

Parish of Galloon



Sunday 28th July 2019 *17th Sunday in Ordinary Time*

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BAPTISMS: Celebrated **1st Saturday** in Newtownbutler at 2pm and **3rd Saturday** in Donagh at 2pm

CONFESSIONS in Newtownbutler every Saturday between 12 – 12.30pm. **Donagh:** before First Friday's 7pm Mass

Divine Mercy Holy Hour every Thursday in Adoration Chapel from 8 - 9pm

Eucharistic Adoration: Newtownbutler: on Thursday from 1 - 9pm & on Sunday from 7 - 9pm.

Donagh: Adoration on Monday, Wednesday & Thursday 7.30 - 9.30 pm; Tuesday 10am - 9.30pm

FR KING: Because of Fr King's unfortunate accident all morning and evening Masses will be cancelled for the foreseeable future.

VISITING OF THE SICK AND HOUSEBOUND: regrettably this too, will have to be cancelled this month. Could you let any of your neighbours who are house-bound know of this?

SUNDAY MASSES: As regards Sunday/Saturday Masses, we will strive to have these covered to the very best of our ability

BLESSING OF GRAVES IN DONAGH: Will be covered by a Priest from a neighbouring parish

EMERGENCY CALLS: Please direct any urgent/emergency calls to Canon Jimmy at 028 677 21243

Week-day Morning Mass in neighbouring Parishes:

Holy Cross, Lisnaskea: Monday 10am. Tuesday 7pm. Wednesday, Thursday and Friday 10am

Sacred Heart, Clones: Monday – Saturday 10am. (In the case of a funeral Mass will be at 11am)

Month of August: Collectors -

11.30am Mass: Gerard Nicholl, Sean McDermott, Seamus McLoughlin, and Kevin Kellet

Ladies to help clean the Church: Majella McDonald and Patricia McCusker.

CHURCH OF THE IMMACULATE CONCEPTION, NEWTOWNBUTLER

Sunday: (28th July) Morning Mass at 11am **Sunday 4th August:** Morning Mass at 11.30am

ALTAR SERVERS 28/7: Ben Reilly, Saoirse Reilly, Conor Reilly, Ava Swift, Aidan McCaffrey **4/8:** Aisleann Holland, Katie Caughey, Johnny McCaffrey, Oisin Carson, Rory Melarkey, Tierna McCartney

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS

Sun 28/7 Hannah McCusker, Catherine Cadden

Sun 4/8 Majella McDonald, Siofra Kavanagh

ANNIVERSARY MASSES

Sun 28/7 The Parish of Galloon – especially those sick, house-bound or recovering from illness

Sun 4/8 Patrick, Katie, Agnes and Bridie Curry, Mockbeggar and deceased family

Benny McDermott, Camphill Park

Michael McDaid, Culliondoo and Joe and Rose McDaid

Catherine, Frank and Agnes Jones, Camphill Park

ST PATRICK'S DONAGH

Sunday Mass (28th July) at 9.30am.

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS

Sun 28/7 Jimmy Mohan, Catriona McGovern

Saturday 3/8 Bronagh Logan, Brendan Mulligan

ANNIVERSARY MASSES

Sun 28/7 The McDermott family, Drumhose

Joe Maguire and deceased family members, Crocknagone and Donagh

Sat 3/8 **6.30pm:** Maura Gleeson, Kilturk

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Eddie and Mary McGeary
Terry McGorman, Donagh
Jimmy Carey and deceased family members, Lettergreen

Contributions to the parish for Sunday 21 st July	£1108.57	€177.15	Many thanks for your generosity
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CHANGE TO MASS TIMES AS OF 1ST WEEK-END IN AUGUST 2019

Saturday Vigil Mass in St Patrick's, Donagh at 6.30pm

No Sunday Mass in St Patrick's Donagh

Please note Anniversary Masses booked for Sundays from August onwards will be moved to the Saturday vigil Mass. If this does not suit please contact the Parish Office.

