

**ST MICHAEL'S PARISH  
Enniskillen & Lisbellaw**

Building Faith, Friendship, Community  
*Parish Messenger - 8th March 2020*

**SECOND SUNDAY OF LENT**

**Parish Priest:** Mgr. Peter O'Reilly  
**Curate:** Rev. Raymond Donnelly  
**Assistant Priest:** Rev. Joseph McVeigh  
**Parish Deacon:** Deacon Martin Donnelly  
**Priest on Duty:** Mgr Peter O'Reilly

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In the case of an emergency, please call the switchboard at The South West Acute Hospital (028 66382000) and ask for the Priest on Duty

**MASSES FOR THE COMING WEEK**

<b>Sat 7th March 6.00pm</b>	<b>(Vigil)</b>	<b>(Month's Mind)</b> Alice McCaffrey Riverside; <b>(Month's Mind)</b> Kevin Maguire, Rossole Road
<b>Sun 8th March 8.00am</b>		Donors' Intention
<b>Sun 8th March 10.30am</b>	<b>(First Anniversary)</b>	Tommy Reihill, Derrin Road;
<b>Sun 8th March 12.00noon</b>	<b>(First Anniversary)</b>	Gene Kearns and Philomena Kearns, Windmill Heights
<b>Sun 8th March Lisbellaw</b>		John and Nora Vesey, Drumlin Heights <i>(Next Sunday: (Month's Mind) Ann Gallagher, Drumdran, Lisbellaw)</i>
<b>Mon 9th March</b>	<b>2nd Week of Lent</b>	
7.15am		Donors' Intention
10.00am		Donors' Intention
6.00pm (Convent)		Vincent McIntyre, Loughview Drive
<b>Tue 10th March</b>	<b>2nd Week of Lent</b>	
7.15am		Donors' Intention
10.00am		Donors' Intention
<b>Wed 11th March</b>	<b>2nd Week of Lent</b>	
7.15am		Donors' Intention
10.00am		Theresa Devlin, Edinburgh
<b>Thu 12th March</b>	<b>2nd Week of Lent</b>	
7.15am		Donors' Intention
10.00am		Charlie & Bridie Gillen, Charlie (Junior) and Anthony Gillen and Bernard Adamson, Derrin Road
<b>Fri 13th March</b>	<b>2nd Week of Lent</b>	
7.15am		Donors' Intention
10.00am		Sylvia Faulds (nee Rogers) Drumgay Close
<b>Sat 14th March</b>	<b>2nd Week of Lent</b>	
10.00am		Gerry Dolan, Dublin Road; Paddy Cox, Tullevin Park & Seamus McCusker, Tempo; Gerard, Mabel and Dessie Burns, Wellington Place and Sheila O'Shea, Co. Kerry
6.00pm <b>(Month's Mind)</b>		Anna Monaghan, Derrin Road

**MASS AND CONFESSION TIMES**

<b>Weekday Mass Times:</b>	Monday - Saturday 10.00am - St Michael's Monday 6pm - Convent
<b>Weekend Mass Times:</b>	St Michael's: Vigil - Saturday 6.00pm Sunday 8.00am, 10.30am, 12.00 noon St Mary's Lisbellaw: Sunday 9.30am
<b>Confessions:</b>	Sat: 10.30am - 12.30pm; 5.00pm - 5.45pm

**Information about Funeral Arrangements**

Please phone the main parish number (028) 66 322075. Press 1 when the automated message begins. Funeral arrangements will be displayed on the easel inside the main door of the church.

**Coronavirus - COVID-19**

Precautions are notified at back of Church and on Facebook

**EUCARISTIC ADORATION**

Tue, Wed & Thurs: 10am - 9pm in the Crypt  
(Thurs: 10am - 12 noon in the Main Church)  
Fri: 7.00pm - 9.00pm in the Crypt  
Mon & Sat: 10am - 1pm in the Crypt (For Lent)

The Parish Messenger is published each week on [www.st-michaels.net](http://www.st-michaels.net)

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Office Tel No: 028 66322075 - Open Mon- Thursday 9.30am - 4.30pm

Friday 9.30am - 2.30pm

Masses available to view via our Parish Website at [www.st-michaels.net](http://www.st-michaels.net)

Sunday 1st March - Blue Envelope - Monthly Offering to the Priests and Pastoral Care

This Sunday 8th March - White Envelope - Weekly Offering to the Parish

Next Sunday 15th March - White Envelope - Weekly Offering to the Parish

**PARISH ENVELOPES**

You will notice a **Gift Aid Declaration Card** at the front of your new box of envelopes. If you wish to register as a Gift Aider please sign and date the enclosed card and drop it into the collection basket any Sunday or leave in Parish Office. Your Gift Aid Contributions will be greatly appreciated.

**CLOGHER DIOCESE IN DIALOGUE - a journey into the future.**

Bishop Larry Duffy is inviting all parishes to take part in a conversation to consider how we as a Church continue to sustain living parishes now and going into the future in Clogher Diocese. The meeting involving our parish and others in this Pastoral Area will be held in St Michael's Community Centre, Belmore Street on **Tuesday 10<sup>th</sup> March** beginning at **7.30pm** and to conclude by **9.30pm**.

