

# PARISH OF AGHALURCHER

**Sunday 26th May 2024**

**The Most Holy Trinity**

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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 5.30–6.55pm

Saturday 6pm

Livestreaming: [www.churchservices.tv/](http://www.churchservices.tv/)

(Adoration) 7pm – Lay Led Liturgy

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[www.churchservices.tv/maguirebridge](http://www.churchservices.tv/maguirebridge)

Parish Website: [www.lisnaskeamaguirebridgeparish.com](http://www.lisnaskeamaguirebridgeparish.com)

Parish Instagram Account: [aghalurcher\\_parish](https://www.instagram.com/aghalurcher_parish)

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



## Anniversary Mass Intentions

### HOLY CROSS

#### Sunday 26th May

- 11.00am:** • (First Anniversary) Rita McCann and remembering her husband Tommy  
• Benny McManus, Trasna Way  
• Tony Jackman  
• Sarah and Robert Neill, Sheebeg, Lisnaskea.

#### Monday 27th May

**NO LAY LED LITURGY TODAY—BANK HOLIDAY**

**Tuesday 28th May - Novena Mass to St. Peregrine for all the sick.**

- 7.00pm:** • Dympna Ingram and deceased family members  
• Mairead Spratt, late of Castlebalfour Road.

#### Wednesday 29th May

- 10.00am:** • Private Intention.

#### Thursday 30th May

- 10.00am:** • Terence & Mary Ryan and their daughters Rita & Bernadette, Macknagh  
• The O'Rourke family, Farnasculloge.

#### Sunday 2nd June

- 11.00am:** • (Month's Mind) Laurence McManus, Newtownbutler  
• The Reihill family, Barnhill.

### ST. MARY'S

#### Saturday 25th May

- 6.00pm:** • (First Anniversary) Helen Hannigan and John Hannigan, Kinmore, Lisnaskea  
• Matthew and Mary-Anne Monaghan & deceased of the Monaghan family, Drumgoon  
• Rita and Eddie Traynor.

#### Friday 31st May

**5.30pm - 6.55pm: Eucharistic Adoration** 7.00pm: Lay Led Liturgy.

#### Saturday 1st June

- 6.00pm:** • Rose & Eddie Bannon and deceased Bannon family, James Reihill & dec. family; Charlie & May Reilly & dec. family  
• Patrick Maguire & dec. family members, Congo; James Haughey & dec. family  
• Paddy & Eileen Murphy, Main Street, Maguiesbridge.

We welcome Fr. Tommy Flaherty to our Parish this weekend as he speaks to us about his work in Africa as an SMA Father.

**Student Mass:** We will pray for all our students next weekend at our Saturday 6pm Vigil Mass and 11am Sunday Mass. A candle will be made available for all students to light during this examination time.

**Clogher Diocesan Priest's Retreat:** Sunday 26th May–Thursday 30th May. Please pray for your Priests.

**Lough Derg One Day Retreat in May:** guided day of prayer and reflection will continue on Mon 27th. More details can be found at [www.loughderg.ie](http://www.loughderg.ie). €45 per person, booking essential. The Lough Derg traditional **Three-Day Pilgrimage** begins on

**St Joseph's Young Priests Society Pilgrimage to Knock** is on 22nd June. To book a seat on the bus please contact Betty on 07870735723 or 02866387643. Our Promoters are currently visiting homes for the Annual Subscription. Thank you all for your generosity and Prayers for Vocations.

**All Ireland Rosary Rally in Knock - Saturday, June 1st** begins at 9.30am with a Conference in St. John's Centre. Stations of the Cross will be outside from 2pm, followed by the Rosary procession. Mass will commence at 3pm in the Basilica and will include the anointing of the sick. Main Celebrant: Bishop Phonsie Cullinan. [www.allirelandrosaryrally.com](http://www.allirelandrosaryrally.com)

**Family Fun Day - Sunday 9th June** after the 11am Mass. A special welcome to all the children who were Confirmed and made their First Holy Communion this year.

**Information and Support for Birth Mothers** - whose babies were placed for adoption may be found at [www.birthinfo.ie](http://www.birthinfo.ie) or by calling the relevant section of TUSLA at +353 818 445 500.

**Thought For The Week :** Sometimes people come into your life and you know right away that they were meant to be there, they serve some sort of purpose, teach you a lesson or help figure out who you are or who you want to become. Sometimes things happen to you and at the time they may seem horrible, painful and unfair, but in reflection you realize that without overcoming those obstacles you would have never realized your potential strength. Everything happens for a reason. Nothing happens by chance or by means of good or bad luck. Illness, injury, love, lost moments of true greatness and sheer stupidity all occur to test the limits of your soul. Without these small tests, life would be like a smoothly paved, straight, flat road to nowhere. It would be safe and comfortable but dull and utterly pointless. If someone hurts you, betrays you or breaks your heart, forgive them, for they have helped you learn about trust and the importance of being cautious to whom you open your heart to. If someone loves you, love them back unconditionally, not only because they love you, but because they are teaching you to love and opening your heart and eyes to things you would have never seen or felt without them. Make every day count. Appreciate every moment and take from it everything that you possibly can, for you may never be able to experience it again. Hold your head up because you have every right to. Tell yourself you are a great individual and believe in yourself, for if you don't believe in yourself, no one else will believe in you either. You can make of your life anything you wish. Create your own life and then go out and live it.

**Parish Pilgrimage to Lough Derg:** Friday 19<sup>th</sup> July–Sunday 21<sup>st</sup> July. This is the three-day pilgrimage. Bus fare **only:** £20, leaving the Parish Centre at 10am. Booking through the Parish Office.

**Parish Pilgrimage to Knock:** Wednesday 7<sup>th</sup> August. Non-refundable bus fare £20. Bus leaving the Parish Centre at 7.45am. Booking through the Parish Office.

**New Life Choir** - 20 children from Uganda will share their stories through song and dance in Archdale Centre, Lisnaskea, Wed. 5th June 7pm. Donations on the night to 'ABAANA'.

**Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes 5-10 July** Led by Bishop Larry Duffy. Contact **John Heuston**, Gave, Macknagh, Crom Road, Lisnaskea, Co Fermanagh. *If you wish to travel in the Assisted Pilgrim section of the Diocesan Pilgrimage, special application forms are available from the Pilgrimage Secretary. For further information visit [www.lourdes2clogher.com](http://www.lourdes2clogher.com)* 00442867724329 email: [john.cdp@btconnect.com](mailto:john.cdp@btconnect.com)

**Cemetery Blessings:** St. Mary's, Sat. 27th July after 6pm Mass; Holy Cross, Sun. 28th July after 11am Mass.

**Parish Contributions - 19th May**  
First Sunday: £256      Offertory: £1710.94 & €40  
Many thanks for your continuous generosity.

**Coffee Morning in aid of Cancer Connect NI:** Franco's Garden Room, Queen Elizabeth Rd., Enniskillen, Saturday 1st June, 10am-1pm. Everyone Welcome.

**Be Alert:** There continues to be fraudulent scams and alerts via phone calls, emails etc. Please continue to be aware & cautious of any unexpected activity or communication to you & your vulnerable family members.

You are asked to pray for Sr. Teresa McCusker, Dublin & Newtownbutler & Lizzie Herbert, Donagh.  
May Sr. Teresa & Lizzie now Rest in Peace.

**This week's bulletin has been sponsored anonymously.**