

BLESSING OF GRAVES

Clonmore: **Sun 4 June** after 10am Mass
Killyman: **Sun 18 June** after 11am Mass
Edendork: **Fri 23 June** at 7.30pm
Dungannon: **Sun 25 June** at 7pm

As an act of kindness, it has been suggested that parishioners are encouraged, when tidying up their own family graves in preparation for the Blessing ceremonies, they consider tidying up an adjacent grave which is perhaps unattended or where they know the family are unable to care for it.

ARASMHUIRE

Religious Goods & Bookshop

14 Irish Street, Dungannon

Tel: 028 8772 6852

Email: arasmhuire@lycos.com

First Holy Communion Cards & Gifts

Grave ornaments and candles

Now able to accept card payments

Open 9.30am – 5.00pm Mon – Sat.

Open during lunch hour.

SOUTH TYRONE MEN'S SHED.

The AGM of STMS will take place at 7pm on **Wed 7 June** in the Old Convent School, Northland Row. Everyone is welcome.

Annual Novena in honour of St Jude

Calvary Omeath

Sat 3 June – Sun 11 June

Mass each evening at 7.30pm

Healing Mass on **Sun 11 June at 7.30pm.**

SOUTHERN AREA HOSPICE

Car Boot Sale in Edendork Hall Car Park on **Sun 21 of May at 10am.**

YOUNG ADULT PILGRIMAGE TO ROME

28 Oct – 2 Nov (5 nights) £540.00

For more information please contact Dermot on 028/048 3752 3084 or e-mail armaghyouth@yahoo.co.uk

ABCD Diabetes Family Support Group

will be hosting their next get-together on **Thurs 25 May at 7pm in the HUB Craigavon.** Guest speaker will be paediatric Diabetes Nurse, Pauline Ingram. We really hope you can attend to support the new Armagh Banbridge Craigavon and Dungannon Group. If you need further information please contact us on 028 9066 6646.

The 1+1 Project

“YOU ARE NOT ALONE”

For anyone from the minority ethnic community who is feeling stressed, lonely, unwell, or is using medicine, drugs, or alcohol to overcome your issues. For more information, please do not hesitate to contact Virginia Salvador at STEP. Tel: 028 877 50211 or email virginia.salvador@stepni.org

ACCORD MARRIAGE PREPARATION COURSES

Course 1 - Tue 12, 19 & 26 September

Course 2 - Tue 7, 14, & 21 November

To book phone 028 3833 4781.

CHEST HEART & STROKE

Charity car boot, raffle & fun day at Ace Coaches Yard, 2 Windmill Hill Rd, Dungannon on **Sunday 28 May 2017,** 2.00pm – 6.00pm.

Malachi Cush/Lauren McCrory/ Pandy Walsh/Wee Tom/Chris Morrow and much more!!

All proceeds for Chest, Heart & Stroke.

Parish of Dungannon

Killyman, Drumglass & Tullyniskin

St Patrick's, Dungannon

St Malachy's, Edendork

St Brigid's, Killyman, Sacred Heart, Clonmore



Sixth Sunday of Easter

21 May 2017

Contact us: www.parishofdungannon.com Email: info@parishofdungannon.com

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Dear Parishioners

Today's gospel passage records some of what Jesus said to his closest friends in the room where they had just shared the Last Supper. He speaks about his close bond to God the Father and he extends that bond to include all who keep his commandments. While Jesus is soon to leave them in his human form he assures his friends that he will ask God to send the Holy Spirit to be with them and with all his disciples forever. That promise was fulfilled fifty days later, at Pentecost, when the descent of the Holy Spirit transformed fear into courage and sent those early disciples out into the streets of Jerusalem and beyond to tell all the world about Jesus.

God sent the Holy Spirit – as Jesus says in today's gospel – “to be with you forever”. That “you” includes us. The Holy Spirit is a real element of God that loves us and cares for us and is a source of strength and encouragement to every baptised person in each generation in all of our individual situations. The Holy Spirit inspires and enables us to build a better world by opening our ears, eyes, hearts and minds to all that is good and true and beautiful. As we respond to the guidance of the Holy Spirit we actively assist in building up the Kingdom of God in our world. We become true companions of Jesus, placing our lives in his hands and he in turn will make use of our lives to do great things for the benefit of ourselves and others and for the glory of God.

Fr Kevin Donaghy PP

SUNDAY MASSES (including Vigil):

St. Patrick's: Sat at 6.15pm
Sun at 8.00am, 10.30am & 12.30pm
Polish Mass: Sun at 5.30pm
Edendork: 10am & 12noon
Clonmore: Sun at 10am
Killyman: Sun at 11am

WEEKDAY MASSES

St Patrick's
Mon -Fri: 7.45am, 10am, & 7.30pm
Sat: 10.00am
St Malachy's: Fri: 10.00am

Novena prayers will be said during the 7.30pm Mass on Monday.

