### ST MICHAEL'S PARISH

#### Enniskillen & Lisbellaw



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Building Faith, Friendship, Community

Parish Messenger - 4th April, 2021

#### EASTER DAY OF THE LORD'S RESURRECTION

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

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Due to the Covid-19 Pandemic, the Priest on Duty is not permitted to visit Nursing / Care Homes at this time.

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 5

#### MASSES FOR THE COMING WEEK

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

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

Sat 3rd April 9.00pm Easter Vigil
Sun 4th April 8.00am Easter Sunday Mass
Sun 4th April 10.30am Easter Sunday Mass
Sun 4th April 12.00 noon Easter Sunday Mass
Mon 5th April Easter Monday

10.00am Rebe McCaffrey, College Gardens

10.00am Rede Mecamey, Conege Garde

Tue 6th April Easter Tuesday

10.00am Catherine McClintock, Tobermore Park, George & Evelyn McClintock, Drumcor Hill,

and Seamus Lavelle, Hillview Walk

Wed 7th April Easter Wednesday

10.00am John Collins, Rossole Road, Patrick & Helen Collins, Townhall Street and deceased

members of Collins and McCusker families; Marie & Michael McVeigh, Ederney

Thurs 8th April Easter Thursday

10.00am Maeve and Caitlin Sheridan, Laurelyale Court

Fri 9th April Easter Friday

10.00am Margaret & James and Charles Carleton, Ashwoods

Sat 10th April Easter Saturday

10.00am James Steele, Killynure Gardens;

Lawrence & Alice Rochester, Bellevue Road, Frank & Katie and Philip King,

Kilmacormick Road;

Mae & Eugene Keenan, Derrygore Terrace and deceased members of Keenan family

6.00pm (Vigil) (Month's Mind) Roy Wallace, Drumgay Close

(Month's Mind) Kevin Jackson, Loughshore Road, Silverhill

## 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 with Legion of Mary Prayers. Holy Week Rosary & Divine Mercy

on Holy Thursday and Good Friday 10.30am -11am. Divine Mercy Novena begins on Good Friday. Leaflets available at

back of the Church.

**7.00pm** Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament and Divine Mercy (Sunday only)

**10.00pm** Night Prayer



#### **EASTER GREETINGS**

Community is central to our celebrations: we have had to find new ways to connect during the lockdown. That is why having people present at this year's Easter Ceremonies, even in limited numbers and subject to rigorous provisions for health and safety, is important for us as a faith community. It enhances our sense of connection, even if we cannot be physically present ourselves.

This year has taught us the value of service to one another. We have seen it in a deeper way through the generous service of frontline workers right across so many sectors, healthcare in particular. We see it in families who strive to serve each other and to serve those who are vulnerable or in any kind of special need. We see it in those who serve us through the various community organisations.

May we wish you a Happy Easter. The Resurrection of Jesus shines a bright light on the shadow of these times, when we are reminded of our limits and our fears. Our Easter Faith invites us to trust in God. Yes, there is no life without a cross; but equally, yes, there will be no life without the crown of the glory. That crown is about being fully alive in the joy of heaven, freed from the pain of sin and death, and joined with those who have gone before us in an even better way.

Fr Joe, Monsignor Peter, Deacon Martin and Father Raymond.

### **Sunday Collections:**

Sunday 28th March - White Envelope - Weekly Offering to Parish £3080.16

Pink Envelope - Repairs and Maintenance £762.00

Holy Thursday 1st April - Trócaire Lenten Collection - Please use Parish Trócaire Envelope

This Sunday 3rd April - Blue Envelope - Monthly Offering to the Priests and Pastoral Care

**Deaths:** Martin Poulton, Drumbawn Close; Eileen Cunningham, Hillview Park; John Callaghan, Tempo.

May they Rest in Peace.

<u>HEARTS ON FIRE!</u> A series of video resources for the young people preparing for Confirmation, and their families and school communities, have been compiled for the Diocese of Clogher and are accessible via <u>Hearts On Fire Confirmation Preparation - Diocese of Clogher (clogher diocese.ie)</u>. Accompanying workbooks have been delivered to schools.

