12th May 2019 **Dungiven Parish Bulletin** No 1479 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. & Thurs. 9.15 am. Imm. Conception: Mon. & Wed. 9.15 am.

FIRST ANNIVERSARY MASSES

For Melissa Mulhern on Sat. 18th May at 6.00 pm. in St. Patrick's Church. For Philomena McCloskey on Sun. 19th May at 11.30 am. in St. Patrick's Church. 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 - Cara Marion McLaughlin, O'Cathain's Place, Fiadh Cecilia Martin, Lackagh Park and Sean Harry O'Kane, Knockcullen.

BAPTISMS - Will take place in St. Patrick's Church on the following dates: May: Sat. 25th. June: Sun. 2nd, Sat. 8th, 15th & 22nd. (Sun. at 12.15 pm. and 4.30 pm. on a Sat.) Drumsurn & Gortnaghey by arrangement.

PREPARE FOR BAPTISM PROGRAMME Will take place on Wed. 22nd May at 7.30 pm. in committee room.

WEDDING BELLS - We congratulate Bridgeen McCloskey & Matthew Regan on the occasion of their marriage on the 3rd May.

DEATHS – We extend our sympathy to Cooke family circle on the death of Tammy Cooke, Ard-na-Smol. May she rest in peace.

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

MEDJUGORJE PRAYER MEETING

For the Month of May the Medjugorje Prayer Group invite you to join them for the **Rosary** at 7.30 pm. on Tuesday evenings. Depending on the weather the Rosary will be at the Grotto or the Conference Room.

FR. SEAMUS' HOME VISITS

The Sick and those confined to their homes will be visited as follows: Mon. 13th May from 10.30 am. - Ballygudden, Bovevagh Rd., Altmover Rd., Beech Rd., Gortnaghey, Gortnaghev Rd., Pollysbrae Rd., Foreglen Rd., Dernaflaw Rd., Tues. 14th May from 10.30 am. - Main St., Sawel Pl., New St., Holmlea Pk., Station Rd./Ave., Ard-na-Grann, Rannyglas, Mountain View Pk. & Legavallon

Fold Mass: Wed. 15th at 11.00 am.

FR. JOSEPH'S HOME VISITS

The Sick and those confined to their homes will be visited as follows: will be visited as follows: Wed. 15th May from 10.30 am. Mitchel Park / Crescent, Pellipar Park, Priory Rd., Gelvin Rd., Gortnagross Rd., Gortnarney Rd., Beech Rd., Drumsurn, Rushie Park, Drumsurn Rd. Thurs. 16th May from 10.30 am. Glenshane Rd., Magherabuoy, Abbeyfields, Glenroe Pk., Finvola Pk., O'Cathain's Pl. & Curragh Rd.



FIRST COMMUNION DAY - The children of St. Canice P.S., will receive their First Communion on Sat. 18th May at **11.00 am.** in St. Patrick's Church. Also the children of St. Mary's P.S., Gortnaghey, will receive their First Communion on Sat. 18th May at **10.00 am.** in the Church of Immaculate Conception.

WHIST DRIVE - In St. Peter's Hall (today) Sun. 12th May at 8.00 pm.

CEMETERY SUNDAY DATES 2019 Immaculate Conception: Sat. 1st June after 7.15 pm. Mass St. Matthew's: Sun. 2nd June after 10.15 am. Mass. St. Patrick's: Sun. 2nd June at 3.00 pm.

THE CHURCH, MOTHER OF VOCATIONS. Pope Francis Message For Vocations Sunday 2016 - All the baptized may experience the joy of belonging to the Church and rediscover that the Christian vocation, just like every particular vocation, is born from within the People of God, and is a gift of divine mercy. We give thanks for the role of the community in each person's vocational journey. Each vocation in the Church has its origin in the compassionate gaze of Jesus. God calls us to become a part of the Church and, after we have reached a certain maturity within it, he bestows on us a specific vocation. The vocational journey is undertaken together with the brothers and sisters whom the Lord has given to us. Vocations are born within the Church, in this way, the community becomes the home and the family where vocations are born. Vocations grow within the Church; vocations are sustained by the Church. Communities of faith can become, after the example of the Blessed Virgin Mary, like a mother's womb which welcomes the gift of the Holy Spirit (cf. Lk 1: 35-38). The motherhood of the Church finds expression in constant prayer for vocations and in the work of educating and accompanying all those who perceive God's call. We ask the Lord to grant to all those who are on a vocational journey a deep sense of belonging to the Church; and that the Holy Spirit may strengthen among Pastors, and all of the faithful, a deeper sense of communion, discernment and spiritual fatherhood and motherhood.

PARISH PILGRIMAGE TO MEDJUGORJE: 25^{TH} MAY -1^{ST} JUNE 2019.

Due to a cancellation there are two places available on the pilgrimage.

Contact Martina for details Tel: 077 1549 0880

TROCAIRE COLLECTION £11.905

Includes £400 raised by St. Patrick's College, Dungiven. Thank you to all who contributed.

PRIEST'S COLLECTION: £2.656

Thank you to all who contributed. Please note there will be two collections this weekend, the ordinary weekend collection plus the Diocesan Purposes Collection. (Please use yellow envelope provided).

ST. JOSEPH'S YOUNG PRIESTS SOCIETY Easter Draw Winners: Una Fleming and

Jonathan Millar. A total of £744 was collected. Thank you.

DERRY DIOCESAN PILGRIMAGE TO LOUGH DERG - The annual pilgrimage to Lough Derg will take place Fri. 21st – Sun. 23rdJune. Spiritual Director: Bishop Donal McKeown. Please consider participating in the diocesan pilgrimage this year. A bus is being arranged from Derry for those who wish to avail of it. £80 per person (inc. bus) or £65 for students (ages 16 - 18) inc. bus. For those making their own way to Lough Derg the cost is £65 / €75. To book a place on the bus, Tel: 028 71264087 Email: padraig.delargy@derrydiocese.org

P.T.A.A. - Mass for the intentions of all Pioneers and total abstainers will be celebrated in St. Mary's Church, Ardmore, on Tues. 21st May at 8.00 pm. Everyone welcome. Light refreshments will be served.

LETS CHANGE TOMORROW - Fashion & Bridal Show with Wedding Fare, in Owenbeg Centre, on Sat. 1st June at 7.30 pm. Fashion by Rósóir, Pure, Esquires & Victoria Ivy Bride. Tickets £12. Available from names shops or committee members. All proceeds for World Emergencies.

BENEDY COMMUNITY ASSOC. Benbradagh Club: Wed. 15th May @ 8.30 pm. KEVIN LYNCH H.C. – Lotto No's: 17. 18. 21 & 29. Lucky dip: Olivia McCloskey. Jackpot £2,250.

ST. CANICE'S G.A.C. - Lotto No's: 2. 3. 4 & 24. £20: Claire McElhinney. Jackpot £5,600.

FOUND - Sun Glasses 'Nine West' on the Killew Road. Contact the parish office.