St Mary's Newtownbutler: Sunday Mass will change from 11am back to the **old time of 11.30am** from

PARISH GRAVEYARDS: all grave plots in both Donagh and Newtownbutler cemeteries can only be assigned at date of death and in the next available plot in the graveyard - single and double berth plots only. This is to take immediate effect, as directed by the Parish Finance Committee. *Any queries to be directed to the Committee Chairman; Canon Jimmy McPhilips 028677 21342. Thank you for your co-operation*

BLESSING OF GRAVES IN DONAGH 2019

Donagh Old Cemetery: Friday 2nd august (after 7pm mass)

Donagh New Cemetery: Thursday 15th august (after 7pm mass) Please ensure your family grave is tidied.



PARISH WALK 2019

As part of Parish Fundraising a **FUNDRAISING 10K WALK HAS BEEN ORGANISED FOR SUNDAY AUGUST 18TH** starting at St Patrick's Church Donagh at 2.30pm and walking to Galloon jetty. Sponsor cards are available in the two church vestries and from the Parish office. All funds raised will go to elevate the painting of St. Patricks Church Donagh and work on walk-ways at St. Mary's graveyard in Newtownbutler.

CEMETERY SKIPS: The skips in our two cemeteries are hired and paid for out of Parish funds. They are placed there for people to dispose of flowers, wreaths and grass cuttings, sods of earth etc from family graves. Please put all of the above in the skip rather than on pathways. Please don't abuse parish skips by disposing of house-hold rubbish in them as has happened recently.

SAVE OUR STROKE UNIT SWAH:

We are at risk of losing our Stroke unit in South West Acute Hospital, Enniskillen. Come along and sign a petition sheet on Wednesday 31st July between in St Pat's Clubhouse Donagh on Wednesday 31st July between 6pm – 9pm.

OUR POLLINATORS & WHY WE NEED THEM

In Ireland some plants are pollinated by the wind –but most are pollinated by insects -mostly bees. There is one type of managed bumble bee and 98 different wild bees. To protect pollination we need healthy honeybees but also an abundance and diversity of wild bees and other insects like flies, moths and butterflies. It is important we protect pollinators from chemicals that harm them. Insecticides harm them directly but equally harmful are the use of herbicides which kill the wild flowers that pollinators need to survive. One third of the 99 bee species are threatened with extinction on the island of Ireland. If we want them to be there to pollinate crops and wild plants for future generations we need to manage the landscape in a more pollinator -friendly way. Everyone from farmers, to councils, local parishes, business, schools garden and transport authorities have a part to play.

FIVE Ways to make the gardens and fields pollinator friendly

1. Maintain native flowering hedgerows –Whitethorn, Wild Rose, and Honeysuckle
2. Plant pollinator-friendly trees –Willow, Blackthorn, Rowan, Crab apple, Wild cherry
3. Cut the grass less often –to allow common wild-flowers like dandelions, clovers, Knapweed to grow in the long grass.
4. ELIMINATE HERBICIDE –many weeds like Knapweed are important sources of food for pollinators
5. Provide nesting places for wild bees- leave wild grass at hedges uncut from March until October

“Cutting, mowing and spraying so that the countryside looks tidy-to us -means that we are squeezing nature out and risk losing its important free services like pollination.” *Pollinator – Friendly management of Church lands, schools, graveyards etc.(As advocated by the All-Ireland Pollinator plan 2015-2020)*

ONE TO WATCH:

EWTN, Sunday 28th July at 8am:

THE SHED THAT FED A MILLION CHILDREN.

Magnus MacFarlane-Barrow interviews Mary Anne MacFarlane on the creation of Mary's Meals, an initiative that feeds a million children each year

The Common-sense Beatitudes

Blessed are those who can laugh at themselves: they will always have entertainment.

Blessed are those who can distinguish between a mountain and a mole hill; they will save themselves a lot of trouble.

Blessed are those who know how to be silent and listen; they will learn new things.