

# Bulletin



The Ascension of The Lord ~ 28 May 2017

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**MASS SCHEDULE**  
**Monday - Friday:** 10 am  
**Saturday:** 10.30 am  
**Saturday Vigil:** 7 pm  
**Sunday:**  
9 am 10.30 am 12 noon  
**CONFESSIONS**  
**First Thursday of the Month:**  
6.15 pm – 6.50 pm  
**Saturday:**  
11 am – 11.30 am  
& 6.15 pm - 6.50 pm

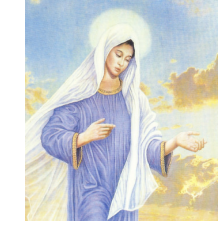
**Cemetery Sunday, 25 June**  
There will be the usual ceremonies in the Dougher Cemetery at 3pm and in St.Colman's Cemetery at 5pm.  
**Derrymacash**  
Monday, 5<sup>th</sup> June, 7 pm  
**Derrytrasna**  
Wednesday, 7<sup>th</sup> June, 7pm  
**St. John's, Lylo**  
Sunday, 2<sup>nd</sup> July, 3 pm


**St. Vincent de Paul**  
Ozanam Centre, William Street  
Opening Hours: (Shop & Office)  
Monday – Friday,  
**10 am – 1 pm :: 2 pm – 4 pm**  
Closed for lunch, 1 pm – 2 pm.  
Saturday, (shop only)  
**10 am- 12 noon**  
Office: Tel: 38 325725, ext. 3  
Shop: Tel: 3832 5725, ext 2.

**Pentecost Vigil**  
  
*Join us to welcome the God the Holy Spirit among us at a Vigil for Pentecost.*  
Young people from Lurgan and surrounding parishes will lead us in prayer, music, the Word of God, and silence.  
**Saturday, 3<sup>rd</sup> June, 9.30 pm – 10.30 pm**  
in the Adoration Chapel, Edward Street.  
**Tar anuas, a Spioraid Naomh!**  
*Come down, O Holy Spirit!*

**Calvary Omeath**  
*The Rosminian Fathers*  
**Annual Novena in Honour of St. Jude**  
**Saturday, 3<sup>rd</sup> June to Sunday, 11<sup>th</sup> June**  
Mass each evening, 7.30 pm  
Healing Mass on Sunday, 11<sup>th</sup> June, 7.30 pm  
Celebrant: Fr. Oliver Stansfield I.C.

**EXAM TIME**  
  
*Hello Lord. You know me well.*  
Maybe I don't know you, as I should.  
I know that I have been careless –  
no daily prayer – no Mass going.  
But I'm sorry and promise to take up the challenge again.  
I trust in your mercy and love and ask you to settle my mind.  
I could have worked harder and organised better but I'm hopeless.  
You are my only way forward therefore I ask you to lead me into appropriate area of study for each exam so that I may obtain good results. Please hear my plea Lord.  
**Divine intellect help me. Amen.**

**MARY**  
  
**The Month Of May Reflection**  
*It is an opportunity for us to think a little more about Mary, her role in the Church, and what she has to say to us, Christians.*  
**The Church honours Mary as first among the saints.**

**Sunday, 18<sup>th</sup> June**  
will be a very special day for our Children's Liturgy.  
  
*This is Corpus Christi and we will be celebrating with a small procession during Mass.*  
We would welcome all children to join us. We are especially looking forward to welcoming any P4 children, who recently made their First Holy Communion. Please make sure to get dressed up again for the Children's Mass at 10.30 am.

**Lough Derg**  
**Monday, 28<sup>th</sup> August, £49.**  
*Taking names, contact parish office. Weekly payments now available.*

**Adoration Chapel**  
Edward Street, Lurgan.  
*The Holy Hour, 8 pm – 9 pm will continue each month on the first Monday.*  
**Please note:**  
*Due to exams/summer holidays, the next and last date will be Monday, 26<sup>th</sup> June instead of 5<sup>th</sup> June.*

**Anam Cara**, the organisation that supports bereaved parents, is holding its next monthly Parent Evening on **Wednesday, 31<sup>st</sup> May**, 7.30 pm – 9 pm in Armagh City Hotel, Armagh.  
Tel: 02895213120.

**Sacred Scripture Reflection**  
The Alpha Community is a group of ordinary parishioners who meet fortnightly on Friday at 8 pm in Mount Zion House, Lurgan.  
*Why not come and see? All are welcome.*  
*Tea and coffee provided.*  
Tel: 07707659497/07990578753.  
*Upcoming meetings are on: 2<sup>nd</sup>, 16<sup>th</sup>, & 30<sup>th</sup> June.*

**Precious Life Rally For Life**  
*The 11<sup>th</sup> All Ireland Rally For Life will be held in Dublin city centre on Saturday, 1<sup>st</sup> July.*  
Join thousands of people from across Ireland for this fun-filled family day out. Coaches will be travelling to the Rally from various towns across Northern Ireland. Holy Mass will be celebrated in St. Saviours Church, Dominick Street, Dublin before the Rally at 12.30 pm.  
Further details please contact 028 90278484 or [www.rallyforlife.net](http://www.rallyforlife.net)

