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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.

**EARLY MORNING MASS DURING LENT  
ON TUESDAYS & THURSDAY AT 7.00 AM.**

#### WEEKDAY MASS TIMES

St. Patrick's: Mon. - Sat. 10.00 am.

St. Matthew's: Tues. & Thurs. 9.15 am.

Imm. Conception: Mon. & Wed. 9.15 am.

#### MONTHS MIND MASS

For Francie Brolly on Fri. 6<sup>th</sup> March at 7.00 pm. in St. Patrick's.

#### STATIONS OF THE CROSS

Imm. Conception: Mon. after 9.15 am. Mass.

St. Matthew's: Tues. after 9.15 am. Mass

St. Patrick's: Wed. after 10.00 am. Mass.

**CONFESSIONS - St. Patrick's: Wed. 6.30 - 7.00 pm.** Sat. 10.30 - 11.00 am. & 5.30 - 5.50 pm. **St. Matthew's: Sun. 10.00 am.**

**Imm. Concept.** Sat. 7.00 pm.

**BAPTISMS:** Will take place in St. Patrick's on the following dates: **March: Sat. 7<sup>th</sup>, 14<sup>th</sup> & 28<sup>th</sup>.** (Sun. at 12.15 pm. and 4.30 pm. on a Sat.) *Drumsum & Gortnaghey by arrangement.*



**BAPTISM** - We welcome into our Christian Community - Danny Arthur McCloskey, Beech Road, Gortnaghey.

**PREPARE FOR BAPTISM PROGRAMME** - Will take place on Mon. 2<sup>nd</sup> & Wed. 18<sup>th</sup> March. at 7.30 pm. in the Committee Room.

**ST. PATRICK'S DAY** - This week our link for St. Patrick is on <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=A4h4PKYikRg>

**ST. JOSEPH'S YOUNG PRIESTS SOCIETY** Next meeting will be on **Tues. 3<sup>rd</sup> March** in the Conference Room after 10.00 am. Mass.

**Because of the Coronavirus there will be no hand shaking of peace at all Masses.**

† **DEATHS** - We extend our sympathy to the O'Donnell family circle on the death of James O'Donnell, Bradagh Fold, also to the O'Kane family circle on the death of John Bernard O'Kane, The Grove, and also to the Hasson family circle on the death of Bridie Hasson, Mitchel Park. May they rest in peace.

**DAY OF PRAYER & REFLECTION INCLUDING LUNCH FROM 10.30 AM. - 3.00 PM.** All Eucharist Ministers & Readers are invited to a Day of Prayer in Thornhill on **Sat. 4<sup>th</sup> April.** Please give your name into the parish office by **30<sup>th</sup> March**, as numbers are required for catering purposes. *Also any dietary requirements.*

**EUCCHARIST ADORATION** - Next Sat. 7<sup>th</sup> March from 10.30 - 11.30 am. in the Blessed Sacrament Chapel as part of the first five Saturday, as asked for by Our Lady of Fatima.

**LENTEN PROGRAMME** - Begins today Sunday (1<sup>st</sup> March) with a Conducted Holy Hour in St. Patrick's Church at 5.00 pm.

**LAST SUNDAY'S COLLECTION: £2,037**

*Thank you to all who contributed.*

**OUR PARISH PILGRIMAGE TO MEDJUGORJE** - Will take place 10<sup>th</sup> - 17<sup>th</sup> June 2020. Only a few places left. For further information contact Martina Tel: 777 41219 or 077 1549 0880.

**ST. MATTHEW'S, ALTAR SOCIETY**

Cleaners required to cover the month of December and also extra help with the month of February. Please contact the parish office.

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

**GLENSHANE CARE ASSOC.** - A.G.M. Wed. 4<sup>th</sup> March at 7.00 pm.

#### PADRE PIO PRAYER MEETING.

We are hoping to form a Padre Pio Prayer meeting in Dungiven Parish. There will be a meeting on Monday night in the Conference Room at 8.00 pm. for those who are interested. Everyone welcome.

