12th January 2020 **Dungiven Parish Bulletin** No 1514 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: Thurs. 9.15 am.
Note! No Mass on Tuesday morning.
Imm. Concept: Wed. 9.15 am.
Note! No Mass on Monday morning.
MONTHS MIND MASSES

For Isobel McCloskey (today) Sun. 12th January at 11.30 am. in St. Patrick's. For Celestine Mullin on Sat. 18th January at 6.00 pm. Vigil 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. 22nd Jan. at 7.30 pm. in the Committee Room.

BAPTISMS: Will take place in St. Patrick's Church on the following dates: Jan: Sat. 18th & 25th. Feb: Sun. 2nd, Sat. 8th, 15th & 22nd. (Sun. at 12.15 pm. and 4.30 pm. on a Sat.) Drumsurn & Gortnaghey by arrangement.

EUCHARIST ADORATION - Adorers needed for **Wednesday's from 11.00 am.** – **12 noon.** *Please contact the parish office.*

> **PRIEST'S COLLECTION: £2,770** *Thank you to all who contributed.*

INTERESTED IN BECOMING A READER IN THE NEW YEAR? Support given. Please contact the parish office or Frances McReynolds Tel: 077 0320 9891.

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

FR. SEAMUS' HOME VISITS

The Sick and those confined to their homes will be visited as follows: will be visited as follows: **Mon. 13th Jan. from 10.30 am.** Glenshane Rd., Magherabuoy, Abbeyfields, Glenroe Pk., Finvola Pk., O'Cathain's Place, Curragh Road, Pellipar Park & Lackagh Park. **Tues. 14th Jan.** Mitchel Park / Crescent & Priory Rd., Gortnagross Rd., Gelvin Rd., Kilhoyle Rd., Gortnarney Rd., Beech Rd., Drumsurn, Rushie Park & Drumsurn Rd.

CAROL SERVICE COLLECTION AND CRIB DONATIONS – A sum of £857 from the Carol Service and £400 from the Crib donations (Total £1,257) will be sent to Fr. Noel Brown from Derry & St. Patrick's Mission Society, Kiltegan, working now in Kenya. We are helping him in the Education of Children, School Fees and food especially for starving children. *Many thanks to everyone*.

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY – Are grateful for the generous donation of £787 from the sale of the parish Christmas Cards.

PARISH PILGRIMAGE TO SICILY 2020 -Seven Nights Pilgrimage to Sicily will take place from 8th October 2020. Spiritual Director Fr. Séamus Kelly. Price £985 pp. Guided tour to Taormina, visit to St. Lucy's Church and the Sanctuary of Our Lady of Tears in Siracusa, visit to the Chapel of St. Agatha in Catania, excursion to Tindari to visit the Sanctuary of the Black Madonna. Contact Martina for further info. Tel: 7774 1219 or 077 1549 0880. ST. MATTHEW'S GRAVEYARD, DRUMSURN – A provisional plan with the layout of the headstone inscriptions has been put on display inside St. Matthew's Church. We would ask that family members check that the details on this display are correct and <u>if any changes</u> <u>need to be made to contact the parish</u> <u>office.</u> An all-weather finalised plan will be erected in the graveyard and will only be renewed in three years time. *Provisional plan will be on display until* 29th Feb. Thank you.

DERRY DIOCESAN PILGRIMAGE TO LOURDES - Led by Bishop Donal McKeown, Thurs. 2^{nd} July – Tues. 7^{th} July 2020. Cost £679. *(deposit £100 - non refundable)*. Including full board and transfers in Lourdes. The Pilgrimage Office in the Diocesan Pastoral Centre at 164 Bishop Street, Derry, BT48 6UJ, will be open for enquiries and bookings each Tues. Thurs. & Saturday, 11.00 am – 1.00 pm. from Tues. 14^{th} Jan. Tel: 028 71 260 293 or email: derrypilgrim@outlook.com

PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL MEETING – On Tuesday 14th January at 7.30 pm. in the Parochial House, Chapel Road.

THORNHILL MINISTRIES - Mon. 20^{th} Jan. 10.30 am. – 1.00 pm. 'LOOK BOTH WAYS' A gentle morning to help hold with tenderness the struggles and the blessings of the past and to move into 2020. Offering: £10. Tues. 21^{st} Jan. 10.30 – 11.45 am. 'Spiritual Reading Book Club' Coffee, conversation and a review of 'A Cry is Heard' Jean Vanier. Offering: £10.

THANK YOU - Many thanks to all who responded so positively to our appeal for the homeless brothers and sisters. Thank you for your donations and clothing. *Anne Brolly*.

PATH – Parish Action Towards Health Mass will be offered in the Longtower Church, Derry, on Mon. 13th Jan. at 7.30 pm. for all who are coping with mental health difficulties.

KNIT & NATTER GROUP - Join us and knit for charity. Nattering, craic and a cup of tea. Starting on Tues. 14^{th} Jan. in Dungiven library: 11.00 am. – 12.30 pm. DUNGIVEN REGENERATION CLUB -Upcoming classes: Sewing – Tues. 14^{th} Jan. 7.00 – 9.00 pm. £45 for 10 weeks. Art - Wed. 12^{th} Feb. 7.00 – 9.00 pm. £30 for 6 weeks. Ceramics - Mon. 17^{th} Feb. 7.00 – 9.00 pm. £30 for 6 weeks. To book a place call into our centre at 136 Main St. or Tel: 077 5969 2122. We have dropin craft sessions weekly: Needlework every Wed. 11.00 am. - 1.00 pm.

We hope to have drop-in Art on Mondays & Ceramics on Fridays if you are interested let us know.

BENEDY CENTRE - Benbradagh Club on Wed. 15th Jan. at 8.30 pm. Music by Two Star Country. Adm. £5 including supper. Everyone welcome. **Yoga** every Mon. night at 7.00 pm. **Bowls** every Thurs. night at 7.30 pm. **CSR** One Day Training course on Sat. 25th Jan. & Sat. 8th Feb. in the centre. Contact Mary on 777 43737 or 0784 330 5959 to secure your place.

KEVIN LYNCH HURLING CLUB

Lotto No's: 6, 15, 23 & 26. Lucky Dip: Julie McGlinchey. Jackpot: £2,275.

CHILDREN IN CROSSFIRE - If you have an Advent box at home please return it to the chapel this weekend.

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.

FOUND – Fit bit in the town, owner can contact the parish office.