

10th March 2019 **Dungiven Parish Bulletin** No 1470
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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.

**EARLY MORNING MASS DURING LENT
ON TUESDAYS & THURSDAY AT 7.00 AM.**

WEEKDAY MASS TIMES

St. Patrick's: Mon. - Sat. 10.00 am.

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

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

STATIONS OF THE CROSS

St. Patrick's: Wed. after 10.00 am. Mass.

St. Matthew's: Tues. after 9.15 am. Mass

Imm. Conception: Mon. after 9.15 am. Mass.

FIRST ANNIVERSARY MASS

For Gary O'Neill on Thurs. 14th March at
7.30 pm.

MONTHS MIND MASS

For Tony McCloskey on Sat. 16th March
at 6.00 pm. Vigil in St. Patrick's.

CONFESSIONS - St. Patrick's: Sat. 10.30 –
11.00 am. & 5.30 - 5.50 pm. **St. Matthew's:**
Sun. 10.00 am. **Imm. Concept.** Sat. 7.00 pm.



BAPTISM – We welcome into our
Christian Community – Hallie Beth
Conwell, Foreglen Road.

PREPARE FOR BAPTISM PROGRAMME

Will take place on Wed. 20th March at 7.30
pm. in conference room.

BAPTISMS - Will take place in St. Patrick's
Church on the following dates: **March: Sat.
23rd. April: Sun. 7th, Sat. 13th & 27th.** (Sun.
at 12.15 pm. and 4.30 pm. on a Sat.)
Drumturn & Gortnaghey by arrangement.

**OFFERTORY GIFT ENVELOPES – Will be
distributed at the end of March. If anyone
requires envelopes please contact the parish
office as soon as possible.**

PRIEST COLLECTION: £3,062

Thank you to all who contributed.

*Please note there will be two collections next
weekend, the ordinary weekend collection
plus the Clerical Education & Ongoing
Formation Collection. (Please use yellow
envelope provided for this).*

FR. SEAMUS' HOME VISITS

The Sick and those confined to their homes
will be visited as follows: **Mon. 11th March
from 10.30 am.** – Ballygudden, Altmover
Rd., Beech Rd., Gortnaghey, Gortnaghey Rd.,
Pollysbrae Rd., Foreglen Rd., Dernaflaw Rd.,
Tues. 12th March from 10.30 am. - Main St.,
Sawel Pl., New St., Holmlea Pk., Station
Rd./Ave., Ard-na-Grann, Rannylglas, Ard-na-
Smol, Mountain View Pk. & Legavallon Rd.

Fold Mass: Wed. 13th at 10.00 am.

FR. JOSEPH'S HOME VISITS

The Sick and those confined to their homes
will be visited as follows: will be visited as
follows: **Mon. 11th March from 10.30 am.**
Mitchel Park, Pellipar Park, Priory Rd.,
Gelvin Rd., Gortnagross Rd., Gortnarney Rd.,
Beech Rd., Drumturn, Rushie Park, Drumturn
Rd. **Tues. 12th March from 10.30 am.**
Glenshane Rd., Magherabuoy, Abbeyfields,
Glenroe Pk., Finvola Pk., O'Cathain's Pl. &
Curragh Rd.

**LEARNING ABOUT THE MASS WITH
KATH AND QUMEN – THE HOMILY.** We all
sit down to listen to what the priest/deacon has to
say about the readings we have heard and how we
might be able to put this into practice in our
everyday lives. We call this the homily. The
priest/deacon normally stands at the ambo to give
the homily. At the end of the homily the priest may
sit down and we can spend a few minutes in quiet
prayer. This time lets us think about what the
priest has said and ask God to help us to live, as he
would want us to.

LENTEN PROGRAMME - Our Lenten
Programme will take place on the Sunday's of
Lent at 5.00 pm. in St. Patrick's.

1st Sunday Lent (10th March) - *Eucharistic
Healing Service.*

2nd Sunday Lent (17th March) - *St. Patrick's
Day. No Service.*

3rd Sunday Lent (24th March) - *Confirmation
Day. No Service.*

4th Sunday Lent (31st March) - *Mother's Day:
No Service.*

5th Sunday Lent (7th April) - *Sacramental
Anointing Service.*

Palm Sunday (14th April) St. Patrick's at 5.00
pm. *Penitential Service* with extra priests
available for confession. We will repeat the
Service we had at Christmas with people just
coming up to the priest and saying they are
sorry for their sins.

