

30<sup>th</sup> January 2022 **Dungiven Parish Bulletin** No 1619  
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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.  
**Imm. Conception:** Sat. 7.15 pm.

**WEEKDAY MASSES:**

**ST. PATRICK’S:**

Monday - Saturday 10.00 am.  
**St. Matthew’s: (St. Peter’s Hall)**  
Tues. & Thurs. 9.15 am.  
**Immaculate Conception:**  
Mon. & Wed 9.15 am.

**FEASTS THIS WEEK**

**St. Brigid, Secondary patron of Ireland.** –  
Tues. 1<sup>st</sup> Feb. *Crosses will be blessed at the 10.00 am. Mass and the Padre Pio Mass in Dungiven and at the 9.15 am. Mass in Drumturn. Crosses will be blessed in Gortnaghey on Mon. 31<sup>st</sup> Jan. at the 9.15 am. Mass.*

**Presentation of the Lord** – Wed. 2<sup>nd</sup> Feb.  
*Candles will be blessed at the 10.00 am. Mass in Dungiven and the 9.15 am. Mass in Gortnaghey. Candles will be blessed on Thurs. 3<sup>rd</sup> Feb. in Drumturn. Please keep your candles with you in the seat.*

**St. Blaise** – Thurs. 3<sup>rd</sup> Feb. *Blessing of Throats will take place at 10.00 am. in Dungiven.*

**ST. PADRE PIO - HEALING MASS**

Will take place on Tues. 1<sup>st</sup> Feb. at 7.00 pm. in St. Patrick’s Church.

**MONTHS MIND MASS**

For Seamus Mullan, (formerly Oville) in St. Patrick’s, Friday 4<sup>th</sup> Feb. at 7.30 pm.

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

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

† **DEATHS** – We extend our sympathy to the McCloskey family circle on the death of Liz McCloskey, Cluntygera, & Tishy McCloskey, Caoran Dubh. May they rest in peace.



**BAPTISMS:** 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: **Feb. Sun. 13<sup>th</sup>, Sat. 19<sup>th</sup> & 26<sup>th</sup>** (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 SUNDAY’S COLLECTION: £2,008**

**HOLY SHRINES COLLECTION: £697**

*Thank you to all who contributed*

**SCRIPTURE MEDITATION** - 20 min. guided Scripture Meditation Monday at 7.00 pm.

**PASTORAL COUNCIL MEETING**

Will take place on Wed. 2<sup>nd</sup> Feb. at 7.30 pm. in the conference room.

**PARISH OFFICE** - All notices for the bulletin must be in by 12 noon on a Wednesday.

**ST. CANICE’S G.A.C.** - Club Mass for the Deceased on Fri. 11<sup>th</sup> Feb. @ 7.30 pm - Main Hall. Everyone welcome.

**KEVIN LYNCH H. C.** - *Lotto No’s: 15, 17, 19 & 22. Lucky Dip: Martina Boyle.*

**LIFE IN THE SPIRIT SEMINARS FOR YOUNG ADULTS**

We are hoping to have Life in the Spirit Seminars during the Holy Season of Lent. These will take place in the parish conference room (Covid Permitting?). On Tuesday evenings at 7.30 pm. beginning on the first Tuesday after Ash Wednesday. (8<sup>th</sup> March). We will be limited in numbers and it will be only for people who are over 18 and under 50 and have not done the Seminars before.

The Seminars will last for 7 weeks leading us into the feast of Pentecost.

Registration is essential and names will be taken on a first come basis.

If you are interested contact the parish office by phone or email.

The Life in the Spirit Seminar is presented in a series of talks and meditations. One opportunity during the Seminar is for participants to be prayed over to receive what Jesus described in Acts 1:4 as “the promise of the Father,” a release of the power of the Holy Spirit. The first four sessions will be focused on preparing participants for this transforming event, while the last two sessions provide the guidance needed to integrate this yielding to the Holy Spirit in their daily lives and their local parish community.

**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 **Jan. 31<sup>st</sup> and March 31<sup>st</sup> 2022**. 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.

**ST. JOSEPH’S YOUNG PRIESTS SOCIETY**

A meeting will take place in the Conference Room after 10.00 am. Mass on Tues. 1<sup>st</sup> Feb.

We have already introduced at the 10.00 am. weekday Mass the distribution of Communion at the normal time. We are hoping to introduce this at all the weekend Masses next weekend 5<sup>th</sup>/6<sup>th</sup> Feb.

**PARISH PILGRIMAGE TO MEDJUGORJE**

**2022** - Seven Nights Pilgrimage to Medjugorje will take place 21<sup>st</sup> – 28<sup>th</sup> May 2022. Spiritual Director Fr. Séamus Kelly. Bed/Breakfast and Dinner. Price £655, (Including insurance). **Offer of Special Price for early booking: £605 – now extended to 31<sup>st</sup> January 2022** Money must be paid in Full. Flight from Belfast. Contact Martina for further info. Tel: 7774 1219.

**PROPOSED NEW PARK AND RIDE FACILITY**

- The Dept. of Infrastructure is proposing to build a Park & Ride facility on the Feeny road. Please visit <http://www.infrastructure-ni.gov.uk/consultations/pre-application-community-consultation-dungiven-park-ride>

**CLEANER/ASSISTANT SACRISTAN ST. PATRICK’S, DUNGIVEN**

2 hours per week. Monday and Thursday (*times in agreement with Parish Priest*) Assistant Sacristan hours on an ad hoc basis to provide temporary relief cover. Current Rate of Pay: £9.17 per hour / (£9.43 per hour relief sacristan hours) For a job description and application form please: Write: Personnel, Derry Diocesan Office, St. Eugene’s Cathedral, Francis Street, Derry, BT48 9AP. Email: payroll@derrydiocese.org Tel: 028 7126 2302. **Closing date 4<sup>th</sup> February 2022.**

**GLENSHANE HOUSE** - A few spaces left on L3 Special Needs for Children & Young People course on Tuesdays from 7.00 - 9.30 pm. Tel: 028 777 42494.

**FOUND** - A sum of money at the ATM beside the Credit Union office, on 21<sup>st</sup> January. Owner to call at the Credit Union office or telephone 777 41983.

**Also found** a driving licence, owner to contact the parish office.