

Bulletin



Pentecost Sunday ~ 4 June 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

Dromore

Diocesan Historical Society
Monday, 12th June, 7.25 pm

An historical two-part outing to Old Tullylish, and to Laurencetown, Co. Down, to be conducted by Mr. P. Campbell. The meeting point is the prominent Old Tullylish church tower that stands within the elevated, off-road, Tullylish ancient cemetery (now Church of Ireland) on the road that joins Gilford to Laurencetown village. A signed posted lane leads to the tower that can be seen from the road. These outings to Tullylish are special, given the very attractive landscape that borders the River Bann. The two themes are: *The district's riverside Early Christian monastic presence and influence, and the life and times of Rev. W. Butler Yeats, Rector of Tullylish (1836-53).* Plunkett Campbell leads the vibrant Tullylish Historical Society, and the Society's past and recent publications will be made available during the evening.

In the event of inclement weather, an indoor venue is available for a related talk and supper. All very welcome.

Pentecost (Fire)



At the first signs of winter we clear the grate and light the first fire of the season. The hearth comes alight with warmth and welcome. A real fire means curtains drawn, slippers and a cosy evening at home. As children we were attracted by its heat and warned of its dangers.

In the days of heated radiators and electric fires, our source of heat may come more from a less visible source than an open fire. Yet, down through history, fire has been treasured as a valuable friend. However, the same fire that warms, draws in and comforts can become a terrible force of destruction, like a raging forest or house fire.

Similarly, we can fear or face things in life. Fear is a common experience, which can be both positive and negative. Positive fear can protect from danger, a child from being burned, a sailor with their life jacket, the home that installs a smoke detector. But fear can be negative. Fear of ridicule can keep me from speaking the truth. Fear of what tomorrow might bring, can keep me from living the opportunities of today.

Pentecost is the anniversary of the conquering of fear by God's Spirit. Terrified fishermen became tenacious preachers. If you are filled with fear, Pentecost is your feast day. The young person fearful of exams, those dreading medical procedures and tests, fear of change, of failure, that I won't be able to cope.

Be with us, Spirit of God, as Comforter and Friend.

Be with us as the One who calls us to

Reconciliation, Justice and Peace.

Give us an increasing faith in your activity in the world.

Ordination To Diaconate

This Sunday afternoon two men – Michael Rooney from Ballela and John McClelland from Newry – will be ordained as permanent deacons for our diocese in Newry Cathedral. We wish both candidates many happy years of ministry, and God's blessing on them, their wives and families.

Sunday, 18th 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 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.

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, 5th June, 7 pm

Derrytrasna

Wednesday, 7th June, 7pm

St. John's, Lylo

Sunday, 2nd July, 3 pm

Lough Derg

Monday, 28th August, £49.

Taking names, contact parish office.
Weekly payments now available.

SMA Summer School 2017

Faith Responding
To Changing Times

Friday, 7th July-Sunday, 9th July

Dromantine Retreat & Con. Centre,
Newry, Co. Down.

A programme of Lectures and Workshops delivered by nine expert speakers. Tel: 048 3082 1024

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Baptism



We welcome in to our Christian Community

Fiadh Anne Crossey
Carrigart Crescent,
Kaley Margaret Conway
Carrigart Crescent,
Riley Gerard Quinn
Riverglade Manor,
Lily Autumn Ruby Maguire-Bowman
Gilpinstown,
Anna Currie
Castle Lane Mews,
Mya Marie Pauline Duffy
Hill Street,
Caoimhin Patrick Lawless
Glenholme Park,
Faolan Sean McCann
Derrycor Lane,
Odhrán Leo Seeley
Carrigart Manor,

Our prayers and good wishes is extended to their family and friends.

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, 26th June instead of 5th June.

Precious Life

Rally For Life

The 11th All Ireland Rally For Life will be held in Dublin city centre on Saturday, 1st July.

Holy Mass will be celebrated in St. Saviours Church, Dominick Street, Dublin before the Rally at 12.30 pm. Tel: 028 902784
www.rallyforlife.net

St. Ronan's College

Open Day on Cornakinnegar Road Site

Early in 2018, the work will begin on St. Ronan's College new school build.

