

The Sunday Newsletter

Knockninny

ST NINNIDH'S CHURCH DERRYLIN

16th May 2021 The Ascension of the Lord

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Mass Intentions:

Sat 15 May: 8pm: Hugh, Roseanne & John Burke (Gortaree) **AND**
Frank Eccles (Coragh)

Sun 16 May: 11.15am: Tom Maguire 1st Anniversary (Coragh) &
his niece Nuala Maguire (Boho)

Mon 17 May: 10am: Special Intention

Tues 18 May: 10am: Special Intention

Wed 19 May: 10am: Special Intention

Thur 20 May: 10am: Special Intention

Fri 21 May 10am: Special Intention

Sat 22 May: 12pm: Fr Fintan McKiernan's Month's Mind Mass

Sat 22 May: 8pm: Rose Ann Murray Month's Mind Mass (Barr)

Sun 23 May: 11.15am: Maida & Owen Curry (Main St)

Saturday 15th May 8pm Reader: Niall McGovern

Eucharistic Ministers: Philip McCarron Aoife Boyle

Sunday 16th May 11.15am: Reader Maguire Family

Eucharistic Ministers: Alannah Leonard Mary Shannon

Saturday 22nd May 8pm Reader: Murray Family

Eucharistic Ministers: Connie Murphy Valerie McManus

Sunday 23rd May 11.15am: Reader Curry Family

Eucharistic Ministers: Anne McBrien Tomas Scallon

Fr McKiernan - Month's Mind Mass: The Month's Mind Mass for Fr Fintan will be celebrated in St Ninnidh's Church, Derrylin, on Saturday next, 22nd May, at 12.00 noon. We appreciate that a large number of people would like to attend the Mass but, because of the Covid restrictions, only a limited number will be able to enter the church building. A few benches will be reserved for members of Fr Fintan's family and for his personal friends. Remaining places will be filled on a first come, first served basis. Church doors will open at 11.30 am. The outside speakers will be in operation and we plan to distribute Holy Communion to those outside the church. They are reminded of the importance of wearing their face-masks and of maintaining social distance at all times. The Parish Pastoral Council is due to meet on Tuesday evening and, if further decisions are taken, they will be published on the parish Facebook page.

Resumption of House Calls: Fr Alwill has received the second vaccination jab and should be fully vaccinated by the end of May. This means that from early June he will be in a position to resume house calls to the sick and housebound members of our parish community. However, he will only attend parishioners who have themselves been fully vaccinated. He requests that family members contact the Parish Office (6774 8315) in order to confirm that their loved one has been fully vaccinated and to inform the secretary that they are happy to have Fr Alwill make a visit. They can also suggest a suitable time/day for the call. He plans to make individual calls over the course of a month and will no longer rush around making them all in the space of three days. At most, he will visit two houses per day, one in the morning and possibly another in the afternoon. He will continue to observe best practice, using hand-sanitiser and face-mask for all visits.

ST MARY'S CHURCH TEEMORE

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Mass Intentions

Sun 16 May: 9.45am: Special Intention

Wed 19 May: 7pm: Special Intention

Fri 21 May: 7pm: Hugh James Curry and his parents Maura & John James & deceased family members.

Sun 23 May: 9.45am: John, Mary Anne & Rose Ann Reilly and deceased family members (The Borough)

Gemma Woods RIP: Please pray for the happy repose of the soul of Gemma Woods, formerly of Ballyconnell, who died in Ballinrobe, Co Mayo, on Monday last. She was a sister-in-law of Margaret Woods, Derrylaney.

Sunday 16th May: First Reading & Psalm: Ethan Prunty. Second Reading & Gospel Acclamation. Aisling Burke. **Prayers Of The Faithful:** Marie Murphy.

Eucharistic Ministers: Sean McGovern / Megan Curry / Sara Prunty.

Sunday 23rd May: First Reading & Psalm: Leah Prunty. Second Reading & Gospel Acclamation: Aoife McBarron. **Prayers Of The Faithful:** Sean Reilly

Eucharistic Ministers: Phyllis Reilly / Rachel Waterson / Sean McGovern.

VOLUNTEERING If You are a Second Level Student:

Consider joining the Youth Liturgy Team, Play an active part in the Sunday Liturgy by delivering the Readings or by becoming a Eucharistic Minister.

Register Interest by contacting M Burke.

Car Supervision: Sunday 16th May: Oliver Cosgrove & Patsy Gilronan.

Sunday 23rd May :Michael Donnelly & Ronan Waterson.

St Mary's PS, Teemore - First Communion: The celebration of First Holy Communion will take place in St Mary's Church at 11.00am on Saturday, 5th June. First Confession has been scheduled to take place in St Mary's Church at 11.00am on Tuesday, 18th May.

St Ninnidh's PS, Derrylin - First Communion: The celebration of First Holy Communion will take place in St Ninnidh's Church at 11.00am on Saturday, 19th June. First Confession has been scheduled to take place in the school 11.00am on Tuesday, 25th May.

Confirmation 2021: The celebration of Confirmation in Knockninny Parish this year will take place on the last weekend of June. On Friday 25th June, the Confirmation class of St Mary's PS, Teemore, will celebrate the sacrament at 6.00pm in St Mary's Church, Teemore. The following day, Saturday 26th June, the Confirmation class of St Ninnidh's PS, Derrylin will celebrate the sacrament at 12 noon in St Ninnidh's Church, Derrylin. Parish priest, Fr Alwill, will be the celebrant for both occasions.

