

24th September 2017 **Dungiven Parish Bulletin** No 1394
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SUNDAY MASS TIMES

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

Sun. 9.00 am. & 11.30 am.

St. Matthew's: Sun. 10.15 am.

Immaculate Conception: Sat. 7.15 pm.

WEEKDAY MASS TIMES

St. Patrick's: Mon. – Sat. 10.00 am.

St. Matthew's: Tues. 9.15 am.

Please note! No Mass on Thurs. morning.

Imm. Conception: Mon. 9.15 am.

Please note! No Mass on Wed. morning

MONTHS MIND MASSES

For Rosena Mullan (today) Sun. 24th Sept.
at 10.15 am. in St. Matthew's.

For Charlie McGregor on Fri. 29th Sept. at
7.30 pm. in St. Matthew's.

For Rosemary Mullally on Sun. 1st Oct. at
11.30 am. in St. Patrick's.

FIRST ANNIVERSARY MASS

For Margaret McHugh on Sat. 30th Sept.
at 6.00 pm. Vigil in St. Patrick's.

CONFESSIONS - St. Patrick's: Sat. 10.30 -
11.30 am. & 5.15 - 5.50 pm. St. Matthew's:
Sun. 9.45 am. Imm. Concept.: Sat. 6.50 pm.

BAPTISMS - Will take place in St. Patrick's
Church on the following dates: **OCT. Sun.**
1st, Sat. 7th, 4th & 21st. (Sun. at 12.15 pm. and
4.30 pm. on a Sat.) Drumsurn 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.*



BAPTISM - We welcome into our
Christian Community – Zara Toner,
Glenshane Road & Rosie Hannah
Gormley, Glenroe Park.



We congratulate Siobhan McAteer
& Martin Mullan on the occasion
of their marriage on the 15th Sept.
Coleen Chivers & Diarmuid McErlane on the
occasion of their marriage on the 16th Sept.,
also Claire Beatty & Brian Murphy on the
occasion of their marriage on the 16th Sept.

† **DEATHS** – We extend our sympathy to the
Ward / O'Kane family circle on the death of
David Ward. May he rest in peace.

NOVENA TO ST. THERESE SAT. 30TH SEPT.

FIRST COMMUNION DATES 2018

5th May at 11.00 am. – St. Matthew's.

12th May at 11.00 am. – St. Canice.

12th May at 11.00 am. – St. Mary's.

19th May at 11.00 am. – St. John's.

26th May at 10.00 am. – Gaelscoil.

EUCCHARIST ADORATION - Adorers needed
for Tuesdays from 4.00 – 5.00 pm. Contact
the parish office.

**ANNUAL DERRY DIOCESAN PIONEER
MASS** - In The Church of the Immaculate
Conception, Thornhill, on Sun. 1st Oct. at 3.00
pm. Chief Celebrant: Most Rev. Donal
McKeown. Refreshments afterwards in
Thornhill House. All Pioneers and friends are
invited to attend.

**TERMONBACCA - Triduum in Honour of
St. Therese.** Beginning with Mass on Fri. 29th
Sept. at 7.30 pm. Mass on Sat. 30th Sept. at
7.30 pm. Concluding with Mass and the
Blessing of the Roses on Sun. 1st Oct. at 7.30
pm. The speaker for the Triduum is Fr.
Vincent O' Hara O.C.D. - A well-known
authority on Saint Therese. Mass in honour
of Blessed Alexandrina (today) Sun. 24th Sept.
at 7.30 pm.

S.V.P. - HELPLINE: 079 279 299 23

MARY AND MERCY TOUR - World-
renowned author and speaker Fr. Michael
Gaitley will come to tour Ireland from 6th –
10th Oct. 2017. He will speak on Marian
Consecration and Divine Mercy. Fr. Gaitley is
the author of the best selling book *33 Days to
Morning Glory* and will help us prepare for
Mass consecration of Ireland beginning on 5th
Nov. and concluding on 8th Dec. He will
donate free copies of his best selling book to
all who attend the events. Fr. Gaitley will
speak in St. Columba's Church, Longtower on
Tues. 10th October at 8.00 pm. For more
information check out timeofmercy.info

ST. PATRICK'S CHURCH - *Extraordinary
Ministers of the Eucharist for Oct. - 6.00 pm.*
– Annie J. Kealey & Rory McGilligan. **9.00
am.** – Mary Grieve, Margaret McCloskey &
Agnes Bonner. **11.30 am.** – Monica Mullin,
Bernadette & Martin Millar.