**Deaths:** Joe Maguire, formerly Mary Street, Enniskillen & Carlow; Annie Donnelly, Eskra (Mother of Bernie Mulholland) Lisbellaw; Martin Roche, Waterford, formerly Kilmacormick Road (brother of Arthur Roche). *May they Rest in Peace.*

**Ministers of the Word for Sundays in March 2020:** **Saturday (Vigil) 6.00pm** Margaret O'Donoghue; **Sunday 8.00am** Bernard McGirr; **10.30am** Kevin/Dympna Slowey; **12.00noon** Conall O'Donnell.

**First Confessions: Wednesday 11th March at 7pm. Mrs Smith's Class, Mrs McGovern's Class & Mrs William's Class.**

**Parish Messenger Annual Subscription of £5 is now due.** Please pay the distributor in your area and say a word of *Thanks!!*

**Faith and Friendship** gathering will meet in St Michael's Parish Centre top floor from **7.30pm to 9.00pm** on **Monday 9th March**.

Everyone welcome to come and share in reflections written by Rev Ruth Patterson. For information contact John Phillips on 07707666290  
**Fermanagh Churches Forum** Lenten lunches begin this **Wednesday 11th March from 12.30pm to 1.45pm** in St Michael's Parish Centre next door to St Michael's Church. We look forward to welcoming you all!

**St Michael's Bereavement Support Service:** There is a Drop in service on the second Monday of every month **2-4pm** in the Sacristy St Michael's Church No appointment needed. Also if you would like to speak to a member of the Team please contact 028 66322075.

**Are you feeling anxious, depressed, uncertain about your future,** perhaps worried about debt or concerned about the place alcohol or drugs play in your life, help is available! For more information contact Action Mental Health AMH or New Horizons Fermanagh can be contacted on 02866323630, Places are limited, so make that call.

**Our regular Taizé prayer continues on Wednesday 12th March at 7.30pm.** Please note the change of venue, to the Convent Chapel. A beautiful time of chanted music, prayer and silence. All are welcome.

**Knock Shrine:** Please see notice and brochure at entrance of St Michael's Church and website [www.knockshrine.ie](http://www.knockshrine.ie) for details of upcoming retreat and themed events.

**Foodbank:** As a Parish, we want to make sure that no one in our local community has to go hungry at any time, but we need your help to make this happen. Your gift of food & financial support can make a real difference. To this end, we have placed a Foodbank collection point beside the Parish Messenger rack. Please donate what you can in terms of non perishable foods and or toiletries. Thank You.

**Battery Recycling:** Please deposit any old batteries in the our *Battery Recycling Box* near the inside door of St Michael's Church (right side). Together we can make a difference.

**'HOPE IN THE DARKNESS'**

A Lenten reflection with special guest speaker **Brendan McManus SJ.** Fr Brendan will speak at the **6.00pm Vigil Mass on 14th March** and at **12.00pm Mass on 15th March the Third Sunday of Lent.** This is an opportunity to hear Fr. Brendan's personal journey of Hope. There will be an opportunity to meet and greet Fr. Brendan after Mass in the Parish Centre. Everyone is welcome to this special Lenten Reflection.

**ST MICHAEL'S PARISH DRAW - MONTH 5**

**Will take place on Monday 9th March**  
**Promoters please make returns**  
**between 7 - 8pm in upper room in**  
**St Michael's Bookshop**

**Trócaire - Lent 2020** Around the world, families are living under constant threat of conflict, drought and land grabs. In the face of these threats, many women hold their families together, battling enormous odds to provide for their children. Lent 2020 highlights the different ways in which women keep their families safe and protect their futures. A representative from Trócaire will be speaking at all Masses this weekend.

Trócaire boxes are available at the back of St Michael's Church. Please take one. *Thank you for your continued support.*



**Fermanagh's St Patrick's Day Parade and Fun Day, Enniskillen on Tuesday 17th March.**



This year's theme: 20/20 Vision: Future, Space & Science. The craic starts at the Broadmeadow with a free family fun day and a host of live entertainment acts starting at **1.30pm** with the hugely popular, Hand Me Downs. Live performance from Full Moon Fever at **2pm** Parade Starts at **3.30pm** featuring a range of traditional and carnival style floats, vintage & futuristic vehicles, acrobatics & live music. For those wishing to grab prime pole position there will be live music, pre parade on the Diamond in Enniskillen town centre with a live performance from Full Moon Fever at 2pm as well as walkabout characters to keep you entertained. And those who would prefer a less boisterous viewing platform, a 'Quiet Space' is available at St Michael's Parish Centre - booking essential.

**St Michael's Parish Bookshop**

We have in stock a range of items for Confirmation including: Mass missals, prayer cards, traditional and contemporary styles of greeting cards, gift sets, crucifixes, rosary beads, photo frames, necklets and brooches. Many items have generous discounts.

**A D O R A T I O N**

**Could you spend one hour per week with Our Lord in Adoration during Lent?**

**Times available on the opposite page and on the easel at the back of the Church.**