

6th October 2019 **Dungiven Parish Bulletin** No 1500

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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. 9.15 am.

Please note! No Mass on Thursday.

Imm. Concept: Mon. 9.15 am.

Please note! No Mass on Wednesday.

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.

FIRST ANNIVERSARY MASS

For Margaret (Maggie) Irwin, (today) Sun. 6th

Oct. at 11.30 am. Mass in St. Patrick's.

PREPARE FOR BAPTISM PROGRAMME

Will take place on Mon. 7th & Wed. 23rd

Oct. at 7.30 pm. in the Committee Room.

BAPTISMS: Will take place in St. Patrick's

Church on the following dates: **Oct: Sat.**

12th, 19th & 26th. Nov: Sun. 3rd, Sat. 9th 16th

& 23rd. (Sun. at 12.15 pm. and 4.30 pm. on a

Sat.) *Drumsum & Gortnaghey by*

arrangement.



BAPTISM - We welcome into our

Christian Community – Fintan Martin

Burke, Beech Road, Gortnaghey and

Noah Michael Taggart, Castle Meadows,

Drumsum.

† **DEATHS** – We extend our sympathy to

the McDonald family circle on the death

of Willie McDonald, Terrydremond Road,

also to the McDermott family circle on

the death of Joe McDermott, Sawel Place.

May they rest in peace.

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

FR. JOSEPH' HOME VISITS

The Sick and those confined to their homes will be visited as follows: will be visited as follows: **Wed. 9th Oct. from 10.30 am.**

Glenshane Rd., Magherabuoy, Abbeyfields,

Glenroe Pk., Finvola Pk., O'Cathain's Place

& Curragh Road, Pellipar Park & Lackagh

Park, Mitchel Park / Crescent & Priory Rd.

Thur. 10th Oct. from 10.30 am. Gortnagross

Rd., Gelvin Rd., Kilhoyle Rd., Gortnarney

Rd., Beech Rd., Drumsum, Rushie Park &

Drumsum Rd.



WEDDING BELLS - We

congratulate Claire O'Connor &

Francis Scullion on the occasion of their

marriage on the 27th September.

MISCARRIAGE & CHILD LOSS SUPPORT

On **Tues. 15th Oct. at 7.30 pm.** in St.

Patrick's Church, Dungiven, we are holding

an Interdenominational Wave of Light Candle

Service for miscarriage, stillbirth and child

loss. Everyone is welcomed to attend this

event and candles will be provided. Contact

Rachel for more info Tel: 077 5644 5163.

BOTH LIVES MATTER – TAKE MY HAND

NOT MY LIFE – Stand With Us at our cross-

community inter-generational peaceful

gathering to oppose Westminster's extreme

abortion regime. Sun. 13th Oct. at 3.30 pm. on

the Falls Road, Belfast. (Venus will be

confirmed 9th Oct.)

PATH – *Parish Action Towards Health* Mass

will be offered in the Longtower Church,

Derry, on Mon. 7th Oct. at 7.30 pm. for all

who are coping with mental health difficulties.

The sacrament of Anointing of the Sick will

be offered to those who need its support.

LAST SUNDAY'S COLLECTION: £2,113

Thank you to all who contributed.

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY 2020

Confirmation: St. Patrick Church, Sat. 29th
February. Bishop Donal McKeown.

Confirmation (Irish): St. Patrick Church,
Sat. 21st March. Fr. O'Hagan.

FIRST COMMUNION DATES 2020

Sat. 2nd May – St. Canice's P.S.

Sat. 2nd May – St. Mary's P.S.

Sat. 9th May – St. John's P.S.

Sat. 16th May – St. Matthew's P.S.

Sat. 23rd May – Gaelscoil Neachtain.

TERMONBACCA - Marian Devotions on
Tues. 8th Oct. beginning at 7.30 pm.

SUICIDE PREVENTION TRAINING BY

ALPS – St. Canice's G.A.C. Dungiven (today)

Sun. 6th Oct. from 10.00 am. – 4.00 pm.

CURSILLO – Dates for forthcoming

weekends: Ladies 10th – 13th Oct., Men 24th –

27th Oct. Application forms are available in

the porches of each church. Please return the

completed forms to the parish office.

'She Inspires Me' A series of meditative

mornings that allow women from the

Scriptures to inspire us as we are led into

reflection on texts from the Bible. The

mornings will be held in Thornhill House,

Time: 10.30 am. - 12 noon. Mondays 7th, 14th,

21st & 28th Oct. Suggested Offering £7.50.

For more info Tel: 7135 1233, email

thornhillministries@derrydiocese.org or visit

www.thornhillministries.co.uk.

LETS CHANGE TOMORROW.

Are holding a Charity Auction for victims of

the hurricane in Bahamas and also the crisis in

Yemen. Auction on Sat. 26th Oct. at 12.00

noon in St. Canice's G.A.C. Dungiven. We

are asking for donations of good quality

furniture/garden furniture & tools, exercise

equipment, farm supplies, collectables,

designer accessories and household items.

Also Auction of Promises. Enquires may be

made to any committee member or check us

out on Facebook.

Help with developing Parish

Website: *Anyone interested, please*

contact the parish office.

MATT TALBOT, FREEDOM FROM DRUGS

MASS - Will be celebrated in St. Eugene's

Cathedral, Derry, on Mon. 7th Oct. at 7.30 pm.

This Mass is offered for those who are

addicted to drugs and for their families. Prayer

cards are available at the Mass. For further

info email emmett.mullan@derrydiocese.org

or Tel: 7126 2894.

SANDS STILLBIRTH AND NEONATAL

DEATH CHARITY - A couch to 5k Run/Walk

is being held in the Dungiven Sports Centre

on **Sat. 12th Oct. at 11.00 am.** with start and

finish at the Sports Centre. There is a small

fee of £4.00 with refreshments afterwards.

Sands work to reduce the number of babies

dying and to improve care and support for

anyone affect by the death of a baby and

would greatly appreciate support for this event

from as many people as possible.

N.I. BLOOD TRANSFUSION SERVICE –

Blood donation session in Dungiven Parish

Hall, 170 Main St., on Fri. 11th Oct. (2.00 –

4.00 pm. & 5.15 – 8.00 pm.)

BENEDY COMM. ASSOC. - Fund Raising

event: **A Night @ the races Saturday 26th**

Oct. @ 8.30 pm. Disco to Follow, Music by

Apollo. CSR One Day Training courses on

Sat. 12th & 26th Oct. Contact Mary on 777

43737 or 0784 330 5959

GLENSHANE HOUSE - OCN Level 2 Award

in Mindfulness & Reducing Anxiety in

Children course starting Tues. 12th Nov. from

7.00 – 9.00 pm. (6 weeks). Fee £30. To

register call into G. H. or Tel: 777 42494.

KEVIN LYNCH HURLING CLUB - *Lotto*

No's: 5, 10, 21 & 23. Lucky dip: Wendy

Toner. Jackpot: £2,775.

ST. CANICE'S G.A.C. - *Lotto No's 7, 14, 16 &*

23. £20 winners - Mark McGowan,

Bernadette McNamee, Shane McLaughlin,

Gerard Friel, Mary Donaghy, Alison Kinley,

Joel Bradley, Michael Murphy. Jackpot:

£3,300.

DRUM DINNER DANCE – Sat. 26th Oct. in

Drummond Hotel. Four-course dinner, Disco

by DJ Ned and guest speakers in attendance.

Tickets £30. *Contact any committee member.*