MEDJUGORJE PRAYER MEETING - Young
Adult Medjugorje prayer meeting will take place in
our parish during the Tuesdays of Lent beginning
12th March. Minimum age 18. Time 7.30 pm.

HEALING AND REVIVAL RETREAT In St.
Patrick's Church, Dungiven. The Holy Season
of Lent is a wonderful time for spiritual
renewal and we have the opportunity of
availing of this in a short parish retreat from
2.00 – 5.00 pm. Fri. 22nd March. The treat
will be led by Fr. Shyju Chacko (AFCM U.K.)
and his team. Schedule will be: **2.00 pm.**
Music. **2.30 pm.** Rosary. **3.00 pm.** Lenten
Talk. **3.30 pm.** Holy Mass, followed by
Eucharistic Adoration and Healing service.
Everyone welcome.

ST PATRICK'S WEEKEND - At the IOSAS
centre and Celtic Prayer Garden, Muff – Sat. 16th
March: 11.00 am. Mass in St. Canice Oratory; live
music by I AM Worship, followed by lunch and
live traditional Irish music, with Arts and crafts for
children.

KEVIN LYNCH H.C. - *Lotto No's: 6, 9, 20 &
28.* Lucky dip: Brendan Óg Kelly. Jackpot
£2,025.

ST. CANICE'S G.A.C. - *Lotto No's: 6, 15, 16
& 30.* £20: Pearse Leonard. Jackpot £4,700.

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

**ANNUAL YOUTH PILGRIMAGE TO
CROAGH PATRICK** - Takes place on Fri. 5th
April 2019, for young people aged between 16 and
25. The price of the trip is £30, which includes
food and transport. Buses will be leaving from
Derry and Strabane. Registration Form can be
found on the Diocesan website,
www.derrydiocese.org Completed Registration
Forms should be returned to the Catechetical
Centre, 2 Francis St., Derry, BT48 7DS by Fri. 29th
March. Email padraig.delargy@derrydiocese.org
or Tel: Padraig on 028 7126 4087.

YOUTH ALPHA FOR LENT - We are inviting
young people aged 16 - 18 years to consider taking
part in Youth Alpha this Lent. The Youth Alpha
film series is designed to help teenagers engage in
some of life's most important questions and help
them explore faith. The series begins **Wed. 13th
March in Maghera Pastoral Centre from 7.00 –
8.30 pm.** and will run for six Wednesdays. This
course can count towards the Pope John Paul II
Award but is open to all young people aged 16 - 18.
If you'd like to sign up please email
yvonne.rooney@derrydiocese.org or Tel: 028 7126
4087. Parental Consents are required and can be
assessed from the parish office or at
www.derrydiocese.org

SAVE OUR SPERRINS – Public meeting in St.
Canice's Hall / Glór Dhún Geimhin, at 8.00
pm. on Mon. 11th March, to inform our
community about the dangers of cyanide
mining being proposed for our local area.

BENEDY CENTRE - CSR One Day Training
course: 16th & 30th March. Contact Harley
Tel: 777 43737 or Mary Tel: 0784 330 5959.

GELVIN HISTORICAL SOCIETY – Will
launch their magazine *Gelvin Times* on Sat. 16th
March at 12 noon in the Library, Main St.
Contains numerous news items, images and stories
covering the past 200 years but especially the
1800s. Read about the Parish Churches of St.
Patrick's (1820; 1884 & 1934) and St. Matthew's
(1900 & 1902) plus much more from the wider Roe
Valley area. Available in local outlets commencing
18th March. Price £5.

BANAGHER PARISH - Will be issuing grass-
cutting contracts for Fincairn and Foreglen
graveyards. Applications can be submitted for one
or both graveyards. For details of requirements
contact the Parish Office on 028 777 81223 or
email banagherparish3@btinternet.com. Closing
date for applications is 29th March 2019.