

ANNIVERSARY NOTICES

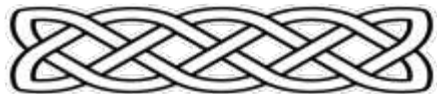
Parishioners who wish to have a deceased person prayed for at any of the Masses in any of the churches in the Parish, should submit the person's name and date of anniversary, in writing, to the Sacristan of the relevant church, at least one week before the date of the anniversary.

Please note that anniversaries are not carried forward from year to year.

A list of anniversaries for the entire year may also be submitted at that time. Alternatively these details may be sent by email to the Parish Office at info@parishofdungannon.com (Monday to Thursday only).

Ó FIAICH LIBRARY

Fr Gerry O'Hanlon SJ will give a talk on his recent book, "The Quiet Revolution of Pope Francis: A Synodal Catholic Church in Ireland?" in the Ó Fiaich Library, Armagh, on **Sat, 19 Jan**, from **10.00am - 1.00 pm**. All are welcome.



RETROUVAILLE

A Lifeline for Married Couples: Do you want to improve the communication with your spouse? Do you feel lost, alone or bored in your marriage? Are you hurt, frustrated or angry with your spouse? Does talking about it only make it worse?

The Retrouvaille programme can help marriages at all stages. Next programme starts **8 - 10 Feb**.

For information contact Tony & Anne (003531) 495 3536, Mike & Anne (003531) 450 0922, text or call 086 413 5440. Email - info@retrouvaille.ie or visit - www.retrouvaille.ie

TRÓCAIRE THANKS

The amount realised through gift sales and donations is £2,433.33 We thank everyone for their support and generosity and wish all our friends of Trócaire good health and happiness for 2019.

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DATES FOR THE DIARY 2019

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION

Gael Scoil Aodh Rua - May 11
Windmill, Dgn & St Patrick's PS - May 18

Clintyclay PS - May 25

Edendork PS - June 1

Laghey PS - June 8

CONFIRMATION June 15 & 16

BLESSING OF GRAVES

St Brigid's Killyman - Sun 2 June after 11.00am Mass

Sacred Heart, Clonmore - Sun 9 June after 10.00am Mass

St Malachy's Edendork - Fri 14 Jun at 7.30pm

St Patrick's, Dungannon - Sun 23 Jun at 7.00pm



Parish of Dungannon

Killyman, Drumglass & Tullyniskin

St Patrick's Dungannon, St Malachy's Edendork,
St Brigid's Killyman, Sacred Heart Clonmore

Contact us: www.parishofdungannon.com

Email: info@parishofdungannon.com

The Baptism of the Lord

13 January 2019

Dear Parishioners,

Baptism was the way in which Jesus presented himself to his people at the beginning of his mission. On the banks of the river Jordan, Jesus – though not a sinner – took his place among the procession of sinners who were turning towards God through the pathway of repentance and baptism. By mingling with his people in this way he took upon himself the burden of our sins and he began gathering all people into the one family of God. The baptism of Jesus was an event in the history of salvation that opened up the possibility of a new relationship for people with their creator. Indeed, it so intimately united us with Jesus that we too can be called God's children.

Today's feast reminds us of our own baptism and presents us with an opportunity to reflect on the implications of leading our lives as baptised persons, brothers and sisters of Jesus. Belonging to God's family involves obligations to be undertaken and decisions to be made about how we are to think and act. We are invited to respond to the call of Jesus to do good and to follow in his footsteps by being fair in our dealings with others and being kindly in our conversations and decent in our caring and sharing. We are offered the exciting challenge of getting alongside Jesus and playing our part to make the world a better place. Let's think about it: the options and opportunities are endless.

Very Rev Dean Kevin Donaghy PP VG

Very Rev Dean Kevin Donaghy, PP, VG – 028 8772 2775

Curates - Fr Aidan McCann, Fr Cathal Deveney

Deacon Andy Hegarty, Deacon Tony Hughes – 028 8772 2631

EMERGENCY CALLS ONLY -07518 542 360 PARISH OFFICE - 028 8772 6893

MASS & CONFESSION TIMES

SUNDAY MASSES:

St. Patrick's: Sat at 6.15pm Vigil Mass

Sun at 8.00am, 10.30am & 12.30pm

Edendork: 9am & 12noon

Clonmore: Sun at 10am

Killyman: Sun at 11am

WEEKDAY MASSES

St Patrick's

Mon -Fri: 7.45am & 10am

Mon & Fri only: 7.30pm

Sat: 10.00am

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

CONFESSIONS

St Patrick's

Mon-Fri 9.30am – 9.55 am

Sat – 12.30pm – 1.00pm

& 5.45pm – 6.10pm.

