PARISH OF AGHALURCHER

Sunday 14th June 2020 The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ

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Parish Mass Times - Holy Cross: Monday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday 10am

Tuesday at 7pm

Sunday 11.30am Live streaming: www.churchservices.tv/lisnaskea

www.churchservices.tv/maguiresbridge

Parish Website: www.lisnaskeamaguiresbridgeparish.com

Parish Twitter: @Aghalurcher Parish Facebook Page: Parish of Aghalurcher Parish Office Tel. 028 677 21088 (Monday-Thursday: 2-6pm; Friday 10.30am-1pm)

Parish Office Email: fermanaghparishes@gmail.com



HOLY CROSS

Sunday 14th June

The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ

11.30am: • Eamon Cassidy and his parents Edward & Ellen Cassidy, Henrystughan

- Liam Gerard Collins, 62 Aghalurcher Road
- John and Lily Ryan, daughters Patricia, Alma & Joan and grand-daughter Jacqueline
- Vincent McCusker, Derrybrick, Derrylin
- Private Intention.

Monday 15th June

10.00am: Private Intention.

Tuesday 16th June - Novena Mass to St. Peregrine for all the sick.

7.00pm: Seamus Walsh, Carran West, Garrison.

Wednesday 17th June 10.00am: Private Intention.

Thursday 18th June

10.00am: Jimmy Maguire, The Acres, Lisnaskea. Friday 19th June - The Most Sacred Heart of Jesus.

10.00am: Private Intention.

Sunday 21st June

- **11.30am:** (Month's Mind): Paddy Reihill, Derryasna (Month's Mind): Annie Tormey
 - (Month's Mind): Willie Trotter
 - (First Anniversary): Josephine Clarke
 - Tony, Susan, John-Tom and Mary Kavanagh; Sol and Cathleen Maguire
 - Eamon O'Reilly, Killycrutten
 - Kathleen and Eleanor Sheridan, Trasna Way.

You are asked to pray for all our recently deceased. May they Rest In Peace.

Hour at 7pm. streaming churchservices.tv/ lisnaskea.

on **Baptisms:** parents can request a booking form Thursday 18th June in preparation for their child's baptism from Offertory/Church Maintenance - £823 Live- the Parish Office. Tel. 028 677 21088, email: at fermanaghparishes@gmail.com. When guidelines regarding baptisms has been clarified we will be in touch to confirm a date and time.

Parish Contributions:

First Sunday - £801

Trócaire - £555

Many thanks for your generosity.

The deep cleaning and sanitizing of Holy Cross this week has been sponsored by John and Geraldine Connolly.

Many thanks to the 20 children who entered the recent coloring competition, all amazing, but the two winners were Molly Mc Manus and Matthew Mulligan.

DO LOUGH DERG FROM WHEREVER YOU ARE - Three Day Pilgrimage on 27 – 29 June 2020 The Prior, Fr La Flynn, wil do the pilgrimage on the Island during these three days. At the same time, a small number of our Lough Derg staff will be doing the pilgrimage in St. Mary's Church in Pettigo: this is the nearest church with a webcam to allow us to offer a live link in support of those who will choose to do the pilgrimage wherever they are. On Saturday 27th to Monday 29th June you go to www.loughderg.live to join the pilgrimage online. By way of support, we have prepared a Registration Pack. To register please go to https:// loughderg.live/june-3-day-pilgrimage-registration/or contact the Lough Derg team on +353 (0)71 9861518. The pilgrimage will follow the traditional format, with a few practical adjustments. Evening Prayer of the Church will be recited instead of evening Mass on Saturday and Sunday evenings. Mass will be celebrated at 6.30am on Sunday morning only. Pilgrims are required to begin their fast from midnight on Friday 26th and adhere to the regulation of one Lough Derg type meal each day as if they were doing the pilgrimage on the Island. The meal consists of black tea/coffee, dry toast/wheaten bread/oatcakes. Water and prescribed medication can be taken at any time. From after the final Station on Monday morning soft drinks may also be taken. Pilgrims are to remain barefoot from when they begin their first station on Saturday until they complete their final station on Monday morning. Please, be clear that this will not be a virtual pilgrimage. It will entail the full exercises of the traditional Three Day Pilgrimage: the 24 hour vigil that has always been the heart of the matter, the three day fast, and the nine Station Prayers performed in bare feet. Wherever you are in the world, if you are willing to commit to this programme you are welcome to register to join us. https:// loughderg.live/june-3-day-pilgrimage-registration/ Registration is FREE. However, we would welcome any donation you might make towards the upkeep of Lough Derg, which depends largely on the contribution of pilgrims. Without such financial support the island will struggle to fund its upkeep in our present circumstances. From Tuesday 30th June, those who have undertaken the pilgrimage

should please email us at info@loughderg.org or telephone +353 71 9861518 to confirm that they have completed it conscientiously and giving a full postal address, so that we can issue you with a memento of this historic occasion.



A Framework Document was issued by the Irish Bishops on Tuesday last, preparing our Churches to reopen at the end of the month. Much work and discussion has yet to take place, to ensure that our places of worship are safe to reopen. Bishop Larry is concerned that we only open our churches when it is safe to do so, and the principle we should adhere to is that if a parish is not ready by the 29th, then it must not open its' churches until it is ready. Our Pastoral Team alongside Canon Jimmy have begun that process and discussion. We await further clarification regarding the celebration of Baptism, Wedding, First Holy Communion and Confirmation.

LOURDES2CLOGHER VIRTUAL PILGRIMAGE 2020: Due to Covid-19 we have not been able to have our annual diocesan pilgrimage to Lourdes this year. But we are planning a virtual pilgrimage online -Lourdes2Clogher - for the same dates, 3-8 July. This virtual pilgrimage will be hosted on the Diocese of Clogher Facebook Page and on the Clogher Lourdes website and the liturgies and other devotions will be broadcast from various churches and locations across the diocese. More details of the programme coming soon.

Gift Aid: Over the past few weeks we have written to parishioners who have been very generous in supporting their parish financially during 2019/20 but had not signed a Gift Aid Declaration Form - which enables the parish to receive 25p for every £1 donated from Revenue, once you have been paying tax. We have had a fantastic response and would encourage those who are eligible and have not yet forwarded their form to do so as soon as possible so we can submit a claim to Revenue for 2019/20.

We are now deep cleaning and sanitizing Holy Cross Church each week, to ensure worshippers are safe during their private prayer. If you would like to sponsor a week, contact Aisling in the office. Every little

Monaghan Branch Alzheimers Drumkill & Carrickmacross are hosting a virtual Big Breakfast on 21st June 2020. Your donation is appreciated. Alzheimer National Helpline: 1800341341. For further information see https://alzheimer.ie/ Donate at: https://gf.me/u/x7tg3g.

This week's bulletin has been sponsored by an anonymous sponsor.