

#### 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. & Thur. 9.15 am.

Imm. Conception: Mon. & Wed. 9.15 am.

#### FIRST ANNIVERSARY MASS

For Charlie McGregor today Sun. 26<sup>th</sup> August at 10.15 am. in St. Matthew's.

CONFESSIONS - St. Patrick's: Sat. 10.30 - 11.30 am. & 5.30 - 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: **September: Sat. 8<sup>th</sup>, 15<sup>th</sup> & 22<sup>nd</sup>.** (Sun. at 12.15 pm. and 4.30 pm. on a Sat.) Drumsum & Gortnaghey by arrangement.

#### PREPARE FOR BAPTISM PROGRAMME

Will take place on Mon. 3<sup>rd</sup> Sept. and Wed. 19<sup>th</sup> Sept. at 7.30 pm. in the conference room.



BAPTISM - We welcome into our Christian Community: Rosie O'Kane, Ard-na-Smol, Anna Margaret McCloskey, Ardcairn, Luán Ben McCloskey, Ardcairn and Anna-Rose Kelly, Boviell.



WEDDING BELLS - We congratulate Nuala McCloskey & Fionntan McGuckin on the occasion of their marriage on the 18<sup>th</sup> Aug. and Rose Mullan & Colin O'Kane on the occasion of their marriage on the 23<sup>rd</sup> Aug.

✠ DEATHS - We extend our sympathy to the McElhinney family circle on the death of Annie McElhinney, Sawel Place. May she rest in peace.

#### TELEVISED POPE'S MASS.

Everyone is invited to come along to St. Patrick's Church, as we are having live coverage of the Pope's Mass in Phoenix Park, today Sunday 26<sup>th</sup> August at 3.00 pm. Communion will be distributed in the church. This will survice for your Sunday obligation. *Please bring a cushion as the Pope's Mass will last for 1 - 1¼ hours.*

LAST SUNDAY'S COLLECTION £2,185  
*Thank you to all who contributed.*

TERMONBACCA - Mass in honour of Blessed Alexandrina today Sun. 26<sup>th</sup> Aug. 7.30 pm. Mass for the Sick will take place on Tuesday 28<sup>th</sup> August, beginning at 7.30 pm. There will also be a First Class Relic of Saint Peregrine available at this Mass for veneration.

DUNGIVEN ST. VINCENT DE PAUL - Are asking for donated items e.g. clothes, bric-a-brac, toys and books for their shop in Ballyquin Road. We thank everyone who donate to us regularly and ask for your continued support. Help us to help our parishioners. Thank you.

ST. CANICE'S G.A.C. - *Lotto No's: 5, 12, 25 & 27.* £20: Kai O'Kane, Shauna Donaghy, Christopher McCusker, Anna Hasson & Marie McCarthy. Jackpot £10,900.

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

ST. PATRICK'S CHURCH - *Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist for Sept:* 6.00 pm. - James McClarey, Willie McGrellis & Frances Lynch. 9.00 am. - Anne Hasson. 11.30 am. - Dominic Magee & Celine McKenna.

READERS FOR SEPT: 6.00 pm. - Maria McLaughlin. 9.00 am. - Eamon Dallett. 11.30 am. - Cora O'Kane.

ALTAR SOCIETY FOR SEPT. - St. Patrick's: Carol McNicholl & Suzanne Brady. Imm. Concept: Donna Cartin. St. Matthew's: Alice, Aimee & Alicia McNicholl. Ground Maintenance: Eugene McCloskey & Eugene Devlin.

COLLECTORS FOR SEPT: - *St. Patrick's* - 6.00 pm. - Patsy McCloskey, Sean Boyle, Willie McGrellis & James McClarey. 9.00 am. - Christine McCloskey, John McNicholl, James Craig & Patrick Murphy. 11.30 am. - Jude Farren, Kevin McNicholl & Martin Millar. *St. Matthew's* - Francis McCauley, Aidan Rafferty & Shaun Devlin.

*Due to the new European data protection laws, which came into force on the 25<sup>th</sup> May this year, the hospital will no longer supply the priest with a list of people from this parish in hospital. Please let the office know when you have a relative in hospital and a priest from the parish will try to visit them. Contact the parish office or any of the Priests.*

HANDS THAT TALK - CLOTHING APPEAL... Please support the Deaf Community by donating: Good clean clothing, school uniforms, small bric-a-brac items, furniture etc. We can collect unwanted items from your home, please contact us to arrange collection. We will also help you with any house clearance etc. if required! Bags can be dropped into H.T.T. Mon. - Thurs. 9.00 am. - 5.00 pm. Tel: 777 42776 / text 079 1221 0803.

Catholic Grandparents Association - Annual National Pilgrimage, Knock Shrine, 9<sup>th</sup> September at 2.30 pm. Everybody welcome to come along, to honour and thank Grandparents, alive and dead, for all they have done for us down through generations. Chief Celebrant Archbishop Jude Thaddeus Okolo, Apostolic Nuncio. Combined Choirs of Knock Parish, the Tuttle Family and Dana will sing 'Our Lady of Knock.' Children are asked to write a prayer for their grandparent(s) and all prayers brought / sent to Knock Shrine will be blessed on the day. Web: www.catholicgrandparentsassociation.org *Sts Joachim and Anne*, Parents of Mary, Grandparents of Jesus, *pray for us.*

#### SAFEGUARDING OUR CHILDREN

If you have concerns about the welfare and safety of children participating in any parish activities, please contact one of our Parish Representatives: Mrs Mary McCloskey, Tel: 777 41768 (Dungiven area), Mr Colm Brolly, Tel: 777 42570 (Gortnaghey area), or Mrs Alice McNicholl, Tel: 777 40007, (Drumsum area).

BENEDY CENTRE - Beginners' Yoga for 5 weeks starting on Mon. 3<sup>rd</sup> Sept. from 7.00 - 8.00 pm. £20 for 5 weeks. New tutor. CSR One Day Training course on Sat. 8<sup>th</sup> Sept. Contact Harley on 777 43737 or Mary on 0784 330 5959 to secure your place.

THE FOUR GAELIC CLUBS AND GLÓR - Have come together to organise a Community day to remember Gaelic Sunday on 26<sup>th</sup> August. The day will be called Lá na nGael. We'll be starting with a parade at 1.30 pm. from the bus station and continuing to Páirc Uí Catháin where there'll be lots of activities and games throughout the day. Please check our Facebook page Lá na nGael for more updates and the itinerary.

KEVIN LYNCH H.C. - *Lotto No's: 16, 17, 20 & 26.* Lucky Dip: Dympna O'Kane. Jackpot £3,075.