

25th December 2022 **Dungiven Parish Bulletin** No 1666
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Christmas 2022

Fr. Seamus & Fr. Joseph wish you

God’s blessing and a very

Happy Christmas.

CHRISTMAS DAY MASSES
Christmas Day
St. Patrick’s: 8.00 am.
Parts of the Mass will be in Irish.
St. Patrick’s: 12 noon
St. Matthew’s: 10.30 am.
Immaculate Conception: 10.00 am.

SUNDAY MASS TIMES
31ST. DEC. / 1ST JAN.
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. 4.30 pm.
WEEKDAY MASSES
St. Patrick’s: Mon. 10.00 am.
Tues. No 10.00am Mass Evening Mass
7.30 pm
Wed. & Thurs. 10.00 am.
**No 10.00 am. Mass on Friday or
Saturday morning.**
MONTHS MIND MASS
For Seamus O’Kane on Tues. 27th Dec. at
7.30 pm. in St. Patrick’s.

**ST. MATTHEW’S &
IMMACULATE CONCEPTION**
**Please Note! There will be no weekday
Mass during the week.**


LAST WEEK’S COLLECTION: £2,140
Thank you to all who contributed.
The priest’s Christmas Collection will be taken up at all the Christmas Masses. Please use either Envelope in your box. There will be no Church Collection on that day. This is the only Collection during the year that goes directly to the priests.

S.V.P. HELPLINE 079 2792 9923

On New Year’s Eve, Saturday 31st Dec., We gather in Church of the Immaculate Conception at 4.30 pm. in the last light of 2022 and at 9.00 am. on Sunday 1st January 2023 we gather in St Patricks Dungiven for the first light of 2023.

DERRY DIOCESAN SOCIETY
The 9.00 am Mass on Sunday 1st January will be celebrated for all deceased members of the society.

THE ROSARY: Monday, Wednesday and Thursday at 9.35 am. in St. Patrick’s.

 **BAPTISMS** - We welcome into our Christian Community: Cody-James Grieve, Ard-na-Smol.

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: **January 2023: 7th & 21st at 3.00 pm. February: 4th at 3.00 pm. 11th & 18th at 4.30 pm.**
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 Mon. 9th January at 7.30 pm.*

MEDJUGORJE PRAYER MEETING
The next meeting will take place on Tuesday 10th January at 7.00 pm.

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS FOR JAN:
ST. PATRICK’S
Saturday 6.00 pm.
Donna O’Kane & Rory McGilligan
Sunday 9.00 am.
Mary O’Kane & Nuala McAreavey
Sunday 11.30 am.
Mary McCloskey & Mary McKnight
READERS FOR JAN: ST. PATRICK’S
Sat. 6.00 pm. – Anne McDermott
Sunday 9.00 am. – Geraldine Brolly
Sunday 11.30 am. – Celine McKenna

The Parish Office will be closed all next week and will reopen on Wednesday 4th January 2023

ST. CANICE’S PRAYER GROUP
Our next meeting will take place on Thursday 5th January 2023.

ST. CANICE P. S. & NURSERY UNIT
2023 Calendar of children’s artwork. Available to buy at St. Canice P.S., Groogan’s, Inner Beauty, Dungiven

Credit Union and anywhere you see the poster. £5 towards Friends of St. Canice P.S. & N.U. funds.

HANDS THAT TALK
Up cycling small furniture’s course. **Where:** Hands That Talk. **When:** Monday 9th January 2023. **Time:** 10.00 am – 12 noon. **How long:** 4 weeks. **Cost:** £10. **Limit:** 4-5 people per class.
Class is open to both Deaf and hearing people who are interested in learning new skills. **Contact:** Tel: 028 777 42776 / text 079 1221 0803.

GLENSHANE HOUSE
OCN Level 2 Award in Introduction to Mindfulness & Reducing Anxiety in Children starting January, Wednesday nights from 7.00 – 9.00 (6 weeks). Suitable for parents, classroom assistants, teachers and students over 16. To register Tel: 028 777 42494.

BENEDY COMM. ASSOC. - ANNUAL CHRISTMAS DRAW WINNERS: -
1st Prize £100 - Fiona McCormick
2nd Prize £50 - Suzanna McNicholl
3rd Prize £50 - Eoghan McCloskey
4th Prize £50 - Michael McGill
5th Prize £25 - Andrew Canning
6th Prize £25 - Barry McElhinney
7th Prize £25 - Raymond Hunt
8th Prize £25 - Enda Montgomery

KEVIN LYNCH H. C. - Lotto no’s: 21, 22, 28 & 30. Lucky dip: Anne McCloskey. Jackpot: £5,150.

CHILDREN IN CROSSFIRE ADVENT APPEAL - Packs are still available at the doors of the chapel.

FR JOSEPH VARGHESE 25 YEARS
Congratulations to Fr Joseph who will celebrate the Silver Jubilee of his ordination on Saturday the 31st in his home parish in Kerala, India with his family and friends.