CONFESSIONS

St Patrick's
Mon-Sat 9.15am – 9.55 am
Saturday 12.30pm – 1.00pm
5.30pm – 6.00pm

BAPTISMS

Please contact the Parish Office on **028 8772 6893**, to arrange.
Please give at least 2 weeks' notice.
We welcome to the Parish;
Emily Marques Garcia
Karol Ostapiuk
Emma Maisie Mena Connor

**OUR LADY'S GROTTTO
EDENDORK**

Rosary at Grotto **8.30pm every Thurs.**

**ST PATRICK'S CHARISMATIC
PRAYER GROUP**

Meets every Wednesday at 8.00pm in the Convent.

**PARISH COLLECTION
14 May 2017**

£ 5,824-00, includes envelopes, direct debits and loose plate.



**FIRST COMMUNION
CELEBRATIONS**

We remember all the young boys and girls in our Parish who are receiving their First Holy Communion at this time of year. We thank their teachers, parents and all who have supported and helped them to this special stage in their lives

RECENTLY DECEASED

Emmett McNally, formerly Clonmore
Winifred Connolly, Springdale
Joan O'Neill, Donaghmore Rd
Nancy Feeney, Altmore Drive
James McKeown, Drumcoo Green
Please remember them in your prayers.

FEAST DAYS

May 22 – St Rita
May 25 - St Bede, St Gregory,
St Mary Magdalene de Passi
May 26 - St Philip Neri
May 27 – St Augustine



PENTECOST NINE DAY NOVENA

Fri 26 May – Sat 3 June.
Each evening at 8.00pm in the Convent Chapel, Dungannon. Finishing with a Vigil Mass on **Sat 3 June.**

Speakers –

*Fri 26 May, Deacon John Taaffe
Wed 31 May, Brendan Conway,
Fri 2 June, Helen Murphy.*

Everyone Welcome.

LOUGH DERG 2017:- Season opens for One Day Retreats on **Mon 1 May.** Retreats continue on **May 20, 21, 22, 27, 28 & 29.** Advance booking is essential, Tel: 0035371 9861518 or email info@loughderg.org. The Three Day Pilgrimage season begins on **Thurs 1 June**, pre-booking not required.

**ARMAGH DIOCESAN ANNUAL
PILGRIMAGE TO KNOCK.**

Sun 28 May.

Leaving 8am from Convent car park.
Tea & Scones included.
Fare £15-00.
To book contact:
James Morgan 07771810558

Dates for Cursillo Weekend 2017

Benburb Priory

Women **25 – 28 May**

Contact Martin on 87748623 or
Jim on (042) 9332341 for further
information.

**Dungannon Area Churches' Forum
Family Festival Of Praise**

Sun 28 May at 5.00pm

in Dungannon Park.
St Patrick's Church & Youth Choirs,
Donaghmore.
All welcome. Free admission.

All Ireland Rosary Rally

Knock Shrine Co Mayo

Sat 3 June

Main celebrant: Bishop Brendan Kelly
Homilist: Fr Thady Doyle
June 3 is also the 25th anniversary of the death of servant of God Fr Patrick Peyton, the Rosary Priest.

**A Music Workshop With Fr Liam
Lawton: "The Mass Of St Patrick"**

Stonebridge Pastoral Centre,
Stonebridge,
Co Armagh BT61 8QL

Wed 7 June from 7.30pm – 9.30pm.

Cost £12 per person which covers Music Book and Workshop costs. Stonebridge is just off the main Armagh/Portadown Rd. At Stonebridge Roundabout, see sign for St Patrick's Church. The Pastoral Centre is located beside the Church.

Visit of Relic of St Teresa of Calcutta

To St Patrick's Cathedral, Armagh
Thurs 8 June – Saturday 10 June

FORTIFY

Catholic Youth Ministry Conference
2017.

Inspiring effective youth ministry at a parish level. Sat **10 June 2017** (9:00a.m-5:00p.m), St. Paul's, Arran Quay, Dublin. Followed by world renowned Contemporary Catholic Music Artist Matt Maher Concert (7:00p.m-10:00p.m).

Cost: €30 Euros.

Book via www.fortify2017.ie or
E-mail dermot@adyc.ie

EXAMINATION TIME

We remember in prayer all the young people in our parish who are doing exams in the coming days and weeks. We pray that God may send his Spirit upon all of them and may they be guided in the work that they do.

EXAMINATIONS PRAYER

Dear Lord, help me to approach my exams with a clear head and a calm mind. Give me your strength and your peace, and let me do justice to all that I have learned. Thank you, Lord for all my gifts and talents. Amen.