

The Sunday Newsletter

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ST NINNIDH'S CHURCH DERRYLIN

20th September 2020 Twenty-Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

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Mass Intentions:

Sat 19 September: 8pm: Special Intention

Sun 20 September: 11.15am: Eamon McBrien (Corraclare North)

Mon 21 September: 10am: Special Intention

Tues 22 September: 10am: Hugh & Ellen Harron (Coragh)

Wed 23 September: 10am: Special Intention

Thur 24 September: 10am: Special Intention

Fri 25 September: 10am: Seamus Reilly (Fortlea)

Sat 26 September: 8pm: Pat & Agnes McGoldrick (Doon) & deceased
members of The McGoldrick Family

Sun 27 September: 11.15am: Ann Best (Clachan Court)

Saturday 19th September 8.00pm: Reader: Lauren McGovern

Eucharistic Ministers: Agnes Martin James Dolan

Sunday 20th September 11.15am: Reader: McBrien Family

Eucharistic Ministers: Mary Mooney Brian McManus

Saturday 26th September 8.00pm: Reader: Lorna Shergill

Eucharistic Ministers: Philip McCarron, Aoife Boyle

Sunday 27th September 11.15am: Reader: Caitlin McIntyre

Eucharistic Ministers: Alannah Leonard, Niall Donegan

JOHN PAUL AWARD Second Level Students Year 6 who wish to take part in the **John Paul 11 Award Course**. Please contact Sian Barrett. Course commences in September.

Derrylin First Holy Communion: The children in St Ninnidh's PS will celebrate this very special Sacrament in St Ninnidh's Church at 11.00am on Saturday, 10th October. In preparation, they will celebrate their First Confession in the school at 10.30 on Tuesday, 29th September.

APOSTOLIC WORK SOCIETY *In light of the present pandemic restrictions we are unable to have our Annual Display this year. We would like to thank all our members for their year's work. As we can't have our usual collection we would very much appreciate donations and Honorary member's subscriptions. Please put in an envelope marked as "Apostolic" and place in the safe in the church porch. The Kilmore Apostolic Society would like to receive all completed work by the 28th September.*

Face Coverings: We encourage our parishioners to continue the practice of wearing face coverings at Mass and we also remind them of the importance of maintaining the 2m social distance at all times, especially when entering and leaving our churches.

ST MARY'S CHURCH TEEMORE

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Mass Intentions

Sun 20 September: 9.45am: Hugh O'Reilly (Druminiskill)

Wed 23 September: 7pm: Pat Reilly and his parents Rosaleen & Hugh (Teemore)

Fri 25 September: 7pm: Special Intention

Sun 27 September: 9.45am: Bridie Reilly 1st Anniversary (Gortaree)

SUNDAY 20TH SEPTEMBER: Readings: Rachel Watterson. Prayers Of The Faithful: Aoife McBarron. Eucharistic Ministers: Breege Clarke / Susan McCusker / Sara Prunty.

SUNDAY 27TH SEPTEMBER: Readings & Prayers Of The Faithful: Reilly Family Members.
Eucharistic Ministers: Breege Clarke / Susan McCusker/ Sean McGovern.

JOHN PAUL AWARDS:Second Level Students Year 6th: Please contact Sian Barrett or Mary Burke before **30thSept** if you wish to partake in the John Paul Award Course.

Teemore First Holy Communion: The children in St Mary's PS will celebrate this very special Sacrament in St Mary's Church at 11.00am on Saturday, 3rd October. In preparation, they will celebrate their First Confession in St Mary's Church on Wednesday, 30th September.

