

# PARISH OF AGHALURCHER

**Sunday 13th January 2019 - The Baptism of The Lord**

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**Parish Mass Times - Holy Cross:** Monday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday 10am (if there is a funeral - Mass will be at 11am); Tuesday at 7pm

Saturday 6pm Vigil and Sunday 11.30am

**Maguiresbridge:** Friday 7pm; Sunday 10am

**Live streaming:** [www.churchservices.tv/lisnaskea](http://www.churchservices.tv/lisnaskea)

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## Anniversary Mass Intentions

### HOLY CROSS

#### Saturday 12th January

**6.00pm Vigil Mass:** • (Month's Mind): Esther Flanagan • Phyllis Maguire, Barn Hill.

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**11.30am:** For the people of the parish.

#### Monday 14th January

**10.00am:** Private Intention.

#### Tuesday 15th January - St. Ita, virgin

**7.00pm:** Novena Mass to St. Peregrine for all the sick.

#### Wednesday 16th January

**10.00am:** Ignatius Reilly and deceased family members.

#### Thursday 17th January - St. Anthony, abbot

**10.00am:** Private Intention

#### Friday 18th January

**10.00am:** Attie McCaffrey, London (Funeral Mass today in London).

#### Saturday 19th January

**6.00pm Vigil Mass:** •(Month's Mind): Bronislovas Mickus • Coni Rehill and parents Kathleen & Cornelius  
• Patricia Gilroy, 5 Cherryhill, Gortacharn • Charlotte Rice.

#### Sunday 20th January

**11.30am:** • Kevin & Margaret McElroy, Castlebalfour • John, Annie-Agnes and James Rice.



### ST. MARY'S

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**10.00am:** • John and Maeve McGoldrick and deceased members of the McGoldrick & O'Reilly Families  
• Kate McManus.

#### Friday 18th January

**7.00pm:** • (Month's Mind): Stephen Fee • James Cullen and deceased family members; Joan & Francis McCusker.

#### Sunday 20th January

**10.00am:** •(Month's Mind): Pauline Butler • Patrick and Margaret Breen, Coolcannel and deceased family members.

**RECENTLY DECEASED: You are asked to pray for** Kate Rice, Maguiresbridge.

**May she Rest in Peace.**

**Parish Contributions** 6th January - £4161 and €145.

Many Thanks for your generosity.

### ORDINATION OF OUR NEW BISHOP OF CLOGHER

Mgr Larry Duffy will be ordained as the new Bishop of Clogher on **Sunday 10 February 2019 at 3pm** in St Macartan's Cathedral. Monaghan. There will be representation from every parish at this liturgy, details of which will be sent to parishes over the coming weeks. We are all asked to pray for Bishop-elect Duffy as he prepares for his new and challenging ministry.

*God our Father, Look with favour on your servant Monsignor Larry Duffy, our bishop-elect.*

*As he prepares to lead your pilgrim Church of the Diocese of Clogher, may he find strength and joy in the fellowship of the priests, deacons, religious and people in our parishes.*

*Grant him a spirit of counsel and fortitude, a spirit of knowledge and piety and a spirit of courage and right judgement, so that, together, we may fulfil the mission to make your kingdom come and make visible in the world the sacrament of your Church.*

*We ask this through Christ our Lord, Amen.*

**Faith and Light - Fiesta** in St. Mary's, Newtownbutler today, Sunday, 13th January at 3pm.

**Faith and Friendship Meeting** in the Parish Meeting Rooms on Tuesday 15th January at 7.45pm. All are welcome. PLEASE NOTE THE CHANGE OF TIME.

**Wanted:** Part-time Sacristan for St. Mary's Church Maguiresbridge. 7 hours per week. Contact Fr. Jimmy for application form.

**Catholic Schools Week 2019: January 27<sup>th</sup> - February 3<sup>rd</sup>:** This is a week to acknowledge all our great teachers and our fantastic schools as they support all our parents in handing on the Catholic faith, and we thank them. During this week, many events will be taking place within our schools, but on Sunday 27<sup>th</sup> January the children of St. Mary's Primary in Maguiresbridge will lead the 10am Mass in St. Mary's Church, and on Sunday 3<sup>rd</sup> February the children from St. Ronan's Primary will lead the 11.30am in Holy Cross. All families in particular are welcome to join the community at those masses.

**Lisnaskea Emmetts News:** Gaelic Start will resume on Tuesday evening for children in P1, P2 & P3 from 6:15pm-7:15pm and Indoor Gaelic Football continues on Thursday evening from 6:15pm-7:15pm for children in P4, P5 & P6. All children should wear a gum shield. Each night will cost £3 per family. Well done to all the children who participated in the indoor Gaelic Football blitz today in the Lakeland Forum. Congratulations to Shea Curran who has been selected as the 2019 Fermanagh GAA Senior Hurling Team Captain. The Annual Club Presentation night will be held on Friday 25th Jan at 8pm. Club Membership is now due and can be paid to our Membership Officer, Gerry Hicks. The Lotto Jackpot is now £3,550. We would like to extend our deepest sympathy to the McCaffrey family on the recent death of Attie, uncle of former player James. Ar dheis Dé go raibh a anam.

**A Prayer about Brexit:** As we face these troubled times, we pray for all our politicians. We pray for wisdom, we pray for courage, for grace and positive leadership at this time. Here in the North, there is a genuine fear of the peace process being affected; a fear of the progress that has been made in moving forward toward a 'Shared Future' being undermined, a fear of the unknown. There is concern over how this will affect our relationship within this island. So Lord, take away all our fear, all our worries at this time, and may peace replace all our fears. *Amen.*

### Important dates for 2019

First Holy Communion for children from St. Ronan's School will be celebrated on Saturday 4th May 2019 at 11am in Holy Cross.

First Holy Communion for children from Bunscoil will be celebrated on Saturday 18th May 2019 at 11am in Holy Cross.

First Holy Communion for children from St. Mary's School will be celebrated on Saturday 1st June 2019 at 11am in Maguiresbridge.

The Sacrament of Confirmation for children from the parish will be celebrated on Saturday 11th May 2019 at 11a.m in Holy Cross.

### HELPLINES:

**Northern Ireland Association for Mental Health:** 028 9032 8474

**Relate** (Counselling for adults experiencing relationship difficulties): 028 9032 3454

**Alzheimer's Society** : 028 9038 7784

**Cara-Friend** (LGBT support helpline): 028 9089 0202

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