

ST MICHAEL'S PARISH

Enniskillen & Lisbellaw

Building Faith, Friendship, Community

Parish Messenger - 12th July 2020 (Digital copy only at this time)



FIFTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

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Due to the Covid-19 Pandemic, the Priest on Duty is not permitted to visit the hospital, Nursing / Care Homes or individual houses in the parish. 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 & DEVOTIONS FOR THE COMING WEEK

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

Sat 11th July 6.00pm (Vigil)	(Month's Mind) Peter McBrien, Hillview Park
Sun 12th July 8.00am	Donors' Intention
Sun 12th July	Lisbellaw No 9.30am Mass until further notice - Intention included in 10.30am Mass
Sun 12th July 10.30am	(First Anniversary) Michael McNairn, Loughview Drive; Kate & James and Mary & Vincent McPhillips Drumod, Lisbellaw
Sun 12th July 12.00 noon (First Anniversary)	Kathleen Maguire, Abbey Drive
Mon 13th July 10.00am	15th Week in Ordinary Time Donors' Intention
6.00pm	Felix & Mary Fox, Enniskillen and Felix & Joan Fox, Coventry and John Fox, London
Tue 14th July 10.00am	15th Week in Ordinary Time Donors' Intention
Wed 15th July 10.00am	St Bonaventure, Bishop and Doctor of the Church Donors' Intention
Thurs 16th July 10.00am	15th Week in Ordinary Time Donors' Intention
Fri 17th July 10.00am	15th Week in Ordinary Time Jack & Kathleen Love, Drumbawn and Hillview Park
Sat 18th July 10.00am	15th Week in Ordinary Time Richard & Loretta Moon, Mary Kelly and Kelly family, Kilmacormick Road and Floraville and Kevin Love, Belfast; Mary & Pat Fitzsimmons, Drumlin Court, Patsy & Nora Brennan, Derrin Road and Anna Flanagan, England and Brennan family, Mullaghduan and Hillview Park
6.00pm (Vigil)	Donors' Intention

Deacon Martin Reflects - available on our website & Facebook page

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 & Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament (except Monday & Saturday 6.45pm)
- 7.00pm Holy Hour & Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament Divine Mercy (Sunday ONLY)
- 8.00pm Holy Hour & Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament (Wednesday ONLY)
- 10.00pm Night Prayer

SUMMARY OF PRESENT REGULATIONS RE FUNERALS DURING COVID-19 PANDEMIC

In line with present guidance, the general public should remain away from funerals.

(a) Wakes, Funerals & Burials are Private to close family members ONLY. Others should keep away from outside & inside the church.

(b) Funeral Mass: (i) Only 30 family mourners permitted; (ii) no physical interaction between sanctuary/altar area and the body of the church (no readers, no music, no other forms participation); (iii) 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: Sincere and grateful thanks to those parishioners and donors who made a larger than usual contribution at this time. So please contribute if you are in a position to do so at this time. Parish Envelopes can be left in the letterboxes of the Parish Office or the Parochial Houses.

Donating Online to St Michael's Parish via iDonate: It is now possible to donate to St Michael's Parish over the Internet by means of Debit or Credit Card or PayPal. Click on the iDonate button on the Parish Website <http://www.saintmichaels-parish.com>). The link will take you to our diocesan website and then select the parish of Enniskillen from the dropdown list provided. Donations are subsequently forwarded to the parish account.



Donating by Standing Order: This is the most helpful way to donate to our parish. You can download the form from our parish website. For help or advice with completing it, please leave a message on the Parish Phone for the attention of Fr Raymond on (028) 6632-2075 (press 4 when the message begins).

Sunday 5th July - Blue Envelope - The Priests thank Parishioners for the Monthly Collection

This Sunday 12th July - White Envelope - Weekly Offering to the Parish

Next Sunday 19th July - White Envelope - Weekly Offering to Parish

PARISH MASSES

1. The Sunday & Holy Day Obligation to attend Mass is presently suspended.
2. All Masses and Devotions remain available through our Parish Webcam.
3. For now, the main participation for the majority of us is via the Internet.

Planning the Return of Limited Congregations to Mass

The danger is yet present. However, the reduction in the outbreak of COVID-19 is allowing us in St Michael's Parish, as else-where to plan for a limited congregation to attend some - though not all - of our public Masses. This is more than a matter of opening the doors. It will only happen to the extent that parishioners help and cooperate. The issues are: (1) Hygiene; (2) Distancing; (3) Volunteer Stewarding; and (4) Attendees.

First Step: Volunteers

We can only open responsibly if we have Volunteer Stewards. An induction session will be held.

To Volunteer: Please phone the dedicated telephone number: 0800-009 6338 between 1pm - 5pm each weekday.

Second Step: Coming to Mass in Person

If you would like to attend in person at Mass in St Michael's Church or St Mary's Church, you can contact the parish in one of the following ways:

- (1) Email the parishcentre@st-michaels.net your phone number and a return contact will be made.
- (2) Phone the dedicated telephone number 0800-009 6338 between 1pm - 5pm Monday to Friday.
- (3) Go online to the Parish Website and click the link and complete the online form.

Sacramental Provision In This Time Of Pandemic:

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

First Communion & Confirmation September 2020: Please note that all new dates are published on our Parish Website and Parish Facebook Page.

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 Saturdays.

Anniversary Masses: If you wish to book an Anniversary Mass please contact 07917107238.

Lough Derg Lakeshore and Ancient Pilgrim Path reopens for visitors. Walk & Pray the Ancient Pilgrim Path with the Prior on Saturday 18th & Sunday 19th July. Guided Contemplative Walk begins at noon. Approx. 4hr, 12k moderate loop. Booking essential, full details www.loughderg.org or email info@loughderg.org

St Michael's Parish Shop July holidays: The shop will be closed only on Monday 13th July, re-opening on Tuesday 14th July. The shop is closed on a Wednesday and Sunday. All other days it is open from 10.30am-2.30pm. Phone 028 66324771 for enquiries and phone orders.

MARY'S MEALS has shared a new film, #LoveReachesEverywhere. Watch for free and join Hollywood actor Gerard Butler as he meets some of the children and communities you are helping around the world: www.marysmeals.ie or Facebook page of Mary's Meals Ireland.

St Michael's Parish Draw - Month 6

£1000 (2089) Promoter: Brian Nethercott, Beechill, Cavanaleck
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£500 (2424) Promoter: Liam Burns, Breandrum Court
 Parish Office, Church Street

£300 (1342) Promoter: Kate Mulligan, Ashbourne Manor
 Pat Clarke, Ashbourne Manor

£200 (1610) Promoter: Patsy Irvine, Hillview Park
 Desi McElroy, Hillview Park

Next Draw for May & June takes place on
 Monday 10th August 2020

Blessing of the Graves 2020

Due to the pandemic threat, Bishop Duffy has advised strongly against the usual annual gathering for the Blessing of the Graves, which was scheduled for Sunday 6th September. Consequently, we will mark this special Sunday at our Masses that Sunday and would suggest that each family make a private arrangement to have a member of the household go to the grave, recite the suggested prayer and then sprinkle Blessed Water as a reminder of the promise of eternal life made at Baptism. We would hope to have our traditional service for our Blessing of the Graves in 2021.