The Episcopal Ordination of the Very Reverend Martin Hayes as Bishop of Kilmore takes place this Sunday (20 September 2020) in the Cathedral of SS. Patrick & Felim, Cavan at 3:00p.m. The principal consecrator will be Archbishop Eamonn Martin of Armagh and Primate of AllIreland. He will be assisted by the Papal Nuncio to Ireland, Archbishop Jude Thaddeus Okolo, and Archbishop Kieran O'Reilly SMA of Cashel and Emly as co-consecrators. Archbishop Martin will be the homilist. Unfortunately, due to COVID-19 restrictions, the numbers attending the ceremony will be greatly reduced and will be by invitation only with only his immediate family and a few friends attending. The ceremony itself will be live-streamed on the internet and may be viewed at www.churchservices.tv/cavancathedral There will also be a digital broadcast of the ceremony on Northern Sound which may be accessed from its website, www.northernsound.ie Additional information has been published on the diocesan website, www.kilmorediocese.ie, regarding the ceremony itself, the new bishop's coat of arms and motto, and details of his crozier, ring and mitre – the symbols of his role as bishop as well as a copy of the Mass booklet which can be downloaded. Photographs and a report on the ceremony will also be available on the diocesan website from Sunday night/Monday morning. You are cordially invited to watch the ceremony either on the live-stream provided or to listen to the digital broadcast. Let us pray for Fr. Hayes in a special way this weekend as he prepares to be ordained as our new bishop and to take up his new ministry as shepherd of God's flock in the Diocese of Kilmore.

A PRAYER FOR OUR NEW BISHOP God, eternal shepherd, you tend your Church in many ways and rule us with love. You have chosen your servant, Fr. Martin Hayes, to be shepherd of your flock in the Diocese of Kilmore. Give him a spirit of courage and right judgment, a spirit of knowledge and love. By governing with fidelity those entrusted to his care, may he build your Church as a sign of salvation for the world. We ask this through Christ our Lord, Amen.

MacMillan Group - Due to current Covid 19 Regulations Clachan Court MacMillan Group are unable to hold their annual Coffee Morning. Instead there will be a donation box on a table at the front of Clachan Court on Friday the 25th of September from 10.30 to 11.30am for anyone who wishes to make a donation.

Your support will be very much appreciated at this difficult time.

Derrylin Parish Bingo Big Bingo continues at St Ninnidh's Parish Centre each Friday night at 8.30pm ,Drive In/Sit In, great money on offer. £1000 must go on game 10 ,£6200 on offer on the Snowball Game on 45 calls or less plus all big money on all the other 11 Games, come along it could be your lucky night. The Committee would like to Thank sincerely all those wonderful Stewards who turn out every Friday night to help run our Bingo so efficiently you are all Stars. Covid 19 regulations in place ensure you wear a mask

Teemore Women's Group -MEMBERS PLEASE NOTE: Meetings **will not** resume in September owing to **Covid 19 Restrictions**. Arrangements For The Annual Halloween Evening Tea & Christmas Meal remain on hold. In the meantime Members are asked to continue to support fellow members by phone/ text etc. Members are also encouraged to continue socially distanced walking in small numbers during September & October whenever conditions are favourable.

Accord Pre-Marriage Course Dates for 2021 in the Diocese of Kilmore

Pre-Marriage Courses will take place in the Kilmore Diocesan Pastoral Centre, The Conaty Centre, Cullies, Cavan H12 E5C7 on the following dates in 2021:

February 27th 2021 April 24th 2021 October 30th 2021

These are a one day 5 hour course – 10.00am – 4.00pm No refreshments served

Please book on line at www.accord.ie For further information, please ring Mrs Eileen Connolly in the Cavan Accord office on 049 4375004

Mothers of the Church Year One – An Initiative of Kilmore Diocese

For all women, single, married, religious: Would you like to deepen your spiritual life? Do you know your personal boundaries and how to respond when they are crossed? Do you feel you would like to offer something back to our young people? Would you like to explore your Catholic faith as a contemporary woman?

Consider joining in this 9 week course, **starting on Sunday, the 27th of September in the Diocesan Pastoral Centre from 3:00pm - 5:00pm**. The first session will be held in person but most sessions will be held online via Zoom on Sunday afternoons. If you are unable to attend at that time, you are

still able to join the class online and watch the presentations at your convenience. For further information or to register for the course, please email contact@thebackpack.life or phone 083 487 7325.

