

18th August 2019 **Dungiven Parish Bulletin** No 1493
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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 MASSES

For Annie McElhinney (today) Sun. 18th Aug. at 11.30 am. Mass in St. Patrick's.

For Gerard McLaughlin Sat. 24th Aug. at 6.00 pm. Vigil Mass in St. Patrick's.

MONTHS MIND MASS

For Rosaleen Farren on Friday 23rd August at 7.30 pm. 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.

PREPARE FOR BAPTISM PROGRAMME

Will take place on Wed. 21st August at 7.30 pm. in the Committee Room.



BAPTISM - We welcome into our Christian Community – Fintan James Archibald, Fir Avenue, Daniel Patrick Moore, Beech Road, Drumsurn, Ollie Anton Ferris, The Arches, Connie Grace McNicholl, Gelvin Road, and Isla Bridie Rose McCloskey, c/o Mountainview Park.

BAPTISMS

Will take place in St. Patrick's Church on the following dates: **August: Sat. 24th. Sept. Sun. 1st, Sat. 7th, 14th & 21st.** (Sun. at 12.15 pm. and 4.30 pm. on a Sat.) *Drumsurn & Gortnaghey by arrangement.*



WEDDING BELLS - We congratulate Emma Wanders & Micheal Archibald on the occasion of their marriage on the 10th August.

† **DEATHS** – We extend our sympathy to the Toner family circle on the death of Una Toner, Priory Road. May she rest in peace.

LAST SUNDAY'S COLLECTION: £2,089

Thank you to all who contributed.

EUCHARIST ADORATION

Adorers needed for **Mondays from 3.00 – 4.00 pm.** *Please contact the parish office.*

ALTAR SOCIETY FOR AUGUST

Cleaner required to cover the month of August in St. Patrick's Church.
Contact the parish office.

PADRE PIO - Mass, followed by Devotions will take place on Mon. 19th August at 7.30 pm. in the Longtower Church, Derry.

TERMONBACCA - Mass in honour of Blessed Alexandrina will be held next Sunday 25th August at 7.30 pm. Everyone welcome.

NOTICES FOR THE BULLETIN

Please note, that all notices for the bulletin must be in the Parish Office by 12 noon every Wednesday.

DERRY DIOCESAN PILGRIMAGE TO KNOCK SHRINE

Sat. 28th Sept., led by Bishop Donal McKeown. Stations of the Cross 2.00 pm., Mass 3.00 pm. with Sacrament of the Sick. Buses will travel, with a variety of pick-up points. Contact: Fr. Patrick Lagan, email: steugenes@btconnect.com Tel: 028 7126 2894.

BENEDY COMMUNITY ASSOCIATION

Benbradagh Club on Wed. 21st August @ 8.30 pm. Music By Liam McLaughlin. **CSR One-Day Training Courses** on Sat. 31st Aug. Contact Mary Tel: 777 43737 or 0784 330 5959 to secure your place.

SCHOLA

If any singer is interested in being part of a schola for the pleasure of singing sacred music, and for the occasional liturgical celebration, please contact Sr. Perpetua at Thornhill Ministries. 028 7135 1233. Rehearsals will be once every third Sunday afternoon 3.00 – 4.15 pm. First rehearsal Sunday 25th August, Thornhill House, 121 Culmore Road Derry.

ST. MARIA GORETTI PRAYER MOVEMENT - Holy Hour of Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament & Prayer for healing for victims of abuse & reparation for the Church. Veneration of the relic of St. Maria Goretti afterwards. In Immaculate Conception Church, Trench Road, Derry, on Tuesday 20th August at 8.15 pm. led by Fr. Sean O'Donnell. The Holy Hour is on the third Tuesday of every month. All welcome.

LOUGH DERG 2019 - One Day Retreats have resumed again and continue on specific days until Sunday 29th September For bookings or further info Tel: Maureen or Lorraine on 00353 71 9861518). Email: info@loughderg.org www.loughderg.org

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

DIOCESAN RELIGIOUS EDUCATION CONFERENCE

'The Path I Walk Christ Walks It': The Diocese of Derry is hosting its inaugural Education Conference for Schools in Saint Columb's College, Derry, on Wednesday 28th and Thursday 29th August. As part of this event, there will be two public sessions, beginning each evening at 7.00 pm. On 28th August, Fr. Adrian Porter, SJ, Director of the Jesuit Institute of Education, London, will speak about, *'Trusting God-Promoting Positive Mental Health in a Catholic School'* and, on 29th August, Professor Francis Campbell, Vice Chancellor of Saint Mary's University, Twickenham, will address the topic, *'Why Choose a Catholic School?'* Everyone is welcome to attend.

DUNGIVEN REGENERATION CLUB

Free Event for 65+ year olds on Wednesday 21st August from 11.00 am. – 2.00 pm. Come along and enjoy small craft, light lunch and entertainment - all free. Please contact us at 077 5969 2122 to confirm a place.

WHIST DRIVE

In St. Peter's Hall (today) Sunday 18th August at 8.00 pm.

RESULTS DAYS AT NORTH WEST REGIONAL COLLEGE

In just a few week's thousands of students will begin the new academic year at N.W.R.C., and there's still time for you to join them. A limited number of full-time course places are still available... if you have not yet applied, get along to the Results Day at Strand Road, Derry and Limavady Campus on Thurs. 22nd, Fri. 23rd and Tues. 27th from 10.00 am. – 4.00 pm. Bring a copy of exam results.

PRAYERS IN SICKNESS AND NEED

Hear me: *Lord, hear my prayer, through made in weakness. May the longings of my heart find favour in your sight.*

Suffering: *I pray for all who suffer, for all in the depths of depression, those tortured by anxiety and guilt. Lord, in your love and mercy, free them and raise them up.*