To celebrate the heritage of the Cornakinnegar Rd site, the College will hold an Open Day on Thursday, 8th June.

The College will be open from 10 am – 5 pm with guided tours taking place at 11 am, 1 pm and 4.30 pm. The Board of Governors and staff of St. Ronan's College invite all who attended or worked in any of the previous schools on this site to make a final visit before building work begins.

St. Patrick's, Derrymacash

Our Lady of Fatima

Family Rosary Devotion, 7 pm
Tuesday, 13th June/Thursday, 13th July/Sunday, 13th August/Wednesday, 13th September/Friday, 13th October

In this Celebration of The Centenary Of Fatima.

Gathering Sticks

Memories of Lourdes

A Souvenir Card containing ten poems and prayers, by Fr. Michael Maginn.

Now available at the parish office/sacristy, £2.

All proceeds to Lourdes Fundraising Committee.

2017 Guided Tours

of Newry Cathedral

Tour dates:

28th June, 2 pm/

19th July, 7 pm/16th August, 2 pm/

31st August, 7 pm.

No charge for these tours.

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: 16th, & 30th June.

FREE Health Check

Lurgan Library

Tuesday, 6th June, 2 pm – 4 pm.

Everyone welcome.

Cantabile

Kerrie Patterson presents

"Some Enchanted Evening"

Craigavon Civic Centre, Friday, 16th June, 8 pm

An evening of music in aid of Marie Curie

Featuring Cantabile Choir, Accompanist: Brian Greene

Special guests: The Maginn School of Irish Dancing, Eimear McGeown & Jonny Toman. Tickets. £10 – Under 12. £5.

Lurgan Town Hall

Adult Step Dance Classes

Old Style Step Dance of Ireland

www.annettecollins.com

Tel: 077887 30429.

RECENTLY DECEASED

Mary Alice Greene, Cheshire Mews,
Peter McAtasney, Oakridge,
Mary Bernadette Breen, Derrytrasna.

ANNIVERSARIES

SUNDAY 4 JUNE

Vigil

Owen & Bridget Lavery, Francis Street,
Jim Coleman, Richmount Gardens,
Eileen McShane, Beaumont Square,
Charles McCaughley, Ashwood,
Una Doran, Manor Park,
Hugh McCluskey, Prospect Way,
Joan Beattie, Drumbeg North.

9 am

Joanne & Brendan McKenna, Derrytrasna,
Owen McAliskey, Turmoyna,
Jean Hogan, Grattan Street.

10.30 am

William Creaney, Killough Gardens.

12 noon

Sarah Jane & James Scullion, Drumlin Dr,
Henry Heaney, Milltown.

MONDAY 5 JUNE

Sheila McCabrey, Dingwell Park,
Jim Lennon, Killough Gardens,
Sean Donnelly, Deeny Drive,
Sammy Coleman, Monbrief Walk,
Joseph Casey, Drumlin Drive.

TUESDAY 6 JUNE

Elizabeth O'Neill, Glenholme Park,
Sean McEvoy, Ailsbury Park.

WEDNESDAY 7 JUNE

James Jordan, Cypress Gardens,
Patricia McCann, Cherrytree Walk,
James O'Neill, Drumlin Drive,
Sean Lennon, Victoria Street,
Laurentia McConville, North Street,
Angela Kelly, Silverwood Drive,
Robert & Elizabeth Haughey, Shankill St.

THURSDAY 8 JUNE

Mary Ann Haughian, Derrytrasna.

FRIDAY 9 JUNE

Kathleen & Pat O'Dowd, Ballynagarrick,
Hugh McMahon, Hawthorne Avenue,
Frank O'Hara, Oakridge.

SATURDAY 10 JUNE

Cecilia Walsh, (McIntyre) Dublin.

Offertory Collection

£2,180. Thank you.

OMI 17th Sept., – 22nd Sept.,

Tel: Rita, 07754689330

The Annual Diocesan Pilgrimage to Knock Shrine will take place on Sunday, 18th June, 2017

Buses will leave from Lurgan, Banbridge, Warrenpoint and Newry.

Booking can be made at the parish office.