Knockniny Credit Union: Congratulations to Charlene McCarron, the recent winner in our monthly membership draw.

Carpark Supervisors needed: Reading the press it appears the Thieves are on the batter around the local churches again breaking into cars whilst people are attending Mass so maybe we need to ask for volunteers to sign up again for the task of security duties at our weekend Masses, so if those who would like to volunteer please drop their names in the safe at the back of the church or forward to Fiona at the Parish Office in order that a rota can be drawn up .

Society of St Vincent de Paul St Ninnidh's Conference can be contacted for support at any time on 07873240493.

The Parish Office open Monday to Thursday 10.00am to 1.00pm

Masses on Parish web cams. It can be accessed on www.mcnmedia.tv and church services. CB Radio is also on air.

BARNLEE CRAFTS & ACTIVITIES CHARITY SHOP - We continue to remind our customers that we have a range of school uniforms currently in stock. If You are interested in acquiring any of these or any of The Items currently on display in the shop window at Bargain Prices please contact Barnlee on 67723233 for an appointment. **STRICT COVID 19 REGULATIONS TO BE ADHERED TO**

COVID-19 Support Line for Older People ALONE manage a national support line and additional supports for older people who have concerns or are facing difficulties relating to the outbreak of COVID-19 (Coronavirus). Professional staff are available to answer queries and give advice and reassurance where necessary. The support line is open seven days a week, 8am - 8pm, by calling 0818 222 024.

HIIT Circuits- Tuesday @ 7pm @ Parish Hall.

Derrylin O'Connells GF

LOTTO: 11th September: Lotto numbers were:2, 12, 19, 25. There was no Jackpot winner. A consolation prize of £20 went to Aidan Shannon, Derrylin and £10 prizes went to Oilibhear Mac O'scair, Bingo; Patrick Kelly, Online and Raymond McDermott, Carragole. *Lotto draw takes place Friday's at 9.30pm in O'Connell Park. Next week's Jackpot is £4050.* Play locally or online at Klubfunder.com

TRAINING:

U11 & U13 Groups – Tuesday @ 6.45 – 7.45pm

U17 Group –Monday & Thursday @ 7 – 8pm

**** ONLINE HEALTH QUESTIONNAIRE MUST BE COMPLETED BEFORE EACH TRAINING SESSION****

RESULTS: SENIORS: JUNIOR CHAMPIONSHIP SEMI FINAL – MATCH ABANDONED.

FIXTURES: SENIORS – JUNIOR CHAMPIONSHIP SEMI-FINAL - NEWTOWNBUTLER V DERRYLIN – REMATCH – SUNDAY 20TH SEPTEMBER @ 3PM IN ROSLEA.

ENTRY IS TICKET ONLY Good luck to all involved.

****All spectators must obey social distancing requirements of 2 metres. In line with GAA protocols, supporters are strongly advised to wear face coverings at games. Patrons are also encouraged to bring their own hand sanitiser.**

Club registration is still open; membership can be paid online:

https://www.klubfunder.com/Clubs/Derrylin_OConnells_GFC/Membership#MembershipOptions or by contacting [Joanne / Grainne](mailto:Joanne_Grainne@klubfunder.com).

Teemore Shamrocks GFC:

Lotto: Draw held on 14/09/2020. Numbers drawn were 4, 7, 15, 20. **Congratulations to Michael McCaffery who won our jackpot of £3650!!** £20 - Jim McDonald. £10 - Geraldine Drumm. £10 - Sean McGurn. Next week's Jackpot is £3000. Play our Club Lotto online via this link -

https://www.klubfunder.com/Clubs/Teemore_Shamrocks_GFC/lotto. Thank you to everyone for supporting our club lotto.

