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ST MICHAEL'S PARISH

Enniskillen & Lisbellaw

Building Faith, Friendship, Community

Parish Messenger 6th February 2022

FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

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All emergency hospital calls for the Priest on Duty are made by the Staff Nurse on the Ward.

If you need to speak to a priest in an emergency, please phone the Switchboard on 028 66382000 and ask for the Priest on Duty.

MASSES FOR THE COMING WEEK

(Available to watch online @ https://mcnmedia.tv/camera/st-michaels-parish-eniskillen)

Masses also available via Parish Webcam. Obligation to attend suspended.

Table with columns for Day, Time, and Mass Details. Includes entries for Sat 5th Feb (6.00pm Vigil), Sun 6th Feb (8.00am, 10.30am, 12.00 noon), Sun 6th Feb (9.30am Lisbellaw), Mon 7th Feb (10.00am), Tue 8th Feb (10.00am), Wed 9th Feb (10.00am), Thur 10th Feb (10.00am), Fri 11th Feb (10.00am), Sat 12th Feb (10.00am), and 6.00pm Vigil.

Daily Devotions over the Parish Webcam

(Note the Exceptions listed below)

- 12.00pm Angelus (except Sunday when there is Mass)
3.00pm Divine Mercy (Monday to Saturday ONLY)
6.00pm Rosary Monday to Friday and 6.45pm on Saturday
7.00pm Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament and Divine Mercy (Sunday only)
10.00pm Night Prayer

SUMMARY OF PRESENT REGULATIONS RE: FUNERALS DURING ONGOING COVID-19 PANDEMIC

Anyone who is feeling even slightly unwell should remain at home for fear of infecting others.

Observe social distancing (stand 6' apart) - Face Covering mandatory while moving inside the church building - Avoid gathering on street outside.

- (a) Families will confer with the undertaker to provide a list of attendees in compliance with the number now permitted by regulation for Masses. No pre - and post-funeral gatherings at this time.
(b) Face Masks must be worn when entering, leaving and moving about the church.
(c) One reader for the Scripture Readings; one reader for the Prayer of the Faithful. Otherwise no physical interaction between sanctuary altar area and the body of the church.
(d) Music by soloists only.
(e) Please give your prayerful support by watching in over St Michael's Parish Webcam



Sunday Collection

Sunday 30th January - White Envelope - Weekly Offering to the Parish £2673.76

Pink Envelope - Repairs and Maintenance £1703.06

This Sunday 6th February - Blue Envelope - Monthly Offering to Priests & Pastoral Care

Next Sunday 13th February - White Envelope - Weekly Offering to the Parish

Deaths: Frances McGinley, Derryclawan Road, Lisbellaw; John Maguire, Erne Drive.

May they Rest in Peace.

Hearts on Fire - Confirmation preparation Masses

Thank you to everyone who attended the first preparation Mass for Confirmation. We have put together a video with some important details about the next steps! This video is on the Parish Facebook page or can be viewed and downloaded here:

https://drive.google.com/file/d/1zV4fJQ0XHBmyMCA99qncOGomQDDOBqgV/view

The next thing now for the Confirmation Candidates is to get REGISTERED. The details on how to do that have been sent to the schools. Please also supply the details of your child's baptism for the Parish Register here. If your daughter or son has been baptised here in St Michael's Parish, we have those details already. If not, you need to get those details off your child's Certificate of Baptism. (Ask that parish for a Certificate of Baptism). If your child has not been baptised, please let us know soon.

All those who are receiving the Sacrament of Confirmation this year are warmly invited with their families to some special preparation Masses here at St Michael's Parish. In a similar way to the Do this in Memory programme, we want to encourage our children to learn more about their faith through witnessing Mass and the faith of those around them. This is a new initiative, alongside the preparation children will do in school, that hopes to draw us all, candidates and Parishioners, into the great gift of the Sacraments!

Hearts on Fire Preparation Masses/ Services 2022

Table with columns for Day, Date, and Time. Includes SUNDAY February 6th 2022 (10:30am), SUNDAY March 6th 2022 (10:30am), and TUESDAY March 22nd 2022 (Service of Light 6:30pm).

St Joseph's Young Priests Society meeting will be held on Monday 7th February 2022 at 7.30pm in the Parish Centre. New members are welcome.

Parish Draw Our Parish draw will begin on 28th February 2022. The Parish Draw is the mainstay of building maintenance and development in the Parish. The Parish, as we have it, is a gift to us by the generations before us. Participation in the draw gives us an opportunity to do something for the future. You can make a difference by selling lines on a Draw Card for your family, friends and colleagues.

This would be very much appreciated. We would very much wish to thank all those who have done this for the Parish in the past and who continue to do it in the present. In this way, we will have a great outcome from the Parish Draw. £5 per month for the chance to win great prizes. A very high proportion of the draw money goes out in prizes making it a very good draw. Draw Cards are available from the Parish Office. Thank you for your continued support.

St Michael's Parish Shop Now open 6 days per week Monday - Saturday from 10.30am - 1.30pm. Pictures and books reduced by up to 20%. Also in stock, a great variety of Mass and greeting cards, gifts for baptisms, candles, statues, bibles, missals, books.

2022 All Ireland Eucharistic Conference: Saturday 5th February at 2pm live on Radio Maria Ireland. Speakers include Fr. John Mockler, Servant Sister of the Home of the Mother, Antoinette Moynihan (Children of the Eucharist) and Fr. Morty O'Shea.

FEAST OF OUR LADY OF LOURDES Next Friday, 11th Feb. - Mass of Thanksgiving in St Macartan's Cathedral, Monaghan at 7.30pm, The Mass is being celebrated on this special feast to mark the beginning of our journey towards the online pilgrimage to Lourdes in July; to pray for those who are sick and for our world as it recovers from the effects of the last two years of pandemic. Everyone is welcome to the Cathedral next Friday evening. The Celebrant will be Bishop Larry Duffy, Bishop of Clogher. The Mass can also be viewed via webcam at https://www.mcnmedia.tv/camera/st-macartans-cathedral-monaghan

Mary's Meals - Move for Meals: International school feeding charity, Mary's Meals, are launching a new fundraising campaign for the months of February and March. "Move for Meals" encourages supporters to set themselves a challenge and get active, while raising funds for children living in poverty. While just €18.30 feeds a child for an entire school year, every fundraising effort, no matter how big or small will have a huge impact. So, would you or your family organise a sponsored walk? Would your friends be up for more of a challenge? Are you part of a fitness club that needs some new year's motivation? Would your colleagues be interested in a team building day, such as going on a hike and raising funds in the process? Just visit www.marysmeals.ie to see how you can get involved or call Trish on 086 3140814.

Ministries: In due course, we will gradually introduce more Readers, Eucharistic Ministers and a new group of Altar Servers (P5 age and up). If you or your child would like to be involved in any of the above ministries, please contact the Parish Office, leaving your name & contact details.

The Talking Messenger can now be accessed by dialling 028 66 500560 the recording is less than ten minutes.

Congregations for Mass: Change in Arrangements

Please wear a Face Mask when you come to Mass

For Masses you will not need to give notice of your intention to attend. However, the number permitted to enter will remain that which can be safely accommodated.