8th September 2019 **Dungiven Parish Bulletin** No 1496 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. Micheal McGavigan (Banagher) Tel: 777 81223. Fr. Arthur O'Reilly (Foreglen) Tel: 71 338 261. Parish Office Tel: 777 40702. Email address dunpar@icloud.com Parish Website www.dungivenparish.com

## 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. Concept: Mon. & Wed. 9.15 am. MONTHS MIND MASS

For Una Toner on Sat. 14<sup>th</sup> Sept. at 6.00 pm. Vigil Mass in St. Patrick's Church.

**DERRY DIOCESAN SOCIETY** - The 10.00 am Mass on Sat.  $14^{th}$  Sept. will be celebrated for all deceased members of the society.

**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. 18<sup>th</sup> Sept. at 7.30 pm. in the Committee Room.



**BAPTISM** - We welcome into our Christian Community – Darcey Margaret Irwin, Abbeyfields.

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

**EUCHARIST ADORATION:** Adorers needed for **Mondays from 7.00 – 8.00 pm.** *Please contact the parish office.* 

A digital Portable Projector belonging to the parish has been given out on loan, if you or you know someone who may have it, please contact the parish office. *Thank you*. FR. SEAMUS' HOME VISITS

The Sick and those confined to their homes will be visited as follows: will be visited as follows: **Mon.** 9<sup>th</sup> **Sept. from 10.30 am.** Glenshane Rd., Magherabuoy, Abbeyfields, Glenroe Pk., Finvola Pk., O'Cathain's Place & Curragh Road, Pellipar Park & Lackagh Park. **Tues.** 10<sup>th</sup> **Sept. from** 10.30 am. Mitchel Park / Crescent, Priory Rd., Gortnagross Rd., Gelvin Rd., Kilhoyle Rd., Gortnarney Rd., Beech Rd., Drumsurn, Rushie Park & Drumsurn Rd.

FR. JOSEPH'S HOME VISITS The Sick and those confined to their homes will be visited as follows: Wed. 11<sup>th</sup> Sept. from 10.30 am. – Ballygudden, Bovevagh Rd., Altmover Rd., Beech Rd., Gortnaghey, Gortnaghey Rd., Pollysbrae Rd., Foreglen Rd., Dernaflaw Rd., Thurs. 12<sup>th</sup> Sept. from 10.30 am. - Main St., Sawel Pl., New St., Pellipar Park, Holmlea Pk., Station Rd./Ave., Ard-na-Grann, Ard-na-Smol, Mountain View Pk. & Legavallon Rd.

Fold Mass: Wed. 18<sup>th</sup> Sept. at 10.00 am.

## LAST SUNDAY'S COLLECTION: £2,677 Thank you to all who contributed.

**DERRY DIOCESAN PILGRIMAGE TO KNOCK SHRINE: Sat. 28<sup>th</sup> 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. Tel: Fr. Patrick Lagan, email: steugenes@btconnect.com Tel: 028 7126 2894.

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

ST. MATTHEW'S CHURCH - Our Parish Pastoral Council has been approached by Drumsurn parishioners concerning the state of St. Matthew's Church. The Pastoral Council with the help of a sub committee from Drumsurn discussed this concern and acknowledged that renovation work was badly needed and therefore contacted Michael Hegarty, Architect, and asked him to draw up plans to bring the church up to acceptable standards. The toilets and sacristy are clearly in need of upgrading and have been included in Michael's plans. Michael has arranged to speak to parishioners after 10.15 am. Mass on Sun. 15<sup>th</sup> Sept. and anyone who is interested in hearing what Michael's plans are and perhaps offer opinions and suggestions is very welcome to attend.

THORNHILL MINISTRIES: **Spiritual** Reading Book Club - For anyone interested in spiritual-religious writings, our Book Club will review books and help us stay in touch with current issues and theology. Sept: 'The Beatitudes of Pope Francis' by Aidan Donaldson & Oct: 'Heart Speaks to Heart' by Dermot Mansfield (The story of John Henry Newman). Copies of books available for purchase. Please let us know if you would like to join our club! Dates this term: Tuesdays 24<sup>th</sup> Sept., 22<sup>nd</sup> Oct. & 19<sup>th</sup> Nov. Time: 10.30 – 11.45 am. Suggested Offering £5. Tel: 7135 1233. emailthornhillministries@derrydiocese.org or visit www.thornhillministries.co.uk.

Following a reports of handbags being stolen from vehicles at a graveyard in the Moneyneany area, we would ask that all persons attending graveyards, church services and other religious gatherings, be reminded of the risk of leaving valuable items in their vehicles while unattended

**DUNGIVEN BRIDGE CLUB** – Restarts on Mon. 9<sup>th</sup> Sept. at 7.20 pm. in the library.

'Partners in Mission' Day: A Listening Event will take place next Sat. 14<sup>th</sup> Sept. from 10.00 am. - 4.30 pm. in Ardmore parish This will provide an centre, Derry. opportunity for everyone (clerical and lav) who is interested in the Mission of the church (at home and overseas) to share experiences and ideas about their faith and work. We have so much to learn from one another. Tea and refreshments provided. Contact Fr. David O Kane: 028 7133 7727 (email:office@parishofclaudy.com) or Noel Bradlev 074-9362390 (email:noelbradley1512@gmail.com) if interested, and for catering purposes.

ST. CANICE'S BRIGIN'S & CYGNETS – Registration Wed.  $11^{\text{th}}$  Sept. in Glenshane House, Main Street, between 7.00 - 8.00 pm. £30 per child, (P1 upwards).

**ST. CANICE'S BOWLING CLUB** – New 2019/20 season has commenced on a Thursday at 7.30 pm. in the Benedy Community Hall. *New members welcome*.

**BENEDY COMMUNITY ASSOCIATION** Yoga on every Monday @ 7.00 pm. Benbradagh Club on Wed. 18<sup>th</sup> Sept. @ 8.00 pm. Music by Michael Mawhinney. **CSR** One-Day Training Courses on Sat. 14<sup>th</sup> & 28<sup>th</sup> Sept. Contact Mary Tel: 777 43737 or 0784 330 5959 to secure your place.

## **KEVIN LYNCH H.C.**

*Lotto No's: 4, 5, 23 & 28.* Lucky dip: Eugene McCloskey. Jackpot £2,675.

**KNIT & NATTER** – Will resume on Tues.  $17^{th}$  Sept. from 11.00 am. – 12.30 pm. in Dungiven library. Join us to knit and crochet for charity. *Enjoy a cup tea, wee buns and craic.* 

**ST. CANICE'S G.A.C.** - *Lotto No's: 2, 8, 25 & 29.* £20: Ashton O'Kane . Jackpot: £2,900.

**DRUMSURN BOWLING CLUB** – First practice this year (today) Sun. 8<sup>th</sup> Sept. at 7.30 pm. in Drumsurn G.A.A. hall.

**LIMAVADY BRIDGE CLUB** – Restarts on Wed. 11<sup>th</sup> Sept. at 7.20 pm. in the Drummond.

**FOUND** – A sum of money in the grounds of St. Patrick's Church. Please contact the parish office.