

## Dungiven Parish Bulletin

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### SUNDAY MASS TIMES

**St. Patrick's Church:** Sat. Vigil 6.00 pm.

Sun. 9.00 am. & 11.30 am.

**St. Matthew's Church:** Sun 10.15 am.

**Church of the Immaculate Conception:** Sat.

Vigil 7.15 pm.

### MONTH'S MIND MASS

For Robert McGonigle on Fri. 27<sup>th</sup> May at 7.30 pm. in his home at Legavallon Road.

### WEEKDAY MASS TIMES

**St. Patrick's:** Mon. – Fri. 10.00 am. *Note! No 10.00 am. Mass on Saturday.*

**St. Matthew's:** Tues. & Thurs. 9.15 am.

**Church of the Immaculate Conception:**


Mon., Wed. & Fri. 9.15 am.


**CONFESSIONS - St. Patrick's:** Sat. 5.15 - 5.50 pm. *Note! No morning confessions.*

**St. Matthew's Church:** Sun. 9.45 am.

**Church of the Immaculate Conception:** Sat. 6.50 pm.

**BAPTISMS** - Will take place in St. Patrick's Church on the following dates: **JUNE: Sun. 5<sup>th</sup>, Sat. 11<sup>th</sup>, 18<sup>th</sup> & 25<sup>th</sup>** (Sun. at 12.15 pm. and 4.30 pm. on a Sat.) Drumsum and Gortnaghey: by arrangement.

 We welcome into our Christian Community – Jamie Brian McElmoyle, Glenroe Park.

 **FIRST COMMUNION DAY** - The children of **St. John's P. S.** will receive their First Communion on Sat. 28<sup>th</sup> May at **11.00 am.** in St. Patrick's Church.

† **DEATHS** – We extend our sympathy to the O'Kane family circle on the death of Kathleen O'Kane, Mountainview Park, also to the Maguire/McGonigle family circle on the death of Bridie Maguire, Rannyglas. May they rest in peace.

**TERMONBACCA** - Mass in honour of Blessed Alexandrina Sun. 29<sup>th</sup> May at 7.30 pm.

### CEMETERY SUNDAY DATES

**The Immaculate Conception, on Sat. 28<sup>th</sup>**

**May after 7.15 pm. Mass**

**St. Matthew's on Sunday 29<sup>th</sup> May**

**after 10.15 am. Mass.**

**St. Patrick's, on Sunday 29<sup>th</sup> May**

**at 3.00 pm.**

### YEAR OF MERCY DIOCESAN DESIGNATED DAYS FOR EACH DEANERY

We have the privilege of hosting the County Derry Deanery Event in our parish of St. Patrick's on Sunday 5<sup>th</sup> June. Celebrations will commence at 2.00 pm. and finish around 4.00 pm. A procession will leave from St. Patrick's church to the Old Priory, where Mass will be celebrated by Bishop McKeown.

**SOLEMNITY OF CORPUS CHRISTI** – (Body and Blood of Christ) is celebrated on Sun. 29<sup>th</sup> (next Sunday). In honour of this feast, there will be a Corpus Christi procession with the Blessed Sacrament after 11.30 am. Mass in St. Patrick's church, to the Oratory. All children of the parish who have recently made their First Holy Communion are warmly invited to come with their families to this Mass and walk in procession wearing their First Holy Communion clothes. After the procession to the Oratory, Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament will continue for **one hour**, concluding with Benediction. All welcome.

**PILGRIMAGE TO ROME** - Our parish pilgrimage will take place from 26<sup>th</sup> Sept. – 3<sup>rd</sup> Oct. 2016. Cost £730. Spiritual Director: Fr. Séamus Kelly. There are still a small number of places left, if interested contact Martina on 077 1549 0880 or Tel: 777 41219.

*Anyone who has removed books from the Blessed Sacrament Chapel, please return as soon as possible. Thank you.*

### COMMUNION UNDER BOTH SPECIES (BREAD AND WINE) PART 2

Eucharist and the Coeliac Condition

What is Coeliac Condition?