READERS FOR OCT. 6.00 pm. – Mary K.
McDermott. **9.00 am.** – Eamon Dallett.
11.30 am. – Cora O'Kane.

ALTAR SOCIETY FOR OCT. – St. Patrick's:
Annie Jo Kealey. *Imm. Concept.* – Glenda
Ferris & Noleen Burke. (Flowers: Bernie
McConway). *St. Matthew's:* Denise Kelly &
Nuala Murray. *Ground Maintenance:* Eunan
Rafferty & Sean Canning.

**COLLECTORS FOR OCT. – St. Patrick's -
6.00 pm.** – Denis Kelly, Fionnbharr Grieve,
Louis McReynolds & Johnny O'Kane. **9.00
am.** – Eamon Dallett, Sean O'Kane, Terence
McMacken & Colin Anderson. **11.30 am.** –
Dominic Magee, Eugene Kelly, Martin
McIlvenny & Colin M. O'Kane. *St.
Matthew's* – Sean Farrell, Sean Canning &
John T Mullan.

LAST WEEKS COLLECTION: £2,089.

EMIGRANTS' COLLECTION: £1,091.

Thank you to all who contributed.

THE POPE JOHN PAUL II AWARDS –
Commences on Tues. 26th Sept. from 7.30 –
8.30 pm. in the Conference Room.

KEVIN LYNCH H.C. - *Lotto No's: 10, 12, 23
& 27.* Lucky Dip: Laurence O'Hara. Jackpot
£2,475.

HIKE TO CROAGH PATRICK - Do you fancy
a trip to Westport, County Mayo, combined
with a hike of one of Ireland's famous
mountains 'Croagh Patrick'? Well now could
be the chance! The trip will be on Friday 6th
Oct., for those aged 16+. Cost £30 includes
dinner and bus. For further details about the
trip or to get a booking form, please contact
Diocesan Catechetical Centre on 7126 4087 or
email rebecca.odoherty@derrydiocese.org

BENEDY CENTRE - Jiving Class on Mon. 25th
Sept. @ 7.30 pm. BTEC Level 3 Award in
Paediatric First Aid, Tues. 26th Sept. from 7.00
– 9.00 pm. Yoga Class starting on Wed. 27th
Sept. at 7.00 pm.

DUNGIVEN BRIDGE CLUB – Beginners &
Improvers Bridge Class starting in Dungiven
Library on Mon. 25th Sept. at 2.00 pm. All
welcome.

ST. CANICE G.A.C. - *Lotto No's: 5, 15, 18 &
27.* £20: Tiernan O'Mahoney, Shea
McKeever, A. McCormick & Mary Donaghy.
Jackpot £6,200. *Next draw is on 29th Sept.*

GORTNAGHEY CENTRE - Auld Tyme Dance
on Fri. 29th Sept. Music: Glenshane Country,
Adm. £5 (Inc. light supper).

**ANNUAL HARVEST SERVICES IN
DUNGIVEN PARISH CHURCH** – Fri. 22nd
Sept. at 8.00 pm. (followed by supper in the
parish hall). Guest preacher Rev. Ken
McLaughlin, retired Rector of Inver. Sun. 24th
Sept. at 10.00 am. Guest preacher Rev. David
Luckman, Ireland Team Leader of Crosslinks
Mission. Sun 24th Sept. at 7.00 pm. (followed
by supper in the parish hall). Guest preacher
Rev. Suzanne Cousins, Rector of Merville.

FAMILY CARE ADOPTION SERVICES - A
core part of our work is to place children with
new adoptive families. These children are
often from the care system and may have had
a difficult start in life. We are experienced in
finding families for these children but given
the number of children being referred and
their specific needs we are always looking for
families to come forward. email:
brian.downey@familycaresociety.org