**Taghnevan Youth Club** are hosting a **Car Boot Sale & Jumble Sale on Saturday, 3<sup>rd</sup> June, 12 noon – 3 pm.** £5 per car/table. Tel: 38 324 989 to register.  
*All profits to Senior Citizens Luncheon Club.*

*Books are never out of humour, never envious or jealous, they answer all questions with readiness; they teach us how to live and how to die, they dispel melancholy by their mirth, and amuse by their wit; they prepare the soul to suffer everything and desire nothing, they introduce us to our selves.*

**Offertory Collection**  
£2,293. Thank you.

**2017 Guided Tours of Newry Cathedral**  
Tour dates:  
31<sup>st</sup> May, 7 pm/28<sup>th</sup> June, 2 pm/  
19<sup>th</sup> July, 7 pm/16<sup>th</sup> August, 2 pm/  
31<sup>st</sup> August, 7 pm.  
*No charge for these tours.*

**Lurgan Musical Society** presents  
**A Summer Concert**  
Lurgan Town Hall,  
**Friday, 2<sup>nd</sup> June, 8 pm.**  
Tickets, £5, McConville, North Street S D Kells, Market St/Print Business  
*Everyone welcome.*


**Community Outreach Group**  
*Sponsors:*  
Rev. Dr. Johnston McMaster who will present  
**Penal Laws in Ireland, Preventing Popery, or Asserting Protestant Ascendancy?**  
**Wednesday, 31<sup>st</sup> May, 8 pm**  
Jethro Centre, Flush Place.  
Light refreshments served.  
*Everyone welcome.*

**FREE Health Check**  
*Lurgan Library*  
**Tuesday, 6<sup>th</sup> June, 2 pm – 4 pm.**  
*Everyone welcome.*

**Lurgan Town Hall**  
*Adult Step Dance Classes*  
*Old Style Step Dance of Ireland*  
Wednesdays, Term-time  
Beginners: 7 pm – 8 pm  
Improvers: 8 pm – 9 pm  
Extra Workshop – intermediate level: 2 pm – 4.30 pm, 10<sup>th</sup> June, YMCA  
[www.annettecollins.com](http://www.annettecollins.com)  
Tel: 077887 30429.

**Walking Football**  
Jethro Centre  
**Tuesdays, 11 am – 12.30 pm**  
Come along and join in the fun, *free* course, refreshments provided.  
Tel: 3832 5673.

**Jiving Classes**  
in Cranagh Hall, Aghagallon, every Tuesday night, 8 pm – 9 pm. £5 per person, beginners welcome. Tel: 07712 664 665.

  
**RECENTLY DECEASED**  
Bridie Brady, Shore Road,  
Rosie Tallon, Tarry Drive,  
Mollie McLernon, Oakleigh Fold,  
May Ewings, Oakleigh Heights,  
Felix Darragh, Bleary,  
Wilma Lewsley, Belvedere Manor.

**ANNIVERSARIES**  
**SUNDAY 28 MAY**  
**Vigil**  
Rose Toal, Prospect Way,  
Charlotte Carville, Shore Road,  
Una McCausland, Edward Street,  
Donagh Haughian, Edward Street,  
Annie Stevenson's, Totton's Court,  
William & Mary Toner, Sloan Street.

**9 am**  
Jimmy McGeown, Donnelly Gardens,  
Charles Power, Francis Street,  
Maureen Rodgers, The Grange.

**10.30 am**  
Sean McMullan, Thornleigh,  
Ita McMullan, Thornleigh,  
Edward (Ned) McCann, Rampart Street.

**12 noon**  
Una O'Neill, Charles Street,  
Lucy Greene, The Clare,  
Gregory Finnegan, Silverwood Drive,  
Liam O'Neill, Richmount Gardens.

**MONDAY 29 MAY**  
Owen Lavery, Thornleigh,  
Owen McConville, Albert Street,  
Kathleen McCrory, Mansefield,  
Cafolla Gardens.

**TUESDAY 30 MAY**  
Peter Lavery, Edward Street.

**WEDNESDAY 31 MAY**  
Leo Devine, Ashwood,  
Mary O'Neill, Ashwood,  
Joe Griffin, Drumlin Drive.

**THURSDAY 1 JUNE**  
Denis Thompson, Shankill Street,  
Thomas John Lennon, Derrytagh North,  
Angela Kearney, Glenholme Park,  
Sadie McCorry, Kiln Road,  
Brendan McCorry, Belfast.

**FRIDAY 2 JUNE**  
Bridget Delaney, Thornleigh,  
Martha McSherry, Edward Street.

**SATURDAY 3 JUNE**  
Charlie Walsh, Victoria Street,  
Agnes Harte, Desmond Avenue,  
Felix Reynolds, Monbrief Walk.