

19th March 2023 **Dungiven Parish Bulletin** No 1678
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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. 4.30 pm.

WEEKDAY MASS TIMES

St. Patrick's: Mon. 10.00 am. Tues. 7.00 & 10.00 am. Wed. 10.00 am. Thur. 7.00 & 10.00 am. Fri. 10.00 am.

No 10.00 am. Mass Saturday.

St. Matthew's: Tues. & Thurs. 9.15 am.

Imm. Concept: Mon. & Wed. 9.15 am.

FIRST ANNIVERSARY MASS

For Sarah McGilligan on Sat. 25th March. at 6.00 pm. in St. Patrick's.

MONTHS MIND MASS

The Month's Mind for the soul of the late Sophia Antony, Fr. Joseph's beloved sister, will take place on Wed. 22nd March at the 10.00 am. Mass which will be concelebrated by both Fr. Séamus and Fr. Joseph.

CONFESSIONS

St. Patrick's: Sat. 5.30 - 5.45 pm

THE ROSARY: Monday – Friday at 9.35 am. in St. Patrick's.

STATIONS OF THE CROSS

After 10.00 am. Mass on Friday 24th March in St. Patrick's.

LENTE PROGRAMME – ST. PATRICK'S
Mother Day: Sun. 19th March No Service.

Holy Hour: Sun. 26th March at 5.00 pm.
Penitential Service: Sun 2nd April 5.00 pm.

MEDJUGORJE PRAYER MEETING

On meeting on Tuesday 21st March



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: **April: 1st, 15th & 22nd. BAPTISMS WILL TAKE PLACE AT 3.00 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 Wed. 22nd March at 7.30 pm.**

FIRST CONFESSION

St. Matthew's:

Wed. 22nd March at 7.00 pm.

St. John's:

Mon. 27th March at 6.30 pm.

St. Mary's:

Tues. 28th March at 7.00 pm.

St. Canice's:

Wed. 29th March at 7.00 pm.

Gaelscoil Neachtain:

Tues. 28th March at 6.30 pm.

ST. CANICE'S PRAYER GROUP

Meeting every Thursday in the conference room 7.00 pm.

PASTORAL COUNCIL MEETING

On **Wed. 22nd March** at 6.30 pm. in the Conference Room. All members are encouraged to attend.

LAST WEEKS COLLECTION: £2,247

GRAVEYARD COLLECTION: £1,480

Thank you to all who contributed

FR. SEAMUS' HOME/SICK VISITS

The Sick and those confined to their homes will be visited as follows:

Mon. 20th March, from 10.30 am. - Ballygudden Rd., Drumrane Rd., Beech Rd., Gortnaghey, Gortnaghey Rd., Pollysbrae Rd. and Dernaflaw Houses.

Tues. 21st March from 10.30 am. – Main St., New St., Station Rd., Holmlea Pk., Garvagh Rd., Ard-na-Smol, Mountain View Pk. and Glenshane Rd.

FR. JOSEPH HOME/SICK VISITS

The Sick and those confined to their homes will be visited as follows:

Mon. 20th March, from 10.30 am. - Glenshane Road, Abbeyfields, Glenroe Park, O'Cathain's Place, Curragh Road, Bleach Green Lane, Pellipar Park, Lackagh Park & Railway Lane.

Tues. 21st March from 10.30 am. – Mitchel Park, Priory Road, Gortnagross Road, Gortnarney Road, Beech Road, Drumsum & Drumsum Road, Gelvin Road & Legavallon Road.

PARISH HOUSE FOR SALE

33 Mountain View Park, Dungiven. For further information contact P. McDermott, Real Estate Agency, Dungiven. Tel. 028 7774 0100. This house is no longer required for our parish. However on consulting with the bishop he had asked that all parishes with extra property should not sell them because of many priests due to retire in coming years.

It was suggested that it would be better to have a house close to the church for retired priests. The Bishop agreed to our suggestion and in light of that the parish has purchased 30A Chapel Road.

ROSARY ON THE COAST

Will be held at 3.00 pm. today Sunday 19th March at Benone.

ARCHBISHOP EAMON MARTIN

Is leading a pilgrimage to Fatima from 20th – 27th July 2023. Cost for 7 days is £799/€899 per person sharing. Flights depart Dublin at 6.05 am. Thursday 20th July arriving in Fatima 11.00 am. Single room supplement and insurance is additional. For further info contact Joe or Maureen McLaughlin on 028 9070 1606 or 077 1180 8207.

SAFEGUARDING NOTICE

If you have any concerns with regard to safeguarding children or adults in need of protection within the Church please contact Marie Gormley, the Diocesan Designated Liaison Person (DLP) at 075 9650 0793, or at mariegormley@derrydiocese.org
Additional contact numbers: Northern Ireland PSNI Tel: 101 or Social Services Western HSC Trust Tel: 028 7131 4090 (Ask for Duty Social Worker)

WORLD YOUTH DAY

Derry Diocesan Youth is taking a group on Pilgrimage to World Youth Day in Lisbon, from 25th July – 7th August 2023. This pilgrimage is for over 18s. Limited places available: if you would be interested in travelling on the pilgrimage, or finding out more, please contact Lizzie Rea on lizzie.rea@derrydiocese.org.

DUNGIVEN LIBRARY – Tell Me Another One, an introduction to Storytelling. On Tuesday 28th March from 2.00 – 5.00 pm. Booking essential: Tel: 028 777 41475.

KEVIN LYNCH H. C. - *Lotto no's 9, 19, 25 & 30.* Lucky dip: Bernie & Dermot McLaughlin. Jackpot: £5,425.

WHIST DRIVE – In St. Peter's Hall, Drumsum, Sun. 19th March at 7.30 pm.

S.V.P. HELPLINE 079 2792 9923

Our parish envelopes are due to be distributed at the end of March. If you would like a box of envelopes or to change over to paying by Standing Order, contact the parish office.

Happy Mother's Day