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ST MICHAEL'S PARISH

Enniskillen & Lisbellaw

Building Faith, Friendship, Community Parish Messenger - 4th October 2020

TWENTY-SEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

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 phone the Switchboard on (028-66382000) and ask for the Priest on Duty.

(Available to watch online @ www.saintmichaels-parish.com/webcam.asp)

The Sunday and Holy Day Obligation to attend Mass is presently suspended

Sat 3rd Oct 6.00pm (Vigil) (Month's Mind) Hugh Cormican, Shankhill, Garvary

Sun 4th Oct 8.00am Donors' Intention

Lisbellaw No 9.30am Mass until further notice - Intention included in 10.30am Mass

Sun 4th Oct 10.30am Thomas & Sarah Farry, Castlecoole, Enniskillen;

Deceased members of Carson family, Brackey, Lisbellaw

Sun 4th Oct 12.00 noon (First Anniversary) Barney McLoughlin, Lisgoole Park

Mon 5th Oct 27th Week in Ordinary Time

10.00am Donors' Intention

6.00pm Devaney family, Enniskillen and London

Tue 6th Oct 27th Week in Ordinary Time

10.00am Jack Cassidy, Bannagher, Drumcose

Wed 7th Oct Our Lady of the Rosary

10.00am Donors' Intention

Thurs 8th Oct 27th Week in Ordinary Time

10.00am Derrick Gallagher, Inniskeen Close and Thomas & Rose Gallagher, Derrin Road

Fri 9th Oct 27th Week in Ordinary Time

10.00am Joe, Gerald, Philip and Brian Irvine, Mary Street and Foxhill Close, Patricia Graham,

Corban Avenue, Sheila & Pat Sheerin, Hillview Park and Mary Frances, Loughview Drive

Sat 10th Oct 27th Week in Ordinary Time

10.00am Hugh & Lilly Tapster, Hillview Road;

Vincent Swift, Derrin Road, John & Josie Moore, Drumcor Hill and Annie Cleary and Cleary

family, Queen Street and Kilmacormick Drive

6.00pm(Vigil) (Month's Mind) John Cosgrove, Ashbourne Manor

Daily Devotions open to the public and 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 & Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament (Now open to public) (Stations of the Cross this Friday at 5.45pm)

7.00pm Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament and Divine Mercy (Sunday ONLY) (Now open to public)

10.00pm Night Prayer (Webcam only)

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

In line with present guidance, Social Distancing is to be observed. The present regulations encourage the general public to refrain from attending on the street outside, unless there is an exceptional reason.

(a) Wakes, Funerals & Burials are Private to close family members and close family friends ONLY.

(b) Funeral Mass: (i) Face Masks should be worn inside the church; (ii) Only family mourners permitted; (iii) close family friends only by arrangement with undertaker; (iv) no physical interaction between sanctuary/altar area and the body of the church (no readers, no other forms of participation); (v) music by soloists only; (vi) anyone who is feeling even slightly unwell should remain at home for fear of infecting others.

(c) The Rite of Christian Burial is held at the graveside, with only 30 mourners present. The general public should be absent.

Sunday Collections:

Sunday 27th September - White Envelope - Weekly Offering to the Parish £3442.19

- Pink Envelope - Repairs and Maintenance £156

This Sunday 4th October - Blue Envelope - Monthly Offering to the Priests and Pastoral Care

Next Sunday 11th October - White Envelope - Weekly Offering to the Parish

Deaths: Willie Henderson, Derrin Road; Sr Gertrude Murphy, Convent of Mercy, Enniskillen; Fanchea Irvine, Corban Avenue.

May they Rest in Peace.

OCTOBER IS MISSION MONTH- the theme this year is **TOGETHER WE CAN DO MORE** Mission Sunday is on 18th October. Please be generous to the Collection and show your solidarity with the Missionaries.

Day for Life 2020: This year's Day for Life is celebrated in Ireland on Sunday 4th October. It is a day dedicated to raising awareness of the meaning and value of human life at every stage and in every condition.

