ST MICHAEL'S PARISH

Enniskillen & Lisbellaw

Building Faith, Friendship, Community

Parish Messenger - 19th April 2020 (Digital copy only at this time)

DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY

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 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 18th April 6.00pm (Vigil) (Month's Mind) Peggy Nevin, Lisgoole Park and husband Eugene Nevin;

Jim Elliott, Derrin Road Sat 18th April 6.45pm Rosary

Sun 19th April 8.00am

Donors' Intention

Sun 19th April Lisbellaw No 9.30am Mass until further notice - Intention included in 10.30am Mass

Sun 19th April 10.30am Gaby Dolan, Glebe Park;

Paddy & Mary McCaffrey, Bridie Buffrey and Molly Morton, Derryvullen

Sun 19th April 12.00 noon (First Anniversary) John Collins, Rossole Road

3.00pm Divine Mercy Holy Hour & Benediction - available over our parish Webcam

Mon 20th April 2nd Week of Easter 10.00am Donors' Intention

6.00pm Donors' Intention (Mass in St Michaels)

2nd Week of Easter Tue 21st April 10.00am Donors' Intention Wed 22nd April 2nd Week of Easter 10.00am Donors' Intention Thurs 23rd April 2nd Week of Easter 10.00am Donors' Intention Fri 24th April 2nd Week of Easter 10.00am Donors' Intention St Mark, Evangelist Sat 25th April

Rebecca McTeggart, Cappog Road, Drumgallon and McTeggart family; 10.00am

Thompson Wilson, Derrin Road; Daniel Mohan, Foxhill Close

6.00pm (Vigil) (Month's Mind) Brendan Lilley, Chanterhill Road

Daily Devotions over the Parish Webcam

(Note the Exceptions listed below)

12.00pm Regina Coeli Prayer (*Eastertide*) (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 Divine Mercy (Sunday ONLY) (3pm Sunday 19th April)

8.00pm Holy Hour & Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament (Wednesday **ONLY**)

10.00pm Night Prayer

Cov19 Enniskillen Community Responders: Given the current health situation we are organising a group/groups of people from the Enniskillen area who would be willing to volunteer to help the most vulnerable in our community. If you are under 65 and do not have any underlying health conditions we would like to hear from you. Please email Brian Treacy at btreacy439@c2kni.net giving your name contact number and areas you would be willing to help. Thank you.

Trócaire - Lent 2020: Lent 2020 highlights the different ways in which women keep their families safe and protect their futures. We understand these are difficult times for people all over the world due to the Covid-19 Virus. Please give what you can. Thank you for your continued support.

Face Masks: Drumbriston Furniture, Monaghan has kindly donated face masks for carers and those looking after people in need for example - people doing messages on behalf of others. If you require some please phone and leave a message for Fr Raymond. ST VINCENT DE PAUL HELPLINE 028 66347788.

Covid-19 Government Advice

Only go outside for food, health reasons or work (but only if you cannot work from home).

Stay 2 metres (7ft) away from other people - Wash your hands as soon as you get home.

You can spread the virus even if you don't have symptoms.

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 manns of Credit Card or PayPol. Click on the iDonate button on the Parish Walnut Making Giving Easier Parish over the Internet by means of 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.

Holy Thursday 9th April - Trócaire Lenten Collection £4309.64

Sunday 12th April Easter Sunday - White Envelope - Weekly Offering to the Parish £2470.52

This Sunday 19th April - White Envelope - Weekly Offering to the Parish

Next Sunday 26th April - White Envelope - Weekly Offering to the Parish

Deaths: Larry McManus, Breandrum Park; Shea Nethercott, Garrison (Son of Brian Nethercott); John McDonagh, Coolcullen Meadows; Kitty McKeever, Derry (Mother of Deirdre Armstrong, Cooper Crescent). May They Rest in Peace.

REVISED ARRANGEMENTS DURING COVID-19 PANDEMIC

During this time, the following parish arrangements apply:

- 1. Anniversary Masses: If you wish to book an Anniversary Mass please contact 07917107238.
- 2. Funerals: Until further notice, the following Civil Regulations apply: (1) Undertakers are to bring the body of a deceased parishioner directly to the place of burial, without going to the Church. (2) There is to be no public wake. (3) At the Graveyard, the maximum permitted number of attendees is 10 persons. (4) The usual graveside prayer will be led by a priest or deacon (or, if necessary, a lay person). Regarding parish arrangements: parishioners who die will be remembered at our Morning Masses. Mass can be viewed on the Internet at www.saintmichaels-parish.com/webcam.asp. There is an option to have a Funeral Mass celebrated at a later date, when this crisis has passed. When sending messages of condolence, please consider using Social media or a letter.
- 3. Mass Arrangements: Parish Masses in St Michael's Church will continue and will be accessible to parishioners only over the Parish Webcam, via the Parish Website (on http://saintmichaels-parish.com/webcam.asp) or directly through MCN Media, who provide the service (on https://www.mcnmedia.tv/camera/st-michaels-parish-eniskillen). Apologies, but that's how they misspelt Enniskillen in the website address.
- 4. Lisbellaw Mass: The 9.30am Sunday morning Mass at St Mary's Church remains suspended. The intentions for this Mass will be included in the 10.30am Sunday Mass in St Michael's Church.
- 5. Convent Mass: This 6pm Monday evening Mass and its intention is transferred to St Michael's Church. No congregation permitted.
- **6. Eucharistic Adoration:** This will continue but only by webcam at this time.
- 7. The Parish Office: The Office is now closed. Emails, telephone messages and delivered letters will be checked once a day. Please leave a message on the answering service at (028) 6632-2075 then press 4 for Father Raymond; 6 for Monsignor Peter.
- 8. Donating to the Parish: (1) Standing Order In this time especially, Parishioners are asked to kindly consider setting up a Standing Order with their bank Also available on our Parish Facebook page by means of the Standing Order, downloadable from our parish website. If you need help or advice with completing this Standing Order form, please leave a message on the Parish Phone for the attention of Fr Raymond (phone 028-6632-2075, press 4).
- (2) Credit Card Donations: See above for Donating Online.
- 9. The Sick and the Housebound: Those normally visited by the Priest will receive a telephone call to offer a prayer with them at this time. Please let us know if we can help in any way or if there is someone in our community who needs support. Simply phone or email.
- 10. Weddings and Baptisms: These are now suspended until further notice.

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Bishop Duffy, A Pastoral Message for Easter can be found on the Clogher Diocese

Website (https://www.clogherdiocese.ie/2020/04/pastoral-message-for-easter-2020-from-bishop-larry-duffy). Here is an extract:

This Easter we are being challenged in many ways. But among the challenges there is one that as people of faith, people of hope and people of love, we cannot ignore. It is the challenge to find Christ in all that we do, in all the circumstances of life's journey. Yes, Christ, Crucified and Risen, is with us.

Like the women on that first Easter morning, may we all in our time be 'filled with awe and great joy' (Mt 28:8) as we seek to oring the love and mercy of Christ to others, especially to those who most need it. Let us not be afraid to do so.

Christ my hope, has risen: he goes before you into Galilee that Christ is truly risen from the dead we know. Victorious king, thy mercy show. (Sequence of Easter Sunday)

My prayer this Easter is that you will hold on to that hope as we celebrate the great deeds of God.

Mary, Mother of God, Mother of the Church, pray for us. Christ my hope, has risen: he goes before you into Galilee That Christ is truly risen from the dead we know. Victorious king, thy mercy show.

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+Larry Duffy (Bishop of Clogher)