

5th December 2021 **Dungiven Parish Bulletin** No 1611

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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: (St. Peter's Hall)

Sun. 10.15 am.

Immaculate Conception: Sat. 7.15 pm.

THE SOLEMNITY OF THE IMMACULATE CONCEPTION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY, WEDNESDAY 8TH DECEMBER.

St. Patrick's:

Tuesday Vigil 7.00 pm. (*Blessing with
Padre Pio relic at the end of 7.00 pm. Mass.*)

Wednesday – St. Patrick's 10.00 am.

Wednesday – St. Matthew's 9.15 am.

Wednesday – Imm. Concept. 7.30 pm.

WEEKDAY MASSES

St. Patrick's:

Mon. 10.00 am. Tues. 10.00 am. & Vigil

7.00 pm. Wed. – Saturday 10.00 am.

St. Matthew's: (St. Peter's Hall)

Tues. Wed. & Thurs. 9.15 am.

Immaculate Conception

Mon. 9.15 am. & Wed. 7.30 pm.

MONTHS MIND MASS

For Rita O'Hara in St. Peter & St. Paul's,
Foreglen on Sat. 11th Dec. at 7.30 pm.

FIRST ANNIVERSARY MASS

For Sean O'Neill, Foreglen Road, in St.
Patrick's, on Tues 7th Dec. at 10.00 am.

THE ROSARY - Monday – Saturday at 9.35
am. in St. Patrick's Church.

CONFESSIONS - St. Patrick's: Sat. after
10.00 am. Mass and 5.15 - 5.50 pm.

If you are struggling, or if you know
someone who is struggling and in need of
a helping hand, please contact the **S.V.P.
confidential helpline: 079 2792 9923.**

† DEATHS – We extend our sympathy to
the O'Connell family circle on the death
of Thomas O'Connell, New Street. May
he rest in peace.

ADVENT PROGRAMME – ST. PATRICK'S

Sun. 5th Dec. at 5.00 pm.

Eucharistic Healing Service

Sun. 12th Dec. at 5.00 pm.

Carol Service

Sun. 19th Dec. at 5.00 pm.

Penitential Service



BAPTISMS - We welcome into our
Christian Community: Caragh
Margaret O'Connell, Foreglen Road
and Kate O'Kane, Benview Manor.

*Children must have One Godparent who is
over 16 years of age and a practicing
Catholic. Normally people have Two
Godparents, but they must be one male and
one female.*

BAPTISMS - Will take place in St. Patrick's
Church on the following dates: **Dec. - Sat
18th. Jan. - Sat. 1st, Sun. 9th, Sat. 15th &
22nd.** (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 25 persons (including children) per
family in the church.
- A list of names and contact numbers for
all attending, must be handed into the
parish office prior to the baptism.

LAST WEEKS COLLECTION: £2,048

TRÓCAIRE COLLECTION: £11,639

Including a donation of £5,000 from the

Missionary Outreach Trust.

Thank you to all who contributed

2022 CHURCH ART CALENDARS

For sale in Parish Office. Price £1.50.

PARISH PILGRIMAGE TO MEDJUGORJE

2022 - Seven Nights Pilgrimage to
Medjugorje will take place 21st – 28th May
2022. Spiritual Director Fr. Séamus Kelly.
Bed/Breakfast and Dinner. Price £655,
(Including insurance). **Offer of Special Price
for early booking: £605 - Paid before 20th**

December 2021. Money must be paid in
Full. Flight from Belfast. Contact Martina
for further info. Tel: 7774 1219.

CAROL SERVICE COLLECTION

Will be for Sr. Deirdre Mullan, a native
of Derry, works in collaboration with
UNICEF and other aid agencies, to
identify and provide education for the girl
child, many of whom are being targeted
by human traffickers.

CHRISTMAS MASSES

Christmas Eve

5.00 pm. - St. Patrick's.

Parents and young children.

7.00 pm. - St. Patrick's.

9.00 pm. - St. Patrick's.

5.00 pm. - St. Matthew's.

7.00 pm. - Immaculate Conception.

Christmas Day

8.00 am. - St. Patrick's

Parts of the Mass will be in Irish.

10.00 am. - St. Patrick's

12 noon - St. Patrick's

10.15 am. - St. Matthew's.

8.30 am. - Immaculate Conception.

PARISH CHRISTMAS CARDS – Are
available only at the parish office. *Please
have the names of those you are buying a
card for written out on a sheet of paper.
This year the money from the sale of the
Christmas Cards will be given to St. Vincent
De Paul Society. Card are priced at £1.50.*

BOOK STALL SALES - The next edition of
'Angel' magazine, available from the
Parish Office or the Sacristy. Price £2.

COVID-19 - Social distancing is one of a
number of measures that can help to
reduce the spread of Covid. Other
mitigations include good ventilation, the
use of face coverings, as well as hand
sensitization when entering and leaving
the church.

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL SPECIAL CHRISTMAS COLLECTION

Please give generously to our special
collection, which takes place **on Sat. 11th
Dec. and Sun. 12th Dec.** by putting your
donation into the S.V.P. collection boxes in
the Church porches. Donations can also be
left in the St. Vincent de Paul Shop,
Ballyquin Road, Dungiven. *Thank you for
your continued support.*

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL SPECIAL CHRISTMAS COLLECTION

It is that time of the year again when we
appeal to parishioners for financial assistance.
This past year had seen a significant increase
in requests for help. Benefits have been cut,
fuel prices have increased and day to day
living has become a struggle for many people.
St. Vincent de Paul Society depend on the
generosity of our community to help us, help
others less fortunate.

We would like to thank all those who have
supported us throughout the past year, by
donating financially and donating items to our
shop on the Ballyquin Road. Thank you also
to the volunteers in our shop.

SCRIPTURE MEDITATION - Every Monday
at 7.00 pm. Go to mcmedia.tv open St.
Patrick's and click on the Blessed Sacrament
link.

ST. JOSEPH'S YOUNG PRIESTS SOCIETY
A meeting of S. J. Y. P. S. will take place
in the Conference Room after 10.00 am.
Mass on Tues. 7th Dec. All welcome.

KEVIN LYNCH H. C. - *Lotto No's: 5, 6, 21 &
22.* Lucky Dip: Tony Tracey. Jackpot £3,800

CHILDREN IN CROSSFIRE – 2021 Advent
Appeal. Envelopes available in all the church
porches.