

GOD'S COTTAGE

GLENDALOUGH

Day of prayer with Fr Thaddeus Doyle (author of "Curate's Diary") **Saturday 24th May**. Walk around old monastic ruins and St Kevin's cell. Coach £15. Take packed lunch. For details and booking tel Gabrielle 028 87784964, mob 07933 521 105 or Pauline 028 3754 8716.

SOUTHERN AREA HOSPICE WALK

Sat 17 May – Walkers of all abilities welcome. Join us for a fun filled weekend walking in one of the most visited places in Ireland. Staying in the Mill Times Hotel, Westport where you can relax to recuperate after a long day's walk. For more info contact Denise on 028 3025 1333 or email doyled@southernareahospice.org

LADIES' NIGHT IN

Edendork Parent Support group is hosting a "Ladies' Night In" on **Tues 29 April from 7.30-9.30pm** in the Primary School. A range of therapies and beauty treatments will be available for you to enjoy. Drinks reception at 7.30 and a light supper will be served. Admission £10 all inclusive. Proceeds towards school funds. Tickets available through the school or via our Facebook page 'Ladies' Night In' or by calling Kathy on 07818 058 081 or Monica on 07739 875 549 or through any PSG member. Your support is much appreciated!

1st TYRONE SCOUTS

BINGO every **Monday at 8.30pm sharp**. Please show your support for your local Scout Hall. Free tea/coffee. Snowball, Flyover and Lotto. Free prize draw each week. Books £5. Flyer £2.

HOSPICE WALK

The 23rd Annual Southern Area Hospice Towpath Walk will take place on **Sun 27 April**. The 6K walk, which is organised by Hospice volunteer, Deborah Kennedy, will leave The Cue Club, Newry at 3pm. Everyone is welcome. To register contact Anne on 028 3025 1333 or email macoscara@southernareahospiceservices.org All proceeds to Southern Area Hospice Services.

TRAD FOR TRÓCAIRE

Thanks to all who supported the recent Trad for Trócaire event in the Gables. It was a real feast of local talent. The amount raised was £1,036 which is in effect twice that amount as it will be matched pound for pound by the Government. Chicks for Kenya raised a further £45. Your generosity is greatly appreciated.

YOGA & RELAXATION

6 week programmes commencing **Tue 29 April** (10am) and **Thurs 1 May** (10am or 7pm). Madeleine McBride Holistic Lifestyle Coach BSC Hons, IA, YFNI, CBRT. Tel: 07871 536 206 www.madeleineinmcbride.co.uk

CHARITY SALE

St Joseph's Young Priests' Society invite you to a sale of work and cake sale in St Teresa's Hall after all Masses on **Sun 4 May**. Please support our clerical students. Gift donations welcome. Tel. 028 8772 2895 or 07909 967 753. New members are welcome to join us at our next meeting on **29 April at 8pm** in the Convent.

DGN THOMAS CLARKE GFC

Lotto: 1, 18, 19, 20. 5 match 3 winners. Jackpot now £1,800. **Clarks Og's P3 to P7 Mondays at 6.45pm** at St Patrick's College, Killymeal Road.



St. Patrick's



St. Brigid's



Sacred Heart



St. Malachy's

Parish of Dungannon

Rt. Rev. Dean C. Curry PP, Tel 8772 2775

Fr. S. White, Fr. D Glocko, Fr. R. McAleer. Tel: 8772 2631

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Easter Sunday

20th April 2014

Dear Parishioners,

On behalf of all the priests in the parish, I wish you a very happy Easter and pray that the Risen Lord will fill your hearts and your homes with his peace and joy. As one of the psalms puts it, "This day was made by the Lord, we rejoice and are glad". Easter is a remarkable day in human history. It is a time of new life and a celebration of God's love that brings light in to darkness, hope in to despair and victory in to defeat. Without the resurrection of Jesus there would be no Christianity and no promise of life eternal. Love has won the day and the glory of God is revealed in all its splendour.

Easter stands at the very heart of our faith. The Catechism notes that there are no eye-witnesses to the resurrection and no one can describe how it happened physically. The evidence we do have, however, rests on two key events contained in the Gospels. Firstly, the empty tomb as described by John and witnessed by the Beloved Disciple and Peter; secondly, the testimony of the apostles who witnessed the appearance of the Risen Christ in their lives shortly after his death. In reference to the physical resurrection, the Catechism states that "in his risen body, he passes from the state of death to another life beyond time and space... Jesus' body is filled with the power of the Holy Spirit".

The Gospels do not explain the resurrection; the resurrection explains the Gospels. Belief in the resurrection is not an appendage to the Christian faith; it is the Christian faith.

On this great day we share the sentiments of one writer:

"Risen Lord, shed your light on those who live in the shadow of death and warm the hearts of those who have lost hope, that they who daily bear the cross of hunger may find your Promised Land, and move from slavery to freedom. As we proclaim your Easter song help us to die to greed and rise to justice, to abandon apathy and take up action, that rich and poor together may travel the road to freedom and be restored by the gift of that New Life that is offered to us through your resurrection."

With every blessing for a lovely Easter,
Colum Curry PP

Sunday Masses (including Vigil):

St. Patrick's: Sat at 6.15pm
Sun: 8am, 10.30am
& 12.30pm

Polish Mass: Easter Sun at 6am

Edendork: Sun at 10am & 12noon

Clonmore: Sun at 10am

Killyman: Sun at 11am

NB: NO Polish Mass at 5.30pm on Easter Sunday

WEEKDAY MASSES

(Easter Week)

St Patrick's

Mon - Sat 10am only
Polish Mass Mon at 12noon

No 10am Mass in St Malachy's on Fri 25 April

Novena prayers will be said during the **10.00 am Mass** on Monday.

