

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 Moville.

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