - Will be selling school uniforms on the following days only – Tues. 27th, Wed. 28th and Thur. 29th Aug. from 10.00 am. – 2.00 pm. only. On Tues. 27th Aug. uniforms will be sold from 7.00 – 9.00 pm.

CLARE KELLY MEMORIAL FUND – *Affected by Road Collision Support* - Are holding a preview of the 'Drive Safe Project' in association with Benbradagh Community Support Youth on Fri. 6th Sept. at 8.00 pm. in O'Hagan's Lounge, Main Street. Barbecue and live Music. Tickets £5 or pay at the door. All proceeds go to charity.

ST. CANICE'S BOWLING CLUB – A.G.M. on Mon. 26th Aug. at 7.30 pm. *All members are asked to attend this meeting.* New season starts on Mon. 2nd Sept. at 7.30 pm.

GLENSHANE HOUSE – Names now being taken for Essential Skills Maths, English, Paediatric First Aid and Developing Parenting Skills. Essential Skills courses are free, others are £25. To register or for further info Tel. Mary: 777 42494 or call into office.

BLOOD TRANSFUSION - Donating sessions will be held from 2.00 - 4.00 pm. and 5.15 - 8.00 pm. On Friday 6th Sept. in St. Canice's G.A.C. Club.

DRY ARCH CHILDREN'S CENTRES - Are hosting "**Picnic at the Pool**" at Roe Valley Leisure Centre on Sat. 7th Sept. (11.00 am. – 3.00 pm.). Rain or shine you'll be fine with our big marquee. We'll have lots of *free food, bouncy castles, music, climbing wall, cage sports, archery etc.* Organisations will be there too with help on drugs misuse, debt, autism, mental health, counselling, parenting etc.

ST. CANICE'S G.A.C. – *Lotto No's: 3, 7, 10 & 12.* £20: Ellen McWilliams, Philomena McCaul, Peter McCaul, Madeline Kelly, Eamon McCusker, Cheyenne Moore, Cathair Brown, B. Bradley, James Irwin, Shane Mullan, Emma Gaile, Claire McGuigan, Tara Deeney, Conal Kelly & Ann Murphy. Jackpot £7,400.

KEVIN LYNCH HURLING CLUB – *Lotto No's: 1, 11, 13 & 16.* Lucky Dip Winner: Sean O'Kane, Carn. Jackpot £1,850.

GORTNAGHEY COMM. CENTRE - Now taking names for the following classes starting in Sept., Jive, Yoga and Cookery, limited spaces so book early. Also running at end of Sept. for 10 weeks Biggest Loser, you enter as a team of 4 people, everyone is weighed and measured, there are two workout sessions per week, prize for winner. Cost £5 registration fee plus £3 per workout.

SPONSORED WALK – Sun. 1st Sept., Teresa Cassidy will be participating in a trek to the Himalayas' in aid of Action Cancer. As part of a fundraiser she has organised a sponsored walk from Benone Beach – Castlerock. Contact Teresa if you would like to participating, as she needs to know numbers. Tel 079 0218 6366.

LORETO COLLEGE - Will re-open on Mon. 2nd Sept. for Years 8 & 13. Tues. 3rd Sept. for Years 8, 11 & 13. Wed. 4th Sept. for all Years. Wed. 4th Sept. for all Years.

NORTHWEST REGIONAL COLLEGE, LIMAVADY – Are offering Level 3 Extended Diploma in Construction (which is equal to 3 A-Levels). Application forms are available from the parish office or the Chapel porch.

DUNGIVEN PARISH - ST. VINCENT DE PAUL – HELPLINE – 079 279 299 23.