LATIN MASS

Traditional Latin mass will be celebrated in St. Patrick's Church, Dungannon on **Sat 3 May at 2pm** (Solemn High Mass)

Baptisms

St Patrick's: 1st & 3rd Sunday of each month at 1.30pm; Country Churches: 2nd & 4th Sunday of each month after Mass. We welcome into our community Charli Grace Fisher, Ella Grace Rafferty-Holt, Dominik Krysztor Wlodarczyk, Gabriella Landi.

RECENTLY DECEASED

Geraldine Scullion, Fairmount Park
Matilda Colton, Altmore Drive
Alfredo Monteiro, Lambfield Drive
Annie Kelly, McKee's Terrace
Mary Kelly, Mournebeg Drive
Nellie McDonald, Lisnahull Road
Anthony Foster, formerly Dungannon
Margaret McCourt, Edendork

FIRST FRIDAY (2 May)**Masses:**

St Patrick's: 7.45am, 10am & 7.30pm
Edendork: 10am
Killyman: 11.00am
Clonmore: 7.30pm
The sick and housebound will be visited during the week

COFFEE MORNING

Tea/Coffee will be served after 10am Mass in St Teresa's Hall on **Fri 2 May**. Everyone welcome.

OUR LADY'S GROTTA**EDENDORK**

Rosary prayed at 8.30pm every Thursday. Everyone welcome!

TRÓCAIRE BOXES

If you have not already done so, please bring your Trócaire boxes to the church this week. Please leave them in the containers provided, or hand them in to the sacristy. *Do not leave them unattended in the church at any time.*

PLEASE CONVERT COINS INTO

NOTES to assist counting. *Cheques should be made payable to 'St Patrick's Parish – Trócaire.'*

PRIESTS' EASTER DUES

These will be taken up at all Masses this weekend (19/20 April). There is a pink envelope in your box for this. Please note that direct debit contributions do not cover pink or yellow envelope collections.

Priests' Dues cheques should be made payable to 'Parochial House Account'. Cheques for the parish weekly collection should be made payable to **'St Patrick's Parish Dungannon'.**

BULLETIN

There will be no bulletin on Sunday 27 April. Notices for 4 May bulletin should reach the Parish Office by 12 noon on Wed 30 April. Email : parishofdungannon@lycos.com

ROTA FOR MAY**Eucharistic Ministers**

St Patrick's:
6.15pm M McKenna, D Barker
D Sharkey, D McCann
8.00am M Fahy, N Jordan
10.30am C McKee, S Joy,
S Saji, F McGarrity
12.30pm M Canavan, V Weir
R Glackin

Readers

St Patrick's:
6.15pm M Quinn, M Gallagher
8.00am S O'Kane
10.30am E Gormley, O Gormley
12.30pm P Mallon, K Loughran

Clonmore:

04 May T O'Hagan
11 May J O'Donnell
18 May H McAlinden
25 May D Dynes

Killyman:

04 May A McGilly
11 May A Fox
18 May B Morgan
25 May B McGahan

Edendork 10am:

04 May D Mallon
11 May A Currie
18 May C Mallon
25 May E Goodwin

12 noon:

4 May P McIvor
11 May C McGeary
18 May C Hughes
25 May M Martin

STEWARDS

6.15pm P Sherry, S Hamill
T Bullock, I Donnelly
K Murray, J McCann
8.00am J Weir, S Murphy,
J F Kelly, E Goodwin
10.30am J Kelly, C Small,
M Kelly M Hamill,
K McCaughery
F McArdle,
A McSwiggan
12.30pm J McCausland, G Reid
P J Quinn, N O'Hagan,
C McCall, J J Devlin
M Whitmore, J Ruddy

Church Cleaning:

N Plumridge, L Wray
E McCabe

Counters:

A Quinn, E Brady, M Hayes
B Donoghue, A Daly, J Daly
R Casey, B Casey, E Marshall

Altar Society:

A McElroy, M Fee

ONE DAY RETREATS

Come on a 'One Day Retreat' to Lough Derg, a guided day of prayer and reflection, including the celebration of Eucharist. One Day Retreats begin on Sat 3 May and follow on: 4, 5, 10, 11, 13, 17, 18, 20, 24, 25 and 26.

Booking is essential, contact Lough Derg 0035371 9861518 / 028 686 32391, email: infoa2loughderg.org

Collection Sunday 13 April

TOTAL: £5,130.00

SPRED

Sessions will resume for all Catechists and helpers from **Mon 28 April**. Each group will meet with their special friends at the same time and same evening as previously during the week commencing 5 May.

CHANGE OF MASS TIME

Mass in St Brigid's, Killyman will be at **3pm on Sun 27 April**. **There will be no 11am Mass that day.**

Useful Phone Numbers

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| Samaritans: | 3833 3555 |
| ACCORD: | 3833 4781 |
| Child Line: | 9032 7773 |
| WAVE: | 0800 337755 |
| (Trauma Counselling) | 0800 776600 |
| CRUSE: | 8778 4004 |
| Domestic Violence: | 9033 1818 |
| St. Vincent de Paul: | 8772 7323 |
| Retrouvaille, supporting troubled marriages: | 028 9049 2777 |
| Parents Advice Centre: | 0808 8010722 |
| Gamblers Anonymous: | 028 71351329 |
| Lourdes Office: | 07511 047866 |
| Aras Mhuire Bookshop: | (028) 8772 6852 |
| Niamh Louise Foundation: | 07717 876037 |
| Bereavement Support Group: | 07857 108 988 |
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