

7th February 2021 **Dungiven Parish Bulletin** No 1568

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SUNDAY MASS TIMES

St. Patrick's: Sat. Vigil 6.00 pm.

Sun. 9.00 am. & 11.30 am.

Via the webcam.

WEEKDAY MASSES: ST. PATRICK'S

Monday - Saturday 10.00 am.

Via the webcam.

Please sanitize your hands when you come into the chapel for private prayer.

CONFESSIONS: ST. PATRICK'S

There will be no confessions until further notice.

THE ROSARY

Mon. – Sat. at 9.35 am. in St. Patrick's Church. *Via the webcam.*



BAPTISMS - Will take place in St. Patrick's Church on the following dates: **Feb. Sat. 20th & 27th. March: Sun. 7th. Sat. 13th, 20th & 27th.** (*Sun. at 12.15 pm. and 4.30 pm. on a Sat.)* *Drumturn & Gortnaghey by arrangement, contact the parish office.*

- **Two weeks notice must be given.**
- **Only 10 persons (including children) per family in the church.**
- **There will be only individual baptisms.**

† **DEATHS** – We extend our sympathy to the Mullally family circle on the death of Hugh Mullally, Finvola Park. May he rest in peace.

CHILDREN IN CROSSFIRE'S ADVENT APPEAL

Donations can now be left at the Parish Office.

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

SCRIPTURE MEDITATION

Invitation to join online for a 20 minute gentle meditation each Monday at 7.00 pm. Please go to mcnmedia.tv open St. Patrick's Church and click on the Blessed Sacrament link.

DUNGIVEN PARISH: MISSIONARY OUTREACH TRUST

Under the guidance and direction of the Parish Finance Committee. We have set one third of the proceeds of the sale of the Tracey Farm into a Trust called "Dungiven Parish Missionary Outreach Trust". This Trust will generate £50,000 each year. Applications are invited for a share of this money from Charities working in the Third World and at home between **January 31st and March 31st 2020**. Applicants, on the approval of the Trustees, will receive donations from the Trust until the £50,000 is all distributed. For further information and application forms contact the parish office.

PREPARING FOR MARRIAGE?

Catholic Engaged Encounter: A 'Zoom' online Marriage Preparation course is planned for 27 - 28 March 2021. Information/Booking: marriageencounter.ie or 028 2763 8512.

KEVIN LYNCH H. C.

Lotto No's: 7, 18, 23 & 24. Lucky Dip: Francie McCormick. Jackpot £2,725.

CONFIRMATION 2021

Confirmation has been cancelled for the month of March. It will now take place on the weekend 18th – 20th June. Times will be arranged nearer the date depending on our Churches being open. After Consulting with our five Primary Schools, it was agreed that all Children should wear their School uniform for Confirmation this year.

LAST WEEKS COLLECTION: £1,293

Thank you to all who contributed.

The records of all people attending Baptisms, Marriages and Funerals in the church during lockdown must be recorded and kept in a file in the parish office. This information will be strictly private in compliance with Data Protection. The only disclosure will be to the Public Health Agency who may request it after a Covid outbreak. The information will be kept for 3 weeks and then deleted.

GLENSHANE HOUSE

Winding Roe Magazine 2020 edition. If anyone would like a copy of the magazine and are unable to get to the shops we can forward by post. Tel: 028 777 42494.

If anyone has a bound copy of the old Benbradagh magazines entitled The Second Book of Dungiven that they wish to sell Tel: 028 777 42494.

THE EAGLE THE TIGER AND COVID

Imaging God and Re-Calling Ireland

This book has been written by Carl Bradley and Fr. Neal Carlin. Copies are available at the parish office. Price £10.

CHURCH OF THE IMMACULATE CONCEPTION, GORTNAGHEY

Improvements and Maintenance Works.

As part of a programme of minor works, preparations are underway for the erection of new perimeter fencing at Gortnaghey Church to better define and enclose the grounds which serve the church.

New purpose made metal fencing is to be erected enclosing the grounds, particularly to the graveyard areas to the rear and the car parking and landscaped areas behind and beyond. This will be accompanied by a length of new walls and piers with infill purpose made metal panels extending from the road entrance back to meet the new general fencing.

The space between the new fencing and the existing post and wire fence will be of maintained grass with new tree planting inserted to finish off the perimeter arrangements and provide overall enhancement to the setting of the church and grounds. Artists sketch impressions can be seen on the church notice boards.

PRAYER FOR A HAPPY DEATH

Jesus, Mary & Joseph I give my heart my soul and my life.

Jesus Mary & Joseph assist me in my last agony.

Jesus Mary & Joseph may I die in peace in your holy company.

Sweet Jesus be to me not a judge but a saviour.

Into your hands O Lord I commend my spirit.

Lord Jesus receive my soul.