# Dungiven Parish Bulletin

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BAPTISMS – Will take place in St. Patrick's Church on the following dates: MAY – Sun. 3<sup>rd</sup>, Sat. 9<sup>th</sup>, Sat. 16<sup>th</sup> & Sat. 23<sup>rd</sup>. JUNE – Sun. 7<sup>th</sup>, Sat. 13<sup>th</sup>, Sat. 20<sup>th</sup> & Sat. 27<sup>th</sup> (Sun. at 12.15 pm. and 4.30 pm. on a Saturday). Drumsurn and Gortnaghey: by arrangement.



We welcome into our Christian Community - Corey Dean O'Kane, Bleach Green, Cara Rose Hinphey, O'Cathain's Place, Eóin Patterson, Chapel Road & Keigan James Logue, Church View.

FR. GERARD'S HOME VISITS IN DRUMSURN - on Fri. 1st May from 2.00 pm.

### MONTH MIND MASS.

For Johnny Kealey on Sat. 2<sup>nd</sup> May at 6.00 pm. Vigil in St. Patrick's Church. **FIRST ANNIVERSARY MASSES.** 

For Patricia McGurk on Sun. 26<sup>th</sup> April at 10.15 am. in St. Matthew's, Drumsurn. For Josie McReynolds on Thurs. 30<sup>th</sup> April at 10.00 am. in St. Patrick's Church.

MASS FOR STUDENTS DURING EXAMS.

All students sitting examinations are invited to the Vigil Mass on Sat. 2<sup>nd</sup> May at 6.00 pm. in St. Patrick's Church. During the Mass we will invoke the guidance and inspiration of the Holy Spirit to assist all those who may be anxious or worried in this exam period.

### PARISH MASS TIMES THIS COMING WEEK:

	DUNGIVEN	DRUMSURN	GORTNAGHEY	
Mon. 27 <sup>th</sup> April	10.00 am.		9.15 am.	
Tues. 28 <sup>th</sup> April	10.00 am.	9.15 am.		
Wed. 29 <sup>th</sup> April	10.00 am.		9.15 am.	
Thur. 30 <sup>th</sup> April	10.00 am.	9.15 am.		
Fri. 1 <sup>st</sup> May	10.00 am.	6.30 pm.	7.15 pm.	
Sat. 2 <sup>nd</sup> May	10.00 am.			
Vigil Mass	6.00 pm.		7.15 pm.	
2 <sup>nd</sup> May				
Sun. 3 <sup>rd</sup> May	9.00 am. & 11.30 am.	10.15 am.		

## **CONFESSIONS THIS COMING WEEK** – *Friday is the first Friday of the month.*

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	DUNGIVEN	DRUMSURN	GORTNAGHEY
Wed. 29 <sup>th</sup> April	6.30 – 7.00 pm.		
Fri. 1 <sup>st</sup> May		6.15-6.30 pm.	
Sat. 2 <sup>nd</sup> May	10.30 – 11.30 am & 5.15 – 5.50 pm.		6.50 pm.
Sun. 3 <sup>rd</sup> May		9.45 am.	

### LAST SUNDAY COLLECTION: £2,676.

(St. Patrick's £2,059. St. Matthew's £339. Imm. Concept. £278.)

THE PARISH OFFICE WILL BE CLOSED ON THESDAY 28TH APRIL.

**MAY PROCESSION** – A procession to honour the re-instating of the newly painted statues of Our Lady and St. Bernadette in the grotto will take place on <u>Sunday 3<sup>rd</sup> May at 6.00 pm</u>. Please come along and join in the Rosary and hymns and make this occasion a pleasant and memorable one for our parish.

**THE BLESSED SACRAMENT CHAPEL -** Will be open from 3.00 - 6.00 pm. today, Sunday 3<sup>rd</sup> May, for prayers for the persecuted church throughout the world.

**PARISH FINANCES** – The Audit of Parish Finances for the Calendar Year 2014 was completed while I was off on sick leave. Copies of the summary are available in the Parish Office. *Fr. Aidan Mullan*.

**ST. PATRICK'S CHURCH** - <u>Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist for May:</u> **6.00 pm.** – Theresa Donaghy, Danny O'Kane & Ann O'Kane. **9.00 am.** – Mary Grieve, Colette McCloskey & Mary McCloskey. **11.30 am.** – Joe McVey, Keith Kelly & Marie Mullin.

**ST. PATRICK'S CHURCH** - *Readers for May:* **6.00 pm.** – Jeremy Granleese. **9.00 am.** – Conor Lavery. **11.30 am.** – Francie Brolly.

ALTAR SOCIETY FOR MAY - St Patrick's. - Anne McCloskey. Imm. Concept. - Patricia Hegarty & Siobhan McCartney, (Flowers - Veronica McCool). St. Matthew's - Madeline Mullan & Jeanette Robinson. Ground Maintenance: Dermot Rafferty & Colin McNicholl.

**COLLECTORS FOR MAY** – *St. Patrick's:* **6.00 pm.** – Finbar Gillen, Danny O'Kane (Curragh Rd), Seamus Doran & Shauna Kelly. **9.00 am.** – Seamus Mullan, Gerard Gallagher, Dan O'Kane & Danny O'Kane. **11.30 am.** – Martin Mullan, William McCloskey, Joe McVey & Brendan Harkin. *St. Matthew's:* Seamus Doherty, Joe Irwin & Pax O'Connor.

**MARIAN MOVEMENT REGIONAL CENACLE -** On Sat. 2<sup>nd</sup> May from 10.30 am. - 4.30 pm. in St. Mary's Chapel, Ardmore. Includes Rosary, Confessions, Talks and finishes with Mass. Please bring a packed lunch. For more information ring 028 81647672.

**IN THANKSGIVING FOR RELIGIOUS LIFE** - In this Year of Consecrated Life, today, Sun. 26<sup>th</sup> April, at 4.30 pm. in St. Eugene's Cathedral, Derry there will be a special Evening Prayer to open a Flower Festival in thanksgiving for the contribution of religious women and men in this diocese. This is an opportunity to show the support of the diocese to those in religious life. All are very welcome to attend, especially those who have relatives who are in religious congregations and orders.

**BENEDY COMMUNITY ASSOCIATION -** Benedy Youth Club A.G.M. on Fri. 15<sup>th</sup> May at 8.00 pm., followed the Community Ass. A.G.M. at 8.15 pm. Holistic Therapy Classes every Thursday at 7.30 pm., still places available. Jim & Eileen will be in the Centre on Tues. 5<sup>th</sup> May at 7.30 pm. to complete single farm payment forms.

**KEVIN LYNCH HURLING CLUB** – *Lotto No's:* 5, 9, 11 & 29. Lucky Dip Winner: Geoffrey Gallagher, Greenhaven. **Jackpot** £1,175.

**GOOD LUCK –** To Eamonn O'Kane from Feeny who will be boxing in a world title fight eliminator on Saturday  $2^{nd}$  May in Lavey Community Centre.

**KILREA & TAMLAGHT O'CRILLY –** Tractor Run & Coffee Morning in aid of Marie Curie Cancer Care on Sat. 2<sup>nd</sup> May from 9.30 am. Fee £15, all welcome.

**IN AID OF FOYLE HOSPICE** – 'All in the April Evening' on Sun. 26<sup>th</sup> April in St. Mary's Church, Ardmore at 7.00 pm. An Evening of song and prayer to remember our dead.

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