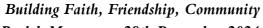
ST MICHAEL'S PARISH





Parish Messenger 29th December 2024

THE HOLY FAMILY OF JESUS, MARY AND JOSEPH

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

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St Michael's Parish is on Facebook. Like us at: Facebook.com/stmichaelsparishenniskillen

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 28th Dec 6.00pm (Vigil) (Month's Mind) Conor McBarron, Magee Court

Sun 29th Dec 8.00am Donor's Intention

Sun 29th Dec 10.30am (First Anniversary) Mai McKeown, Dundee and Cherrymount.

(First Anniversary) Kevin Smyth, Brackwede Park.

Sun 29th Dec 12.00pm Shauna and Michelle Reilly, Drumbeg

Sun 29th Dec 9.30am Cradien

Next Sunday: Cradien

Mon 30th Dec 6th Day in the Octave of Christmas 10.00am Annette Hallett, Kilmacormick Close.

Joe Boyle, Hillview Park.

Tue 31st Dec 7th Day in the Octave of Christmas

10.00am Kathleen & Philip O'Connor, Whaley Terrace.

Maura McBride (10th Anniversary) & Matt McBride, Willoughby Place and

deceased members of the McBride and Flynn families.

Wed 1st Jan Mary, The Holy Mother of God 10.00am Jane Lewsley, Lisgoole Park

Thurs 2nd Jan Ss Basil the Great and Gregory Nazianzen, Bishops and Doctors of the

Church

10.00am John Hallett, Hillview Park.

Fri 3rd Jan Before Epiphany

10.00am Brewster family, Enniskillen, Lurgan and Belfast

Sat 4th Jan Before Epiphany

10.00am John & Maureen McGovern, Glenwood Gardens

6.00pm (Vigil) Donors' Intention

Church Devotion over the Parish Webcam

10.30am Monday to Saturday: Rosary (except when there is a funeral at 11am)
 12.00pm Monday (only): Angelus & Our Lady of the Miraculous Medal Novena

6.00pm Monday to Friday: Rosary & Divine Mercy

10.00am Friday morning Mass: Pioneer Prayer & Matt Talbot (Venerable) Prayer for those with an Addiction

to alcohol.

7.00pm Saturday: Rosary & Legion of Mary Prayers

7.00pm Sunday: Divine Mercy Holy Hour

7.00pm Every First Friday: Holy Hour Benediction for Vocations

10.00pm Everyday: Night Prayer (except when otherwise notified)

Sunday Collection

Sunday - 22nd December - White Envelope - Weekly Offering to the Parish - £3097.67 Pink Envelope - Repairs & Maintenance - £1313.38

Christmas Day - Yellow Envelope - Christmas Day - Sick and Retired Priests' Fund
This Sunday - 29th December - White Envelope - Weekly Offering to the Parish
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Adoration: New Years Day 10am to 9pm. Any adorers who wish to adore the Blessed Sacrament up to midnight, please leave your name and time you can attend in the Crypt.

<u>St Michael's Parish Young at Heart (Golden Age Club)</u> Next Meeting on **Sunday 5th January** at **3pm** in St Michael's Community Centre. All those living in the Parish over 50 are most welcome.

<u>Eucharistic Ministers</u> new rota commences weekend **4th and 5th January 2025.** Rota's were posted out before Christmas if you have not received your rota, please contact the Parish Office.

<u>Parish Carol Service 2024</u>: Sincere thanks to all who took part in and helped in any way with the Carol Service on Sunday last. Thanks to all who by their attendance helped the charitable cause being supported. All the many hours of diligent, dedicated preparation work by choir directors, singers, special guests, organisers and musicians made for a special occasion that will live long in our memory.

Holy Trinity Primary and Nursery School Applications 2025: Parents of children who will be starting Nursery or Primary School in September 2025 are invited to come to our Open Days for Nursery/ Preschool on Thursday 9th January in the Cornagrade Site at 3.30pm and for Primary 1 Children on the Mill Street site on Wednesday 8th January at 3.30pm. Come along and view our extensive provision including our specialist; Nurture provision, Autism classes, Speech and Language classes and excellent Nursery and Primary 1 provision. Telephone 028 66324959 or 028 66323313 for more details.

St. Joseph's College Open Day - Saturday 18th January 2025 10.30am - 1.00pm. Principal's Address: 10.30am, Followed by guided tours of the school. All Primary 7 pupils and their parents/carers are invited to attend.

New Parish Draw 2025 First Draw will take place on Monday 24th February 2025. Promoters cards will be available from the end of January.

Diary Date !! Lent for the year 2025 starts on Ash Wednesday, 5th March 2025.



<u>Jubilee Year of Hope 2025</u> – Pope Francis has declared 2025 to be a Holy or Jubilee Year. The Holy Year began on Christmas Eve when Pope Francis opened the Holy Door at St Peter's in Rome. Locally, it will be opened in our Diocese on Sunday 29 December – Feast of the Holy Family – when Bishop Larry will be Chief Celebrant of the 12.30pm Mass in St Macartan's Cathedral, Monaghan. Some online resources for the Jubilee Year are now available on www.clogherdiocese.ie/jubilee2025.

Footsteps of Padre Pio, San Giovanni Rotondo - Escorted Group Pilgrimage 25th—28th April 2025 €699 pps, single room supplement €150. Spiritual Director: Fr. Raymond Donnelly. Includes visits to the town of Pietrelcina, birthplace of St. Pio and Shrine of St. Michael the Archangel. Further details and to Book Contact Marian Pilgrimages. Full Itinerary available at www.marian.ie.

Pilgrimage to Medjugorje Fully Escorted Group Pilgrimage 28th May - 4th June 2025 €815, Price increases to €865 after 31st January 2025. Accompanied by Fr. Raymond Donnelly as Spiritual Director. For more information please contact Orla Humphreys on 07917468466.

St Michael's Parish Office will reopen on Thursday 2nd January at 10.30am.

St Michael's Parish Shop will reopen on Monday 6th January at 10.30am. 20% off Christmas Stock.

<u>St Michael's Parish Library</u> will reopen on Tuesday 7th January 2025. Books will continue to be available for borrowing from the back of the Church.

SUPPORT SERVICES

If you are in distress or despair, struggling with life's difficulties or feeling vulnerable the following services are available:

LIFE-LINE 24 Hour Help Line 080880880000

NARCOTICS ANONYMOUS meets every Wednesday in Beacon Centre 8.30pm

ALOCHOLICS ANONYMOUS group meet 3 evenings per week in the Aisling Centre. For details contact 028 9068 2368

AISLING CENTRE Counselling Service - will accept self-referral. For information contact 028 6632 5811.

ST VINCENT DE PAUL HELPLINE 028 6634 7788.