Coeliac condition is an adverse reaction to gliadin, which is a protein in gluten. Gluten is a constituent of common grains such as wheat, and is in a wide range of foods, including the bread for the celebration of the Eucharist. One in every hundred Irish people is estimated to suffer from coeliac condition.

Coeliac condition manifests itself in a continuing immune response that damages the intestines, reduces the absorption of nutrients and creates several discomforting symptoms. It increases the risk of anaemia, osteoporosis, diabetes and other medical conditions. Coeliac condition can even be life threatening. Coeliac sufferers have to adhere to lifelong medical supervision. Their care is assisted by the Coeliac Society of Ireland and by Coeliac UK. The Irish Bishops' Conference wishes to ensure the full participation of coeliac sufferers in the celebration of the Eucharist.

The Pastoral Care of the Faithful with Coeliac Condition in the Celebration of the Eucharist

1. Holy Communion under both kinds for all the assembled faithful is the best means of equal and unencumbered access to Holy Communion for the faithful with coeliac condition. It also serves to avoid identifying their diagnosis to the whole assembly.

2. For bread to be the valid matter for the celebration of the Eucharist, it has to be made only from wheat. It also has to contain a minimum quantity of gluten in order to obtain naturally the confection and nature of bread. Increasingly, this minimal amount is considered problematic for coeliacs. The bishops call on all parishes to administer Holy Communion under both kinds to all the assembly, so that the faithful with gluten intolerance, adults and children, may receive from the chalice only, without difficulty or embarrassment. *(Part 3 next week)*

### CHURCH CLEANERS REQUIRED

To cover the months of March & Sept. in Gortnaghey Chapel, contact the parish office.

**LAST WEEKS COLLECTION: £2,593.**

**DIOCESAN PURPOSES: £1,789.**

### ST. JOSEPH'S YOUNG PREIST SOCIETY

Bus to Knock on Sat. 25<sup>th</sup> June. Leaving Main St. car park at 7.00 am. Cost £35 (Inc. light refreshments & dinner) payable at time of booking. To book contact Betty Ann McNicholl, 59 Main St., Tel: 777 41217.

**WANTED** - Writing desk to help a young person study at a PC. If you have one that you no longer require and would be willing to donate to St. Vincent de Paul please ring our helpline at 079 2792 9923. Alternatively please advise Vincent's shop at Ballyquin Rd.

**DROMANTINE OPEN DAY** - Sun. 5<sup>th</sup> June. Wanted: Unwanted Gifts & Tray Bakes. Leave with T. Donaghy, Sawel Pl. or Sally McCartney, Gortnaghey, by Thurs. 2<sup>nd</sup> June.

**KEVIN LYNCH HURLING CLUB** - *Lotto No's: 3, 4, 11 & 28.* Lucky Dip Winner: Hannah Hinphey. Jackpot £2,575.

**ST. CANICE'S G.A.C.** - *Lotto No's: 16, 24, 25 & 30.* £20: *No winners.* Jackpot £2,900.

**Senior Citizen Dance** - Fri. 27<sup>th</sup> May at 8.00 pm. in the Main Hall. Music by Outbound Express. Transport to/from the event will be provided if required Tel: Cormac (077 5371 8542) or Claire (077 1414 6103).

**DUNGIVEN CELTIC F.C.** - Youth Development Lotto No's: 12, 15, 20 & 26. £25: Gerard Law. Jackpot £3,700. Monthly Draw Winners: £300 - Cahal Hazlett. £200 - Sean McGlinchey. The 2015/16 Annual Youth Presentation will take place on Sun. 5<sup>th</sup> June at 6.00 pm. in St. Canice's Hall. Please ensure all children are seated for 5.50 pm. at the latest and wearing club jersey or quarter zips only for photographs on the night. Use all car-parking spaces available at the rear of the building and as we are expecting large numbers we would encourage anyone who can walk to the hall to do so. The presentation will be for U-8/U-9/U-10/U-11/U-12/U-13/U-15/U-17 teams.

**GORTNAGHEY COMMUNITY CENTRE** - Auld Tyme Dance on Fri. 27<sup>th</sup> May. Music by Aidan Taffe. Adm. £5 (includes light supper).