24<sup>th</sup> April 2022 **Dungiven Parish Bulletin** No 1631 Fr. Séamus Kelly P.P. Tel: 777 41219.

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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.

Imm. Conception: Sat. 7.15 pm. FIRST ANNIVERSARY MASSES

For Ryan O'Hara on Saturday 30<sup>th</sup> April at 6.00 pm. Vigil in St. Patrick's Church. For Briege Jeffery (nee Mullan) on Sunday 1<sup>st</sup> May at 10.15 am. in St. Matthew's Church, Drumsurn.

WEEKDAY MASS TIMES

St. Patrick's: Mon. - Thurs. 10.00 am. No 10.00 am. Mass on Friday or

Saturday morning.

Imm. Conception: Mon. 9.15 am. St. Matthew's: Wed. 9.15 am. CONFESSIONS - St. Patrick's: Sat. 5.15 - 5.50 pm. No morning confessions.

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

LAST SUNDAY'S COLLECTION: £3,643.

Thank you to all who contributed.



**BAPTISMS** - We welcome into our Christian Community: Rossa Conor Monaghan, Abbeyfields.

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: April, 23<sup>rd</sup> at 4.30 pm. May, Sat. 7<sup>th</sup> & 14<sup>th</sup>. June, Sat. 4<sup>th</sup>, 11<sup>th</sup> & 18<sup>th</sup>

Two weeks notice must be given for all Baptism bookings.

#### DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY.

**Today**, Sun. 24<sup>th</sup> April, is Divine Mercy Sunday. Divine Mercy Chaplet will follow the 11.30 am. Mass.

PARISH OFFICE - All notices for the bulletin must be in by 12 noon on a Wednesday. <u>The parish office will be closed on Friday.</u>

CEMETERY SUNDAY 2022 Will be on the weekend of  $11^{th}$  &  $12^{th}$  June.

#### ST.THERESE STATUE.

To date we have received donations of £1,300 towards the hand-carved statue of St. Therese. The statue will be blessed at the 6.00 pm. Vigil Mass on Saturday 30<sup>th</sup> April.

### S.V.P. HELPLINE 07927929923 PARISH ACCOUNTS 2021

The Parish Income and Expenditure Account for the year ending 31<sup>st</sup> December 2021 have been displayed on the notice board of all three churches. If you require a copy please call at the parish office.

#### **OFFERTORY GIFT ENVELOPES**

Many thanks to all the volunteers who distributed the envelopes. If anyone requires envelopes, or wishes to set up a standing order contribution, please contact the parish office.

#### **DUNGIVEN REGENERATION CLUB**

Are delivering a programme of health and well-being initiatives. 6 weeks starting Tuesday 26th April 10:45 - 11:45. To book a place please call at our shop or tel 07759692122.

GLENSHANE HOUSE, DUNGIVEN

Level 2 Introduction to Autism Spectrum Conditions course starting on Tuesday, 26<sup>th</sup> April 6.30 pm. A few spaces available. To register Tel 028 777 42494

#### BENEDY CENTRE

**Benedy Youth Club AGM** Monday 25th April 2022 @ 8.30pm

**Benedy Community Association AGM** Monday 25<sup>th</sup> April 2022 @ 9pm Everyone welcome.

**CSR One Day Course** on Sat 30th April & 14<sup>th</sup> May in the Benedy Centre. Contact Mary on 028 777 43737 or 0784 330 5959 to secure your place.

#### KEVIN LYNCH H. C.

Lotto No's: 2, 8, 23 & 24. Lucky Dip: Dungiven Ladies G.F.C.. Jackpot: £4275.

# SECOND SUNDAY OF EASTER 24 APRIL 2022 • DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY

- 1. 'Peace be with you' was the greeting of Jesus on meeting his frightened apostles. Who has come to you bringing peace at times when you were frightened? For whom have you been an agent of peace?
- 2. The greeting is joined with the gift of the Holy Spirit to empower the disciples to be forgiving. Forgiveness is at times an essential step on the road to peace. Perhaps you can recall when holding on to a hurt or grudge disturbed your inner peace. What helped you to forgive and find peace?
- 3. Thomas, doubting and questioning, is possibly a person with whom we can identify. What part have doubting, and questioning, played on your faith journey? How has your faith been strengthened by such moments?
- 4. 'Blessed are they who have not seen and yet believed'. That requires great trust. Perhaps you have had the experience of being trusted without having had to prove every step along the

way. What was it like to be trusted in that way? Who have you been able to trust in a similar manner?

## DERRY DIOCESAN PILGRIMAGE TO LOUGH DERG

The Annual Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lough Derg will take place on Friday 24<sup>th</sup> June - Sunday 26<sup>th</sup> June 2022. Bishop McKeown will lead the pilgrimage and invites you to join him. Booking is essential so please contact Diocesan Catechetical Centre Tel: + 44 28 71264087 Or Email: lizzie.rea@derrydiocese.org Cost is £80 which includes return transport from Saint Eugene's Cathedral, Derry.

#### LOUGH DERG RE-OPENS

Lough Derg welcomes Pilgrims again with a full Pilgrimage programme this summer. Three Day Pilgrimage: 1st June - 15th August. Booking advised. Concessions available for students, seniors and groups. One Day Retreats and guided Pilgrim Path experience: dates in May and late August through September. Booking essential.

All booking information at www.loughderg.org,

email info@loughderg.org or telephone 0(0353) 71 9861518.

## DO YOU OR SOMEBODY YOU KNOW SUFFER FROM AN ADDICTION? YES?

Join us at the Shrine of Matt Talbot in Our Lady of Lourdes Church, Sean Mc Dermot Street, Dublin on Sunday 12<sup>th</sup> June at 2:00 pm - 4:30 pm, where we will pray for freedom from addiction through Jesus. This will be a day when Ireland unites in prayer to rid our country from the plague of addiction. For more information,

visit www.matttalbotprayersociety.com contactvita@matttalbotprayersociety.com Phone 028 71 365 712.