26th May 2024 **Dungiven Parish Bulletin** No 1740 Fr. Séamus Kelly P.P. Tel: 777 41219. Fr. Joseph Varghese C.C. Tel. 777 41256. Fr. David O'Kane (Claudy) Tel: 71 337 727. Fr. Micheal McGavigan (Banagher) Tel: 777 81223. Mgr. Bryan McCanny (Limavady) Tel: 777 29759. Fr. Paddy Doherty (Maghera) Tel: 79642496 Parish Office Tel: 777 40702. Email address <u>dunpar@icloud.com</u> Parish Website www.dungivenparish.com

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:

Monday - Friday at 10.00 am. St. Matthew's: Tuesday 9.15 am. Note! No Mass on Thursday.

Imm. Conception: Monday 9.15 am. Note! No Mass on Wednesday.

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

CONFESSIONS: Sat. 5.30 – 5.45 pm. in St. Patrick's.

LAST WEEKS COLLECTION: £2,305 Thank you to all who contributed. <u>Please Note: There is an envelope in your box</u> for the graveyard collection, which will be taken up on the weekend of Cemetery Sunday (1st / 2nd June).

MEDJUGORJE PRAYER MEETING - On Tuesday 28th May at 7.00 pm.

PARISH PILGRIMAGE TO MEDJUGORJE Fr. Séamus, will be Spiritual Director for our parish pilgrimage of 53 pilgrims to Medjugorje on 5th June. Anyone wishing to send a petition or make a donation to Mary's Meal's, please leave it in the box beside the **Sacred Heart Statue.** Your donation will go to Mary's Meal's who each day are reaching more than 2.2 million children with a nutritious school meal in 20 countries.

S.V.P. HELPLINE 079 2792 9923

Fr. Séamus will be on the Diocesan Retreat in Dromantine this week. Please keep all the priest of the dioceses in your prayers

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: June: 15^{th} , 22^{nd} & 29^{th} . July: 6^{th} , 13^{th} & 20^{th} . Baptisms will take place at 3.00 pm. Two weeks notice must be given for all Baptism bookings.

<u>The Baptism Course</u> 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. <u>Mon. 10th</u> June at 7.30 pm. in the Committee Room.

LEGION OF MARY - The Rosary will take place at Mary's Grotto, St. Patrick's Church grounds, every Monday of May **at 8.00 pm.** Intentions: "For the Sick and the Holy Souls".

VOCATIONS PRAYER - For those discerning their call to serve as priests of the diocese of Derry, that they will grow in their personal vocational journey through human, pastoral, spiritual, and community formation that will lead them to be credible witnesses of the Gospel as they lead God's people to know the love of God who is Father, Son, and Holy Spirit. (Adapted from Pope Francis' intentions for the month of May).

Sacred Heart Novena starts from Thurs. 30th May - Fri. 7th June.

DO THIS IN MEMORY MASS Next Sunday 2nd June at 11.30 am. CEMETERY SUNDAY DATES Imm. Conception: Sat. 1st June <u>Note: after 4.30 pm. Mass.</u> St. Matthew's: Sunday 2nd June after 10.15 am. Mass. St. Patrick's: Sun. 2nd June at 3.00 pm. At St. Patrick's, People should assemble at their graves before 3.00 pm. <u>Please do</u> not bring your car into the church grounds except for Invalids and disabled.

Please bring a bottle of tap water with you and this will be blessed at the service so that each family can sprinkle their graves with Holy Water, and also any grave near by if no family member is present.

ST. PATRICK'S GRAVEYARD A trailer has been placed in the grounds of St. Patrick's until Friday 31st May. <u>This is for the disposal of grass and cuttings from the graves</u>. *Please Note! No stones or clay to be put into the trailer*.

CORPUS CHRISTI

The Children from all our parish schools who have recently made their First Holy Communion are invited to the **11.30 am**. **Mass today Sun. 2nd June** to take part in the Corpus Christi procession with the Blessed Sacrament.

EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS FOR JUNE ST. PATRICK'S: Saturday 6.00 pm. Phelim Murphy & Mary Claire Murphy Sunday 9.00 am. Rory McGilligan & Nuala McAreavey Sunday 11.30 am. Bernadette & Martin Millar

READERS FOR JUNE - ST. PATRICK'S: Saturday 6.00 pm. – Frances McReynolds Sunday 9.00 am. – Carmel Carlin Sunday 11.30 am. – Celine McKenna PLEASE NOTE! Construction of the new porch at the entrance to the Blessed Sacrament Chapel, Parish office and Committee room will no longer be available for the next 4 weeks. However there will be access through the sacristy to the Blessed Sacrament Chapel, Parish office and Committee room. *Please follow the signs.*

AN EXAM PRAYER

God stay close to me today Guide my study and light my way. Ease my nerves and comfort me with

peace and love so tenderly. May I remember the things I need And understand all I study and read.

May I strive to give my best And do myself justice in each test. May the topics I know and like appear On the exam paper to lessen my fear. And during the moments I feel stressed I'll try to remember the ways I'm blessed. And if there are times that I feel at sea, Help me to trust that you're here with me. Amen.

CHARISMATIC PRAYER GROUP - Meeting on Thurs. at 7.00 pm. committee room.

BENEDY COMM. ASSOC. - **A. G. M.** on Mon. 27^{th} May @ 8.30 pm in the centre. C.S.R. Training on Sat. 1^{st} & 15^{th} June. To book Tel: Gabriel on 075 2329 3095.

KEVIN LYNCH H. C. - Lotto no's: 8, 9, 17 & 30. Lucky dip: Shonna Ui Cheallaigh. Jackpot: £7,000. *Bingo: Fridays at 8.00 pm*.

WHIST DRIVE - In St. Peter's Hall, Drumsurn, Sun. 26th May at 7.30 pm.

DUNGIVEN & BOVEVAGH MOTHERS UNION - Are celebrating 90 years of membership and are holding a Wedding Dress Festival in Dungiven Church of Ireland. This event will commence with an opening service on Fri. 31st May at 7.30 pm. The Church will be open on Sat. 1st June from 10.00 am. – 6.00 pm. with teas available in the Church Hall.