<u>Trócaire</u> - The Lenten Campaign is important for Trócaire. This year the theme is around solidarity with those families affected by war in South Sudan. If you have a donation for Trócaire please send it in to the Parish Office as soon as possible. Online donations can be made online via the iDonate button on <u>www.clogherdiocese.ie</u> where you can specify that your Donation is for Trócaire. Thank you.

Lakeland Lockdown Reflections: Congratulations to Deacon Martin on his fine new publication, available through the Parish Office at this time (cost £10). Besides the beautiful photographs of Fermanagh (by Fr Brendan McManus, SJ), the book contains up to 60 reflections from throughout the year of lockdown. It is both informative and reflective and a fine achievement which will be enjoyed by those who buy it and those who receive it as an Easter Gift.

<u>The Talking Messenger</u> can now be accessed by dialling a local number 028 66 500 560, the recording is less than 15 minutes. Please tell your friends and neighbours, in particular those who do not have access to the Parish website or Facebook.

St. Michael's Parish Shop: In line with Covid Regulations, our shop is closed to the public. Sunday Missal, Mass Cards, Candles, Statues e.g. Sleeping Joseph and other religious items are available from the Parish Office or 4 Darling St. *Thank you for your support.* 

St Vincent de Paul: if you wish to make a donation to support local families, please place it in a sealed envelope marked "St Vincent de Paul" and leave in the Parish Office or contact any conference member or phone the helpline 028 66 347788. Thank you for your very generous support.

<u>Confirmation</u>: Diocesan Service of Light led by Bishop Duffy will be online this year via St Macartan's Cathedral Live Webcam Stream on Wednesday 21st April at 7.30pm.

**"Candle by Text"** Our candle shrine is placed at the altar steps and is visible over the parish webcam. To request a candle, phone or text 07753-801237, giving the name and number of the person who wants the candle lit. We suggest initially that parishioners observe a limit of five candles in any one request. While the usual donation is 50p each, this can be given at a later time when it is convenient, either by digital payment, post or through the parish office letterbox. *Thank you & God bless*.

The Parish Office will close for the Easter break on Thursday 1st April at 2.30pm and reopen on Wednesday 7th April at 10.30am. Anniversary Masses: Please phone - 0800 0096338 between 10.30am to 2.30pm Monday to Friday.

# ST MICHAEL'S PARISH DRAW WINNERS MONTH 2 - MARCH - DRAWN ON 29TH MARCH 2021

£1,000 (1925) Liam Gallagher, C/O Promoter

Promoter: Owen Sheerin, Cavandale Park

£500 (1513) Eithne Dillon, Ard na Lea, Factory Road

Promoter: Parish Office. Church Street

£250 (1409) Mary Ward, Westbourne Lodge, Dublin

Promoter: Parish Office, Church Street

The April Draw will take place on Monday 26th April 2021

Return of Limited Congregations for Mass: Change in Arrangements — (Updated 19th March 2021)

PLEASE WEAR A FACE MASK WHEN YOU COME TO MASS

The danger is yet present. However, the reduction in the outbreak of COVID-19, the vaccination campaign, the willingness of people to be vaccinated, the continued observation of the regulations (distance, hygiene, masks) is reducing the incidence of the virus and allowing us in St Michael's Parish, as elsewhere, to plan for a limited congregation to attend some - though not all - of our public Masses.

**10am Weekday Morning Masses (including Saturday):** For 10am Weekday Morning 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.

**8am Sunday Morning Mass:** Open to parishioners without requirement of notice to attend. Note that numbers permitted will remain that which can be safely accommodated.

Holy Week Ceremonies & Masses this Weekend: To attend these Masses, please give the parish advance notice of your intention to attend in one of the following ways:

- (1) Email parishcentre@st-michaels.net with your name and phone number and a return contact will be made.
- 2) Phone the Parish Office on 028 66 322075 ext. 3 between 10.30am 2.30pm (only) Monday to Friday.
- (3) Go online to the Parish Website and click the link and complete the online form.

Attendance at Anniversary Masses: Close family members & friends (only) who wish to attend Anniversary Masses should contact 028 66 322075 ext. 3 during the following times: Monday to Friday - 10.30am - 2.30pm to confirm your attendance.