Kilmore Diocese Apostolic Work are having a Fundraising Draw for 12 Months to raise funds for the Missions. Each Branch in the Diocese have 25 Tickets to sell 1st Prize €200 2nd Prize €100 Tickets €50 each (less than €1 per week) with great chances to win! First draw will take place in the Pastoral Centre in Cavan on Friday the 25th June and Monthly thereafter. Please support and buy a ticket. contact Mary Rose Derrylin Apostolic Work on 67748479.

BARNLEE CRAFTS & ACTIVITIES CHARITY SHOP

SCHEDULED DATE FOR REOPENING: **FIRST WEEK OF JUNE**

STRICT ADHERENCE TO COVID GUIDELINES WILL APPLY AT ALL TIMES CONTACT BARNLEE > 67723233 FOR APPOINTMENT TO VIEW / COLLECT

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

Drive in Bingo returns on Friday nights @ 8.30pm.

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

To book a baptism please contact Fr Alwill at 028 6774 8315.

Indoor circuits @ the parish hall

Monday May 24th @ 6pm Male and Female. 7pm - Male only.

Thursday May 27th @ 6pm - Male and Female. 7pm - Male only.

Text / Call 07565420024 to confirm a place.

6 week Program for Athletic Development and Fitness. Under 18. Starting May 29th @ 9am. Text 07565420024 to confirm a place.

6 week Program for Adult Senior movement group. Starting May 29th @ 10am Tea / Coffee provided afterwards. Text / Call 07565420024 to confirm a place.

Derrylin O'Connells LOTTO: 7th May 2021 LOTTO RESULTS: 3, 6, 11, 13

No jackpot winner Consolation prizes: £20 - Online player - Eoin Maguire; £10 - Etta Fitzpatrick, Silverstream; £10 - Kevin Gilleece, Nedd; £10 - Ava Connolly, Coolkill

Next week's Jackpot is £5050. Play locally or online at *Klubfunder.com*

Drive in Bingo returns on 14th May 2021 @ 8.30pm. Our lotto draw will return to taking place during Bingo.

WALKING TRACK: We have received a large number of complaints AGAIN about the mess of the running / walking track and our pitches due to dog excrement. All dogs must be kept on leads when using the football grounds. Please be considerate and clean up after your dog! Not cleaning up your dog's mess is extremely disrespectful to all users of our pathways and pitches.

TRAINING: Please ensure that you continue to adhere to all Covid guidance issued. Details of training dates / times will be published in the relevant What's App groups.

Sympathy: Derrylin O'Connell's wish to extend our deepest sympathy the Shannon and Flanagan families on the sad passing of Owen Shannon. Ar dheis Dé go Gaibh Anam.

Teemore Shamrocks Lotto: Draw held on 10/05/2021. Numbers drawn were: 2, 3, 9, 26. No jackpot winner. £20 - Pdraig McCaffrey. £10 - Mark Donohoe. £10 - John Doherty. Next week's jackpot is £4700. 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 during these challenging times.

Power Cage - Squat Cage - Bonus Ball Competition - Please check out our club facebook page for our great competition to win a Power Cage with pull up bar. Draw will take place when all numbers have been bought and paid for.

Referee Team: Our club is looking to create a team of referees to cover 4/5 games maximum per year. This is an important requirement to secure home games. A foundation course will be run soon so we need any willing volunteers to commit asap. Please contact our club secretary Garrett MacEnri if you are interested.

Fermanagh Senior Team: Good luck to the Fermanagh Senior team as they begin their NFL against Cavan this Saturday 15th May at 7pm in Brewster Park.

Welcome to a new Lourdes website: www.saintbernadette.info

Included are the following:

- The importance of the Holy Rosary for our times:
- The Lourdes Apparitions:
- The life and times of St Bernadette:
- The song of Bernadette Movie:
- Prayer cards on request and much more.

For further information - morgansharpesenior@gmail.com

“Marian Pilgrimages have released their pilgrimage schedule for 2021 & 2022 to Lourdes, Medjugorje, Fatima, Italy & Holy Land. For more information or to register your interest please visit www.marian.ie or ring Marian Pilgrimages on (01) 878 8159”

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World Communications Day



Go out to the whole world

Today marks the 55th World Communications Day, and the theme for this year is 'Come and See: Communicating by encountering people where and as they are'. In his message to mark the occasion, Pope Francis emphasises the importance of meeting people where they are, just as Jesus did with those he encountered: 'We need to go and see them for ourselves, to spend time with people, to listen to their stories and to confront reality, which always in some way surprises us.' All communication, he says, should strive to be clear and honest, whether in the media, on the internet, in the Church's preaching, or in social interaction.

He has a particular message for all who use social media: 'Thanks to the internet we have the opportunity to report what we see, what is taking place before our eyes, and to share it with others. At the same time, the risk of misinformation being spread on social media has become evident to everyone... All of us are responsible for the communications we make, for the information we share, for the control that we can exert over fake news by exposing it. All of us are to be witnesses of the truth: to go, to see and to share.'

It is fitting that this day coincides with the Feast of the Ascension. Before he is taken into heaven, Jesus issues his final instruction: 'Go out to the whole world; proclaim the Good News to all creation.' Our challenge is to communicate by encountering people, where they are and as they are.

'Teach us to go out and see, teach us to listen, not to entertain prejudices or draw hasty conclusions.'

Pope Francis' message for the 55th World Communications Day