

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.

WEEKDAY MASS TIMES

St. Patrick's: Mon. – Sat. 10.00 am.

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

Church of the Immaculate Conception:

Mon., Wed. & Fri. 9.15 am.

CONFESSIONS

St. Patrick's Church: Sat. 10.30 – 11.30 am.

& 5.15 - 5.50 pm.

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: **SEPTEMBER: Sun. 4th, Sat. 10th, 17th & 24th.** (Sun. at 12.15 pm. and 4.30 pm. on a Sat.) Drumsum and Gortnaghey by arrangement.

Please note! When booking a Baptism you MUST get a card from the parish office. Booking will not be complete until card is returned to the office. Two weeks notice must be given for all Baptism Bookings.



We welcome into our Christian Community – Evie Marie Rose Donnelly, Bleach Green.

† **DEATHS** – We extend our sympathy to the Fleming family circle on the death of Josie Fleming, Garvagh Road, to the Rafferty family circle on the death of Paddy Rafferty, Legavallon Road. May they rest in peace.

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL

Helpline: 079 279 299 23

BISHOP EDWARD DALY

Last week, our beloved retired bishop, Edward Daly, returned to God. It has been a time to remember Bishop Daly's faithful service of God and the people of this diocese. Over the days many people shared their experiences of meeting with Bishop Edward and the kindness and compassion he showed, in actions both great and small. It was my privilege to lead the Funeral Mass and burial rites. I thank you, the people of this diocese, for your overwhelming response to the death of Bishop Edward, for attending his wake, the liturgies which were celebrated and his funeral. In prayer, we now entrust Bishop Edward's soul to our Eternal Father, that he may be welcomed into his Heavenly Kingdom. May he rest in peace.

+ Donal McKeown, *Bishop of Derry.*

SINCERE THANKS

Nearly 200 people made the Pilgrimage to the Mass Rock last Sunday. A heartfelt thanks to everyone who organised the events and helped in any way.

Please note: All couples getting married in this parish are expected to attend a Pre-Marriage Course. Contact Maghera Pastoral Centre on 028 7964 2983 or visit Accord Catholic Marriage Care Service.

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

Could you spare one hour with me!

Contact the parish office, or phone Gerry or Breidge after hours on 7774 0600.

LAST WEEK'S COLLECTION: £2,494.

YOUTH COLLECTION: £1,050.

Thank you to all who contributed.

ANNUAL S.M.A. MASS

For Sponsors and Promoters will be held in the Conference Room on Tuesday 30th August at 8.00 pm. S.M.A. sponsors contribute £10 per year towards the ordination of S.M.A. Priests, particularly in Africa, the fastest growing Catholic population in the world. If you are already a sponsor or would like to become one you are very welcome to come along to this Mass. Head sponsors who collect sponsorship money will be in attendance at the Mass.

TERMONBACCA

Mass in honour of Blessed Alexandrina on Sunday 28th August at 7.30 pm.

BLESSING OF MOTORBIKERS

A Blessing of Motorbikers will take place in St. Aengus' Church, Burt, on Sunday 11th September at 1.30 pm. This year, we are having a short prayer service and blessing for all bikers and their bikes. All are very welcome from all faiths and none. There will be a collection taken up for the R.N.L.I. at the church and a Motorbike Run to the R.N.L.I. Station at Ned's Point, Bunrana.

ST. PATRICK'S COLLEGE, DUNGIVEN

GCSE results will be available for collection in our Assembly Hall from **10.00 am** this Thursday 25th August. Prospective 6th Form students from all schools are invited to arrange an interview with a member of our Senior Management on Thurs. 25th or Fri. 26th Aug. to secure a place in Year 13. Tel: 777 41324 www.stpatrickscollege.co.uk

KEVIN LYNCH H. C.

Lotto No's: 5, 9, 27 & 30. Lucky Dip Winner: Veronica Kealey. Jackpot £2,900.

THE FIVE CIRCLES PROJECT

Is a new project which aims to reduce the levels of isolation and exclusion experienced by children with learning disabilities and their families, by enhancing access to local communities, increasing skills and learning. You are cordially invited to attend the launch of Destined's Five Circles Project on Wednesday 24th August at 12.00 noon in Feeny Community Association.

"There is currently information circulating in social media that a further collection is being taken up by the Society of Saint Vincent de Paul (SVP) to assist refugees. This is not accurate and no collections are currently being organized. SVP has very limited space and is not able to accommodate goods donated for refugees at this time."

ST. CANICE'S G.A.C.

Lotto No's: 1, 4, 21 & 27. £20: Mairead Kelly. Jackpot £4,200.

10K/5K CHIP TIMED RUN

On 10th September leaving St. Canice's G.A.A. Club at 11.00 am. Registration on the day or online at www.athleticsni.org Also nightly entertainment by "All Folk'd Up" starting at 9.00 pm. sharp in Dungiven G.A.A. Club. All proceeds in aid of CCU Altnagelvin & Royal Hospitals.

WHIST DRIVE

In St. Peter's Hall (today) Sunday 21st August, at 8.00 pm.

LORETO COLLEGE, COLERAINE

Will re-open on Wed. 31st Aug. for Year 8, Year 13 and Senior Prefects Only. On Thurs. 1st Sept. for all Years. Sixth form enquiries Tel: 7034 3611 when you have received your GCSE results on Thurs. 25th Aug. for further information on subjects and availability.