

21st July 2019 **Dungiven Parish Bulletin** No 1489
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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:

Monday – Saturday 10.00 am.

St. Matthew's:

Tuesday & Thursday 9.15 am.

Immaculate Conception:

Monday & Wednesday 9.15 am.

FIRST ANNIVERSARY MASS

For Gerard McCloskey, Gelvin, on Tuesday 23rd July at 7.30 pm. in St. Matthew's Church.

MEMORIAL MASS

In St. Patrick's Church, on Wednesday 24th July at 7.30 pm. For Jim Kolocotronis, *husband of Gertrude Brolly formerly of Station Rd.*, who died in New Jersey, America, on the 1st December 2018.

DERRY DIOCESAN SOCIETY

The 10.00 am. Mass on Thursday 25th July, will be celebrated for all deceased members of the society. If you are unable to attend this Mass, please offer your family prayers on Thursday evening for that same intention.

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.

PREPARE FOR BAPTISM PROGRAMME

Will take place on Wed. 24th July at 7.30 pm. in committee room.

BAPTISM – We welcome into our Christian Community – Katie Brigid O'Kane, Glenshane Road and Finley Brian O'Doherty, Ard-na-Grann.



BAPTISMS - Will take place in St. Patrick's Church on the following dates: **August: Sun. 4th, Sat. 10th, 17th & 24th.** (Sun. at 12.15 pm. and 4.30 pm. on a Sat.) *Drumsumn & Gortnaghey by arrangement.*

Mass will be celebrated at the Mass Rock in Glenshane Forest next **Sunday 28th July at 3.00 pm.** Please be ready to start walking at **2.00 pm. sharp.** Transport will also be available. *Normal Sunday collection will be taken up at the Mass.*

TERMONBACCA

Mass in honour of Blessed Alexandrina will be held next Sunday 28th July at 7.30 pm. Everyone welcome.

SILENT RETREAT

Theme: "If you but knew the gift of God..." **Preached by:** Fr. Kilian Byrne.

Venue: Ards Retreat Centre, Letterkenny, Co. Donegal. **Date:** 16th – 22nd September. **Cost:** €390 full board.

Contact: Helen: 086 1678027/hellywilliams@gmail.com
www.foyerofcharity.ie

A privileged time to come away from noise and distractions, and listen to the Spirit of God, - Who is Love. Silence, prayer, teachings & liturgy of the Church.

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

LAST SUNDAY'S COLLECTION: £1,990

Thank you to all who contributed.

'LETS CHANGE TOMORROW'

As the result of our recent Fashion Show in Owenbeg, Dungiven, 'Lets Change Tomorrow' have donated £4,000 to the crisis in Yemen, where people are starving to death and in urgent need to medical aid. We also donated £500 towards the plight of children in Gaza. We would like to say a big thank you to all those who contributed to fundraising event and donated to 'Lets Change Tomorrow'.

KEVIN LYNCH H.C.

Lotto No's: 3, 6, 17 & 18. Lucky dip: Jean McTaggart. Jackpot £2,500.

ST. CANICE'S G. A. C.

Lotto No's: (Friday 5th July) - 10, 18, 19, 26. No £20 winners.

Lotto No's: (Friday 12th July) - 9, 16, 19, 23. £20 winners: Paula Burke, Sharon O'Hara & C. McLaughlin. Jackpot: £6,600.

WHIST DRIVE

In St. Peter's Hall (today) Sunday 21st July at 8.00 pm.

FOUND – Two Holy Medals on the Hass Road, Tel: 077 3252 3718.

Please let the Priests know when you have a relative in hospital, we would like to visit them. Contact the parish office or any of the Priests.

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: 079 9942 3906, (Drumsumn area).

PRAYER

(Sts Louis and Zélie Martin)

Our Father, through the loving intercession of Sts Louis and Zélie Martin, parents of St. Thérèse, I ask for protection against all Senile Dementia and Alzheimer's disease. Heavenly Father, God almighty, Your presence brings healing, wholeness and holiness. I ask You to heal those who are taken from their families through mental deterioration. You make all things new (Rev 21:5). You created us because You love us. Do not abandon us in the autumn of our years when we are getting to know You better and only wish to pass on this wisdom to the children and grandchildren. Look on us with pity, we who are parents; from You, Father, all parenthood comes. Bless us always with sound mental health. You say, 'My faithful love will never leave you' (Is 54:10). Father, may You be known, loved and honoured with a special devotion. Amen.

PRAYER

(Santa Maria dei tumori)

Holy Mary, Mother of God, Health of the Sick, intercede for us. By His death and resurrection, your Son opened for us the doors to his grace, the source of health of soul and body. We trust in your intercession with Him. We ask for your loving protection against all cancers, tumours, cysts and growths.

We pray not only for ourselves but for all who suffer from these illnesses. May they find in you a most tender Mother who brings strength and consolation. Holy Mary of tumours, pray for us. At the Cross you offered your suffering with patience; teach us to unite our suffering to yours and like you to offer it to your Son Jesus who is our only Saviour. Amen.