OUR LADY'S GROTTTO EDENDORK

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

ST BRIGID'S, KILLYMAN SACRED HEART, CLONMORE

Rosary prayed each **Tuesday at 7.30pm.**

LEGION OF MARY

Meet every **Wed after 10am Mass.**

New members are welcome.

CHARISMATIC PRAYER GROUP

Meet every **Wed at 8.00pm** in the Convent.

PARISH COLLECTION

Sun 6 Jan £4,565-68

PARISH STATISTICS 2018

Baptisms – 177

Confirmations – 194

Marriages – 30

Deaths – 87

First Friday Visits 127 (Each month)

Home visits – 200

RECENTLY DECEASED

Please remember in your prayers

Joseph Conlon, Sanville Nursing Home

Maureen Rafferty, Ardbeg

Stephen Mallon, Edendork

Margaret Woods, Carland Rd

Pat O'Neill, Mullaghmore Park



BAPTISMS

We welcome to the Parish,

Thomas McGillie

To arrange a baptism please contact
the Parish Office (028 8772 6893).

Parents and Godparents are asked to attend a short evening meeting in St Teresa's Hall, in preparation for the baptism of their child - details from Parish Office.

Baptism meeting Tue 8 Jan at 7.30pm

WEDDINGS

We congratulate the following couple who were married in the parish recently:

Martin Bell & Claire Donnelly

ST THOMAS AQUINAS

Monday Nights - 21 Jan – 18 Feb.

8.00 pm to 9.00 pm

Selected Texts from the writings of St Thomas Aquinas - in St Teresa's Hall - with Fr Cathal Deveney.

CHRISTIAN UNITY WEEK

As part of the Week of Prayer for Christian Unity an interdenominational Service will be held in St Patrick's Catholic Cathedral, Armagh, on **Wed, 23 Jan at 7.30pm.** The guest preacher will be the Right Revd Kenneth Good, Church of Ireland Bishop of Derry and Raphoe.

The Centennial Pilgrim Statue of Our Lady of Fatima, blessed by Pope Francis in 2017 for the 100th Anniversary Year of Fatima, is making a return visit to Ireland.

This beautiful Image of Our Lady is accompanied by Alliance of the Two Hearts Missionary Team and will visit St Patrick's Church, Dungannon on **Fri 18 Jan** with Welcoming Mass at 10am. The Statue will be taken to the schools. It will return to St Patrick's Church at 5.30 pm to 9.00pm for Public Veneration and Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament. This is a great opportunity for the families and Prayer Groups to come along and pray for healing and peace in these troubled times. On **Sat 19 Jan** Holy Mass will be celebrated at 10am in honour of Our Lady and public veneration and Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament will continue throughout the day, another opportunity for parishioners and families to pray. At **6.00pm**, prior to the Vigil Mass at 6.15pm, a member of the Two Hearts Missionary Team will give a talk on the Fatima Message and the C.A.R.E lifestyle (Confession, Adoration, Rosary and Eucharist). This is a special Mass of Consecration of the Parish and individual consecration of families to the Hearts of Jesus Mary. To complete the consecration you are invited to enrol in the Brown Scapular for protection if you would like to avail of this.

DAY OF PRAYER IN KNOCK

given by Fr. Kilian Byrne

"Lord to whom shall we go?"

Knock Shrine - **Sat 2 Feb, 10am-5pm**

Talks, Rosary, Adoration, Mass

Further Info: Helen 035386 1678027

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ST PATRICK'S COLLEGE, DUNGANNON

Open Evening for all P7 Pupils takes place on **Thurs 24 Jan** commencing with the Principal's address at 6.30pm. Everyone welcome.

St Joseph's Grammar School Scoil Iósaef Open Evening Thursday 17 January

St. Joseph's Grammar School invite P7 Boys and Girls and their parents and carers to our Open Evening on

Thurs 17 Jan

Session 1: 4.30pm - 6.30pm,

Session 2: 7.00pm - 9.00pm.

Principal's Address at 4.30pm and 7.00pm. Further details can be obtained by contacting the school office on 028 8776 1227. We look forward to seeing you.

St Patrick's Academy Open Day

will be held on **Fri 25 Jan.** P7 pupils from local primary schools will receive an invitation to attend one session - either in the morning or the afternoon. Prospective pupils and their parents will have a unique opportunity to gain a valuable insight into Academy life. Enquiries: T:02887727400
www.stpatrickssacademy.org.uk

DEFIBRILLATOR COURSE

It is hoped to hold a second CPR and Defibrillator course in late January. This is particularly aimed at Church Stewards and those who would be able to help in the case of an emergency during Mass. If interested, please contact the Parish Office (02887 726893) as soon as possible as there are only six places remaining.