15th April 2018 **Dungiven Parish Bulletin** No 1423 Fr. Séamus Kelly P.P. Tel: 777 41219. Fr. Joseph Varghese C.C. Tel: 777 41256. Fr. David O'Kane (Claudy) Tel: 71 337 727. Fr. Patrick Baker (Banagher) Tel: 777 81223. Fr. Arthur O'Reilly (Foreglen) Tel: 71 338 261.

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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. Note! No Mass on Thursday morning. Imm. Conception: Mon. 9.15 am. Note! No Mass on Wednesday morning?

FIRST ANNIVERSARY MASSES

For Patricia Farren on Fri. 20th April at 8.00 pm. in St. Patrick's.

For Catherine Curran on Sat. 21st April at 6.00 pm. in St. Patrick's.

CONFESSIONS - St. Patrick's: Sat. 10.30 – 11.00 am & 5.30 - 5.50 pm. **St. Matthew's:** Sun. 9.45 am. **Imm. Concept.** Sat. 6.50 pm.



BAPTISM – We welcome into our Christian Community – Orlaith Katie Bradley, Finvola Park.

BAPTISMS – Will take place in St. Patrick's Church on the following dates: April: Sat. 21st. May: Sun. 6th, Sat. 12th, 19th & 26th. (Sun. at 12.15 pm. and 4.30 pm. on a Sat.) Drumsurn & Gortnaghey by arrangement.

PREPARE FOR BAPTISM PROGRAMME Will take place at 7.30 pm. on Wed. 25th April in the Conference Room.

T DEATHS – We extend our sympathy to the Donaghy family circle on the death of Patsy Donaghy, Sawel Place. May he rest in peace.

LAST WEEK'S COLLECTION: £1,921 Thank you to all who contributed.

WORLD MEETING OF FAMILIES AND OUR PARISH PREPARATION

In preparation for the World Meeting of Families in August there will be a series of six 'Parish Conversations' starting on Wednesday April 18th from 7.30 – 8.30 pm. Each Parish Conversation will consist of small group discussions on aspects of Family life with additional material being provided via video clips.

We all belong to families so we should have a lot to talk about. Pope Francis' document, 'The Joy of Family Life' will guide us in our deliberations. These discussions will be open, friendly and non-judgemental and will allow us to feel included in our preparation for the Pope's visit. In addition to discussions, the video material and musical items will add variety and relevance. Each hour-long session will end with a cup of tea. The more parishioners that take part the better, so spread the word especially to those in the community who are not regular Mass attenders. They will be particularly welcome. Please ring parish office to book a place. There is no charge for this course.



DO THIS IN MEMORY PROGRAMME. LEARNING ABOUT THE MASS WITH KATH AND QUMEN.

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

When everyone has received communion the priest will return to his chair and pray quietly for a few minutes. The choir may sing a song at this time. The priest then stands and prays the Prayer after Communion. During this prayer we pray that we can take what we have received during the Mass with us as we return to our daily lives. We also pray that we can use this to make a difference in our world.

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

CEMETERY SUNDAY DATES

Immaculate Conception, on Sat. 26th May after 7.15 pm. Mass
St. Matthew's on Sunday 27th May

after 10.15 am. Mass. St. Patrick's, on Sunday 27th May at 3.00 pm.

PADRE PIO - Mass, followed by Devotions will take place on Mon. 16th April at 7.30 pm. in the Longtower Church, Derry.

PARISH FINANCIAL STATEMENT 2017 ACCOUNTS - On Monday night our accountant John Quigg presented the Parish Accounts for 2017, and finds everything in order. We would like to pay a special word of thanks to John for looking after the Parish Accounts. A summary copy of our finances is on the notice board of all the churches, or if you would like a copy, please call at the parish office.

'BOTH LIVES MATTER' ROAD SHOW

City Hotel, Derry, on Wednesday 18th April at 7.30 pm. Prominent speakers. Please join us in our fight for the unborn and their mothers.

YOUTH 2000 – Youth weekend 20th – 22nd April 2018 in St. Patrick's College (St. Mary's Building), Maghera. A weekend of fun, faith and friendships. Group activities, inspiring talks, workshops prayer and more. Ages 16 – 35. Register @ www.youth2000.ie

What to expect? Good craic! Excellent Speakers, Inspiring talks and workshops, prayer, great music, group activities, Youth Masses, Adoration, a Healing Service, games, lots of time to chill out and meet new people. For more details see www.youth2000.ie or email: office@youth2000.ie

The weekend is being organised by young people for young people. Parental consent is essential for all those under 18. All meals are provided for and accommodation is on site! Don't let money be an obstacle; just bring any donation and a sleeping bag. Newcomers very welcome!

BENEDY CENTRE

Benbradagh Club on Wed. 18th April @ 8.30 pm. Music by Fanadian. Admission: £4. Yoga on Wednesday nights @ 7.00 pm. CSR Training on 21st April & 5th May. To book Tel: Caroline 777 43737 or Mary on 078 4330 5959. Jim & Eileen will be in the centre on Mon. 23rd April at 7.30 pm. to complete Single Farm Payment forms/applications.

GLENSHANE CARE ASSOCIATION

Two-Day Pop-Up Clothing Shop and Coffee Morning Tues. 17th & Wed. 18th April from 11.00 am – 1.00 pm. at Glenshane Care Centre, Legavallon Road.

TOWN CLEAN UP

Meeting on Wed. 18th April at 7.00 pm in Dungiven Sports Pavilion to arrange town clean up. Environmental Services and Housing Executive will be in attendance. Everyone welcome, community groups, sporting bodies and local residents.

CHILDREN IN CROSSFIRE

Are inviting you! Walk the pilgrim's path of the Camino De Santiago this year, to help children in Tanzania and Ethiopia. From 31st July - 6th August 2018. For more information Telephone: 028 7126 9898 or email ronan.mccay@childrenincrossfire.org

KEVIN LYNCH H.C. - Lotto No's: (2nd April) 15, 18, 20 & 27. Lucky Dip: Jean McTaggart. Lotto No's: 10, 13, 19 & 21. (9th April) Lucky Dip: Julie McGlinchey. Jackpot: £2,600.

WHIST DRIVE

In St. Peter's Hall (today) Sunday 14th April at 8.00 pm.

FOUND

A small purse with beads and money. Owner can claim it at the parish office.

Please Note! All notices for the bulletin to be in the office by Wed. at 5.00 pm.