The theme this year is "Choose Life". We as Catholics have a message of hope and a story of love; together we can promote a culture of life. Some copies of the pastoral letter for the Day for Life are available in the church and it can be accessed on www.clogherdiocese.ie and www.councilforlife.ie

Limited Congregations for Mass: Change in Arrangements

Please wear a Face Mask when you come to Mass

10am Weekday Morning Masses: St Michael's Church will be open for this coming week 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.

6pm Saturday Vigil Mass & 10.30am Sunday Morning Masses: 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 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.

St Michael's Church Revised Opening Hours

Mon-Sat 9.30am-6.30pm, Sunday 1.00pm-8.00pm

Sacramental Provision In This Time Of Pandemic

Baptisms: Arrangements for Baptisms can now be made. Email enquiries ONLY at this time to <u>parishcentre@st-michaels.net</u>

Weddings: The NI Executive has agreed that marriage ceremonies in places of worship can resume. Please send relevant booking form (downloadable from the "Getting Married" section of Parish Website), duly signed, to the Parish Office.

Confessions: 10.30am - 11.30am and 5.00pm - 5.45pm on Saturdays.

LOURDES2CLOGHER ROSARY DURING MONTH OF OCTOBER: At 8pm on every Friday in October, the Month of the Rosary, (beginning next Friday) there will be a short video reflection on and the recitation of the Sorrowful Mysteries of the Rosary from a church in the diocese. This can be accessed via the **Diocese of Clogher Facebook Page** and on www.lourdes2clogher.com. Following the success of the #Lourdes2Clogher virtual pilgrimage earlier this year this is an opportunity to continue our prayer and devotion to Our Lady and keep the Lourdes story in our minds.

Great things are happening in Ireland for the month of October - the month of the Rosary. Archbishop Eamon Martin is asking families to pray the Rosary together for the month in what is called *the Family Rosary Crusade.* On Saturday October 10th, we will have *the Hail Holy Queen Conference* Live & Exclusive on Radio Maria Ireland, beginning with the Rosary from 12.30pm. Our guest speakers include: Dana, Marino Restrepo, Fr Damian Polly, Fr Ruairi O'Domhnaill, Fr Marius O'Reilly and more. It promises to be a wonderful afternoon for our Lady.

The following day we will have the *Rosary on the Coast for Life & Faith* in Ireland. This year we will again join in with many other countries from around the world. We will gather on our coasts, at our grottos, our churches, our river banks, our homes, or wherever we can...... to pray the Rosary safely together, at **2.30pm**, on **Sunday October 11th**. Please do remember to observe Covid 19 guidelines. See www.coastalrosaryireland.ie for a list of locations.

Have you a few hours to spare a month to make a difference to someone's life? Volunteer with Leisure Buddies an exciting new initiative to counties Monaghan and Cavan run by HSE Cavan/ Monaghan Adult Disability Services. The initiative aims to support adults with a disability to access social supports outside the traditional 9-5 day service hours and enable them form friendships with their peers in their local community over evenings and weekends with the support of a volunteer. No experience necessary as relevant training provided before taking on the role. Our volunteers are garda vetted. Please contact Martina on 0879460697 or email martina.mcgeough@hse.ie for more information or for an application form. Who knows you might end up discovering a new passion!

Fermanagh Trust Community Fund—Grant-Maker Apprentice Programme This programme will enable young people aged 16-25 to make a positive impact in their community, develop skills and knowledge to become active and empowered future leaders and influencers. We are accepting *Nominations from organisations or from Individuals* for this course! *Deadline for Applications: 23rd October 2020. For further information please visit*: www.fermanaghtrust.org/grantmakerapprenticipprogramme/

<u>Diocesan Support Worker for Clergy – Job Opportunity</u>: The Diocese of Clogher is seeking to appoint a Diocesan Support Worker. (20 hours per week) initially for 1 year, subject to renewal. Essential criteria include a minimum of 5 years experience as a public health nurse, carer or social worker as well as competency and capability of undertaking the duties of support worker with clergy within the Diocese of Clogher, reporting to the bishop. Further information and job spec is available on www.clogherdiocese.ie. Closing date for applications is **next Friday 9 October at 12 Noon**.