

PARISH OF AGHALURCHER

Sunday 22nd May 2022

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Parish Mass Times - *Holy Cross*: Monday 10am – Lay Led Liturgy
Tuesday 7pm

Wednesday & Thursday 10am
Sunday 11am

St. Mary's: Friday 5.30-7pm(Adoration) 7pm – Lay Led Liturgy
Saturday Vigil 6pm

Livestreaming: www.churchservices.tv/lisnaskea
www.churchservices.tv/maguirebridge

Parish Website: www.lisnaskeamaguirebridgeparish.com

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Parish Radio can now be accessed for Holy Cross at 90.1FM & St. Mary's on 90.6FM

Parish Office Tel. 028 677 21088 (Monday-Thursday: 2-6pm; Friday 10.30am-1pm)

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Anniversary Mass Intentions

HOLY CROSS

Sunday 22nd May

- 11.00am: • (Month's Mind): Ursula McElroy, Moughley
• Margaret & John Connolly and deceased family members, Drumeer, Maguiesbridge
• Elizabeth & John Collins, St. Patrick's Tce., sons Toney & Jerry and cousin John Reilly.

Monday 23rd May

10.00am: Lay Led Liturgy.

Tuesday 24th May - Novena Mass to St. Peregrine for all the sick.

- 7.00pm: • Dymrna Ingram and deceased members of the McCourt and McManus families
• Maureen & Paul Maguire and Pauline McCaghery and deceased family members.

Wednesday 25th May

10.00am: Private Intention.

Thursday 26th May

- 10.00am: • Terence & Mary Ryan and their daughters Rita and Bernadette, Macknagh
• Molly Townsend, Johnny Maguire and Johnny Fox, late of Lisnaskea.

Sunday 29th May

- 11.00am: • (1st Anniversary) Tony Jackman, Knocks
• Tommy McCann, Lisoneill
• Benny McManus, 107 Trasna Way.

ST. MARY'S

Saturday 21st May

- 6.00pm: • Paddy and Eileen Murphy, Maguiesbridge
• Matt & Mary-Ann Monaghan and deceased family members, Drumgoon.

Friday 27th May

7.00pm: Lay Led Liturgy

Saturday 28th May

- 6.00pm: • Packie Maguire & deceased family members; James Haughey & deceased family members, Congo.



You are asked to pray for Anthony Waters,
Tattinderry Heights.
May Anthony now Rest in Peace.

Congratulations to the P4 children who made their First Holy Communion this weekend, and thank you to Miss Gordan for all her hard work in preparing the children.

St. Joseph's Young Priest's Society: The annual subscriptions for the society are now due, however we do not feel that the time is right for visiting homes this year. Subscriptions can be given to Betty Montgomery, Teresa Little or your usual promoter up until 16th June. We appreciate your generosity in doing so.

The Society's **Knock Pilgrimage** is resuming this year, on 25th June. Unfortunately, due to the ongoing spread of the virus we will not be organizing a bus. We ask you, our parishioners, to continue to pray for vocations to the Priesthood. Remember all Priests who continue their ministry at this difficult time.

Parish Covid Committee: As promised we have continued to review our regulations within the Parish. Going forward the Parish Ushers will no longer be on duty during the week day masses, but will continue their ministry as a Ministry of 'welcoming' at the Tuesday evening Mass, the weekend masses and at all funerals and weddings until a later review. Ushering at Holy Communion time will no longer take place, in the hope that this will continue to happen in an orderly fashion. Masks will no longer be made available in our Churches but we are still recommending that Parishioners attending Church do wear a mask in the interest of others, but in particular the most vulnerable. We would also ask that you respect other people's desire for personal space. A section of each Church will continue to be provided for social distancing. Hand sanitizing will still be encouraged and ventilation will continue to happen throughout the Church. We will continue to review these guidelines as we move out of this pandemic. We also take this opportunity to say a sincere thank you to the amazing group of Ushers who have provided us with a safe place for over two years, we thank them for their commitment and good humour, this was so much appreciated during that difficult time.

Parish Contributions

Sunday 15th May

First Sunday - £151.10 Offertory - £1022.72 & €85

Many thanks for your continuous generosity

Maguiesbridge GAC: The senior team play Newtownbutler at home on Friday 20th May & the juniors take on Brookeborough away on Saturday evening. The U15 St Marys qualified for their league final - final on Sunday 29th May. The senior ladies are at home versus Belnaleck on Sunday 22nd May. The U14 girls play St Pats away on Monday 23rd May. Well done to Club Eirne for running the under 8.5 blitz last weekend. Great to see two teams from the Bridge taking part. Academy training continues on Tuesday evenings from 7pm to 8pm. Note this is now for P3 to P6 boys and girls. The Tommy Durnien competition continues on Tuesday evenings. Tots Academy continues Saturday mornings 11am to 12. New faces welcome. Lotto jackpot is £4650, takes place Sun. 29th May.

Pentecost Ecumenical Prayer Service: We are happy to re-commence our recent practice of having an Ecumenical Prayer Service on the Feast of Pentecost; this year on 5th June at 3pm. This year we return to the Donagh Old Graveyard, just outside Glaslough, Co. Monaghan – an ancient Christian site associated with St. Patrick and the famous Donagh Cross. Bishops Larry Duffy and Ian Ellis will preside at the Service and everyone will be very welcome. A shuttle bus service will operate between St. Mary's Church, Glennan and the old graveyard. Refreshments will be served afterwards.

Calling ALL ADORERS of the Blessed Sacrament in CLOGHER DIOCESE: National Eucharistic Adoration Pilgrimage to Knock on Saturday 18th June (Corpus Christi weekend) Call: **00353 86 827 5437** to enquire or to book a seat. www.eucharisticadoration.ie

The **Lourdes Pilgrimage** Director and Executive Committee, following consultation, and taking into account all the various concerns, has decided - with much regret - that there will be no Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes in 2022. Those who have expressed an interest in going will be advised to contact JWT who has various dates available. The Lourdes Pilgrimage Committee thank everyone for their interest. We all look forward in hope to the return of our Annual Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes – with the assisted pilgrims - next year.

Prayer Before an Examination

Dear Lord, as I take this exam, I thank you that my value is not based on my performance, but on your great love for me. Come into my heart so that we can walk through this time together. Help me, not only with these exams, but the many tests of life that are sure to come my way.

As I take this exam, bring back to my mind everything I studied and be gracious with what I have overlooked. Help me to remain focused and calm, confident in the facts, and in my ability, and firm in the knowledge that no matter what happens today you are there with me.



This week's bulletin has been sponsored in memory of the deceased residents of St. Patrick's Terrace - from the Collins family & Chris.