

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.

WEEKDAY MASS TIMES

St. Patrick's: Monday – Thursday at 10.00 am. *No Mass on Friday & Saturday morning.*

ST. MATTHEW'S &

IMMACULATE CONCEPTION

Please Note! There will be no weekday Mass during the week.

FIRST ANNIVERSARY MASSES

For Anne Anderson on Sunday 28th August at 11.30 am. in St. Patrick's.

For Joe McAteer (formerly Derrylane) on Saturday 27th August at 7.15 pm. in the Immaculate Conception.

CONFESSIONS - St. Patrick's: Sat. 5.15 - 5.45 pm. *No Saturday morning confessions.*

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

LAST SUNDAY'S COLLECTION: £2,520

Thank you to all who contributed.

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ST. VINCENT DE PAUL SHOP

School Uniforms available in the shop. Please come along and check our range.



BAPTISMS - We welcome into our Christian Community: Sofia Lily McNamee, Castlecroft Drive, Nevaeh Ellen Lynn, Ard-na-Smol and Lara – Jane O'Kane, Caoran Dubh.

BAPTISM – *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: **September: 3rd & 24th.** Two weeks notice must be given for all Baptism bookings.

The Baptism Course will take place twice a month. Anyone booking a Baptism will be required to attend the course before their Baptism can take place. Places must be booked through the Parish Office. **The next course will be on Wed. 24th Aug. at 7.30 pm.**



WEDDING BELLS - We congratulate Colleen Kelly & Maurice Joy on the occasion of their marriage on the 12th August. Congratulations to Shaunagh Loughlin & Jack Clerkin on the occasion of their marriage on the 13th August.

† **DEATHS** – We extend our sympathy to the Taggart family circle on the death of Margaret Garrett (Taggart) who died in Texas some time ago. Her cremated remains were buried in Drumsurn during the week. May she rest in peace.

ST. CANICE PRAYER GROUP

Meets each Thursday in the conference room at 7.00 pm. We invite anyone who wishes to deepen their faith through shared Scripture, Prayer and Praise.

CALLING ALL ROSARY COASTERS.

Rosary on the Coast (today) Sun. 21st Aug. on Benone Strand, left hand side at 3.00 pm.

WHIST DRIVE - In St. Peter's Hall, Drumsurn, Sunday 21st Aug. at 7.30 pm.

PRAYER FOR VOCATIONS

“Go out to the whole world. Proclaim the Good News!” (Psalm 116). For those called to proclaim and preach the gospel as priests, religious or consecrated men or women, we pray to the Lord.

We pray for those attending the “Come & See” retreat weekend (26th – 28th August), that the Lord will bless and guide them in their discernment, and that the diocese of Derry will be blessed with an increase in vocations.

THE DERRY DIOCESE has invited the National Board for Safeguarding Children in the Catholic Church in Ireland to conduct a review of safeguarding practice.

This review is due to commence with the Safeguarding Sunday Mass on 18th September 2022 in St. Columb's Church, Waterside at 3pm. Everyone is welcome to attend this Mass.

The review will continue on Monday 19th Sept. to Friday 23rd Sept. 2022.

If you have any views about Safeguarding in the Derry Diocese, we invite you to come forward to Teresa Devlin, Chief Executive Officer, National Board for Safeguarding Children in the Catholic Church in Ireland, prior to the review dates. Teresa can be contacted on the following number (+353) 01 5053124 or alternatively by email Teresa.devlin@safeguarding.ie

If you wish to report a child safeguarding concern, please contact Marie Gormley, Designated Liaison Person (DLP) on (+44) 07596 500793 or report directly to An Garda Síochána/PSNI or TUSLA/HSC.

KEVIN LYNCH H. C.

Lotto no's: 14, 19, 20 & 29. Lucky dip: Eileen Hutchinson. Jackpot: £4,700.

NATIONAL SYNTHESIS

The final versions of the National Synthesis for the Church in Ireland, which is the fruit of the recent process of listening and consultation; it is based on the syntheses produced by the 26 dioceses in Ireland, as well as those submitted by religious congregations and other interested groups. The final versions are available on the website of the **Synodal Pathway of the Church in Ireland website www.synod.ie**

BENEDY CENTRE

CSR One-Day Course on Sat. 17th September. Tel: 777 43737 or 078 4330 5959 to secure your place.

BENEDY CHARITY TRACTOR RUN & FAMILY FUN DAY

On Saturday 27th August. Registration from 11.00 am. for Tractors / Vintage Cars, leaving Benedy Centre sharp @ 1.00 pm. Cost £20, including refreshments/hot food.

Family Fun Day starting @ 3.00 pm. Adults £5.00. Children free. Bouncy Castle, Races, Tug of war, Cart rides, DJ from 3.00 pm. Hot food, ice cream, and teas available from 3.00 pm. for everyone attending the Fun Day. Raffle tickets on sale for draw between 2.30 & 5.30 pm.

Proceeds in aid of North West Cancer Centre, Altnagelvin & Benedy Comm. Assoc. Everyone welcome.

FUN IN DRUM DAY

Is back on Sunday 28th August, with under age games in camogie and Gaelic playing to win the Mary Armstrong Shield and in Gaelic the Eugene McCaul Cup. Adm £5 per car, includes side amusements for children, free refreshments for adults with medals for winning teams and treat packs for all players. Everyone welcome, always a great fun day. First game starts 12 noon.