**PATH - Parish Action Towards Health** Mass will be offered in the Longtower Church, Derry, on **Mon. 2<sup>nd</sup> March at 7.30 pm.** for all who are coping with mental health difficulties.

**ST. VINCENT DE PAUL CHRISTMAS COLLECTION: TOTAL £3,246.60** - St. Patrick's Conference, Dungiven, would like to thank all those who contributed to their Christmas collection. Your generosity allows us to help those people in our parish who have fallen on hard times. The Holy Sacrifice of the Mass will be offered for your intentions.

**ACTIVE LISTENING** - Are holding information in the Maldron Hotel, Derry, on Mon. 9<sup>th</sup> March. Lights refreshments will be served at 7.30 pm. Presentation starting at 7.45 pm. *We are looking for people who are willing to stand in the gap and support those who are vulnerable in Foyle.*

**THORNHILL MINISTRIES - Praying Lent** Invitation to be part of a praying community during Lent. Led Meditation, Exposition, Mid-Day Prayer, and the welcome Lenten soup! *Thursdays 5<sup>th</sup>, 12<sup>th</sup>, 19<sup>th</sup>, 26<sup>th</sup> March & 2<sup>nd</sup> April, 10.30 am. - 12.45 pm.* Suggested Donation: £10 (guideline only). **Church Décor for Lent & Holy Week** - How church décor, through displays and arrangements of nature's gifts, supports Liturgy. *Mon. 2<sup>nd</sup> March 7.30 - 9.00 pm.* Suggested donation: £10 (guideline only). To book Tel: 028 7135 1233 or thornhillministries@derrydiocese.org.

**A NIGHT OF CEOL, SONG & DANCE** - Fri. 6<sup>th</sup> March at 8.00 pm. in the Glór Dhun Geimhin Centre. Presenting winning dance trope "Queen of the dance" and lots of other local talent. Light supper and raffle on the night. Donations at the door.

**WHIST DRIVE** - In St. Peter's Hall (today) Sun. 1<sup>st</sup> March at 8.00 pm.

**THANK YOU** - Just a word of thanks from Kapsoya Parish, Eldoret Diocese, Kenya, for the generous donation from the Carol Service and Crib collections coming to £1,257. This donation has been deeply appreciated and in a practical way has enabled me to help many people in dire need. Many young people from the informal settlement or "slum" have been able to continue their education. Poor families have been supported in the area of basic food and health and we hope together with the Youth of the Parish to travel to Turkana Desert to help the disadvantaged people there with basic food and other essential needs on the 4<sup>th</sup> week of Lent. Special thanks to Fr. Seamus and the people of the Parish. Remember us in your prayers.

*Fr. Noel Brown.*

**BENEDY CENTRE - CSR** One Day Training course on Sat. 7<sup>th</sup> & 21<sup>st</sup> March. Tel: Mary on 777 43737 or 0784 330 5959.

**KEVIN LYNCH H. C.** - *Lotto No's: 4, 5, 19 & 27.* Lucky Dip: Chloe Mulhern. Jackpot £2,125.

**DUNGIVEN REGENERATION CLUB** - Art with Sheila Byrne on Wed. 18<sup>th</sup> March from 7.00 - 9.00 pm. £30 for 6 weeks. To book a place Tel: 077 5969 2122.

**ST. PATRICK'S CAMOGIE TRAINING TIMES** - U6 on Friday's at 6.00 pm. U8 starting on Tues. (3<sup>rd</sup> March) at 6.00 pm. U10/U12 on Wednesday's at 6.00 pm. U14 on Friday's at 7.00 pm. U16 on Monday's at 5.45 pm. & Friday's at 5.00 pm. *Venue: Indoor at Kevin Lynch Park.*

**DUNGIVEN AND FEENY LOCAL COMMITTEE FOR CANCER RESEARCH U.K.** - Annual "Big Breakfast" in the Church of Ireland hall, Upper Main St. on Sat. 7<sup>th</sup> March from 8.00 am. - 12.30 pm. Donations at the door. All proceeds from this event go towards research carried out here in N. I. We are looking for volunteers on the day. If you could spare an hour to help, contact Anne Marie on 078 3438 1246 or contact any committee member.