

ST MICHAEL'S PARISH

Enniskillen & Lisbellaw

Building Faith, Friendship, Community Parish Messenger 11th December 2022 THIRD SUNDAY OF ADVENT



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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)

Sat 10th Dec 6.00pm (Vigil) (Month's Mind) Geoffrey Keaney, Loughview Drive.

(Month's Mind) James (Jim) Brennan, Silverhill Park.

Sun 11th Dec 8.00am (Donors' Intention

Sun 11th Dec 10.30am (First Anniversary) Betty Rogers, Bridge Street, Irvinestown

(Month's Mind) Francis (Frank) Curran, Irvinestown Road.

Sun 11th Dec 12.00 Noon (First Anniversary) Dennis Corrigan, Drumgay Close

Sun 11th Dec 9.30am (Lisbellaw) (Month's Mind) Irene Forde, Circular Road, Lisbellaw.

Frank & Bridie Cassidy, Tamlaght, Frank Cassidy, Junior, & Mary Cassidy, Manchester

Mon 12th Dec 3rd Week of Advent

10.00am Frank, Mollie and Brian O'Kane, Omagh

Tue 13th Dec St Lucy, Virgin and Martyr

Margaret, James and Margaret Carleton, Ashwoods. 10.00am

Mary Shiels, Kilmacormick Road

Wed 14th Dec St John of the Cross, Priest and Doctor of the Church

10.00am Teresa & Ben Donnelly, Braeside Park and Gerry Maguire, Drumcor Hill

Thurs 15th Dec 3rd Week of Advent Mary Howe, Derrin Park 10.00am Fri 16th December 3rd Week of Advent

10.00am Margaret & Declan Hussey, Ross Close, James & Catherine Creegan, Tom & June

> Creegan, Enniskillen and England. Thomas & Catherine Farry, Derrin Road

Sat 17th December 3rd Week of Advent

> Kevin Lunny, Old Rossorry Road. John & Margaret Presley, Market Street. Marie Boyle, Old Rossorry Road. Ivan Pavloviskii, Lithunia

6.00pm (Vigil) (Month's Mind) Philomena (Mena) Blake, The Limes

Confessions Saturday 11am - 12pm & 5pm - 5.45pm

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

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

10.00pm Night Prayer

Sunday Collection

Sunday - 4th December - Blue Envelope - Monthly Offering to Priests & Pastoral Care Thursday - 8th December - Green Envelope - Immaculate Conception Cathedral Fund This Sunday - 11th December - White Envelope - Weekly Offering to the Parish Next Sunday - 18th December - White Envelope - Weekly Offering to the Parish

Deaths: John McElroy, Swanlinbar Road; Benny Burns, Drumbeg.

May they Rest in Peace.

ST MICHAEL'S SPECIAL DRAW for all fully paid up members will take place in St Michael's Church on Tuesday 14th December after 10am Mass. This can be viewed over the Parish Webcam. New Parish Draw will commence at the end of February 2023.

Do This in Memory Mass: For all children in St Michael's Parish preparing for First Confession & First Holy Communion in 2023 takes place this **Sunday 11th December** at **9.30am** Mass in St Mary's, Lisbellaw and **10.30am** Mass in St Michael's

Children's Liturgy every Sunday at 10.30am Mass. (Registration packs will be available and Registration Forms will be collected at any 10.30am Sunday Mass).

St Vincent De Paul Collection: Our local Enniskillen Conference will resume the taking of a collection as people leave after Mass for the following two weekends, 10th/11th & 17/18th December. Your donation will support people in need in our area at this difficult time. If you are in need of help please contact the helpline on 02866347788.

Carols with Caritas: Featuring Desmond Hunter on the organ, will take place this Sunday 11th December at 7pm in St. Michael's Church. A collection will be taken on the night for our local St Vincent de Paul.

St Joseph's Young Priests Society: Next monthly meeting of St Joseph's Young Priests Society will be on Monday 12th **December at 7.30pm** in the Parish Centre. New members of all ages are welcome to attend.

Trócaire Gifts of Love: Buy a Trócaire Gift of Love and send your love around the World - Gift cards available in the Parish Shop and Office and after all Masses in St Michael's Church.

Giving Tree: St. Joseph's College have a Giving Tree at the back of St Michael's Church. You are invited to take a tag and buy a gift for the appropriate age as indicated on the tag. Please leave your wrapped gift under the tree and St Vincent de Paul will distribute your very welcome gift to those in our community who are less fortunate than others. Thank you for your support.

St Michael's Parish Shop: Open 6 days per week Monday - Saturday from 10.30am - 1.30pm. Now in stock: Books and booklets of reflections for Advent and Kids Advent Calendars as well as Religious Art Calendars, diaries, Christmas cards, cribs & nativity sets and a selection of Christmas gifts by Belleek Pottery.

Christmas Cards by National Adoration Group: Pack of 10 for £7. Available from parish Bookstall & Parish Shop.

NSPCC Enniskillen Committee: are having a fundraising coffee morning in St Macartan's Cathedral Hall on Saturday 10th **December 10am - 12.30pm.** Everyone is most welcome.

Enniskillen Sands are having their annual Lights of Love evening of reflection and music in St. Macartin's Cathedral on Thursday 15th December at 7pm. Those bereaved by the loss of a baby are welcome to join us. Further info can be found on Sands NI Facebook page or contact Michelle Howard for more information on 07845521848.

Chamber Choir West - Music at Christmas: Conductor: David Baxter. Also featuring Orly Watson, Organ & Yolanda Brannigan, Violin in St Michael's Church on Monday 19th December at 8pm. No tickets £10 pay at door; children (a contribution). Proceeds shared with CCW & St Vincent De Paul.

FAMILY ADVENT CALENDARS - COME TO THE MANGER:- Each year the Holy Family invites us to come to the manger. We have some wonderful bespoke Advent calendars for families with small tasks to do each day. This is a great way to really enter into the spirit of Advent as children, parents and even grandparents! Please pick one up for your family at the back of church. Catherine McLoughlin, Chaplain // Holy Trinity Primary School part of St Michael's Parish Enniskillen and Lisbellaw.

Aisling Centre – 6th Annual Hope Healing Growth Day of Inspiration 7th January 2023. Crest Centre, SW College, Enniskillen. Attend in person or via zoom. Fantastic line up of speakers. Further information and tickets available on Eventbrite https://tinyurl.com/28897tmy or https://theaislingcentre.com/hope-healing-growth/. Aisling Centre 028 66 325811.

Diocese of Clogher Pilgrimage to Lourdes 2023 7—12 July 2023. Contact John Hueston: Tel: 028 677 24329. Email: johncdp@btinternet.com

Parish Christmas Carol Service

St Michael's Parish presents a celebration of Christmas Carols in St Michael's Church on Sunday 18th December at 7pm featuring all Parish Choirs, Children's Liturgy Group and Special Guest appearance of

Lisa McHugh

Tickets available from Parish Shop and Office - £8; concessions £6 children under 14 free.

Also Available from Rooney's Eurospar, Cornagrade Road on Friday 9th December from 9.30am & After all Weekend Masses in St Michael's Church.

...All proceeds in Aid of Friends of Cancer Centre.