Senior Team: Hard luck to our Senior team who were defeated in last Sunday's Quinn Building Products Senior Championship Semi Final against Ederney St. Joseph's. Final Score: Teemore Shamrocks 3-7 v 2-16 Ederney St. Joseph's. We are extremely proud of the lads for their never give up attitude. It wasn't to be this year but with Senior Championship status guaranteed for 2021 we know the lads will give it another crack. We wish Ederney St. Joseph's the best of luck in this year's final.

Club Masks and Snoods: If anyone has not collected their snood or masks please get in touch with Killian Barrett on 07596109634.

2020 Fermanagh Club All Stars: The 2020 Fermanagh Club All Stars returns for a 4th year! This year's award night is scheduled to take place on the weekend of the 22nd October. This year's event will change in format due to

the restrictions of Covid 19. Please keep an eye on social media and our club notes for more details in the weeks ahead.

Sympathies: We would like to offer our deepest condolences to the Owens and McKenna family on the passing of Raymond McKenna, Kinawley. May he rest in peace.

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A just and fair God

If I did a full day's work and the person next to me only did half a day's work, but we were both paid the exact same, I would have every right to be angry.

A landowner goes out very early in the morning and hires workers. He hires them for the work he thinks they can do. They even agree on what pay they are to receive. We are also told that he went out four more times to hire more workers; clearly he had more work than he realised. At the end of the day's work, the landowner pays all the workers the same wages. This is when the argument starts. The first group of workers are angry with the landowner and envious of the other workers. The landowner's generosity is questioned by the early workers, even though they had agreed the pay between themselves before the work started.

However the landowner replies quickly saying to them, *'have I no right to do what I like with my own? Why are you jealous because I am generous?'*

What is Jesus trying to teach us through this parable? Historically, the Pharisees were the ones who saw themselves as most deserving of God's friendship and they guarded it with all their strength and power. The 'latecomers' who are treated the same as the first hired workers are those who are sick and poor; the deaf, the blind and the crippled. These are the people about whom Jesus spoke when he said *I have come to bring good news to the poor.* The people the Pharisees look down and despise are the very ones that Jesus welcomes and eats with.

Jesus turned everything on its head. He spoke to those no one else would have listened to. He sat and ate with those who were considered to be sinners and outsiders. The message of love, mercy and forgiveness are meant for them too. They need it the most!

The way God works in and through people's lives are not our ways. We read this in the first reading; *my ways are not your ways... my thoughts are not your thoughts.* God does not deal with or treat people as we do.

Jesus asks me not to be like the first group of workers or the Pharisees. I am challenged not to be jealous or envious when God treats others in the same way as me. We are all invited by God to build the Kingdom. Some people are called by God before we are. Some will be called after us. It doesn't matter when we are called; all we have to do is wait and to be ready when God calls us.



Prayer for Our Earth

**All powerful God, you are present in the whole universe
and in the smallest of your creatures.**

You embrace with your tenderness all that exists.

Pour out upon us the power of your love, that we may protect life and beauty.

Fill us with peace, that we may live as brothers and sisters, harming no one.

**O God of the poor, help us to rescue the abandoned and
forgotten of this earth, so precious in your eyes.**

**Bring healing to our lives, that we may protect the world and not prey on it,
that we may sow beauty, not pollution and destruction.**

**Touch the hearts of those who look only for gain at the expense of the poor and the
earth.**

**Teach us to discover the worth of each thing, to be filled with awe and contemplation,
to recognize that we are profoundly united with every creature as we journey towards
your infinite light**

**We thank you for being with us each day. Encourage us, we pray, in our struggle
for justice, love and peace. (Pope Francis, Laudato Si)**

**Prayer of
Saint John Henry Newman**

May the Lord support us all the day
long,

Til the shades lengthen and the
evening comes,
and the busy world is hushed,
and the fever of life is over,
and our work is done.

Then in his mercy
may he give us a safe lodging,
and holy rest,
and peace at the last.

AMEN

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