

St Erganat's GAC: The recent Christmas Fayre raised just over £5000. This was organised by the mothers and others in memory of a great club member, mother, wife and friend Bridie Scullin. The proceeds were divided between Marie Curie Cancer Care and Malawi Aid. We would like to thank everyone who bought tickets for raffle and contributed in any way to make the event such a success.

Bellaghy GAC:

Maintenance Volunteers: We're requesting volunteers with some spare time through the week to help complete skilled & unskilled tasks re: maintenance of our facilities. Anyone who would be interested please contact club chairman Kevin Doherty jnr.

St. John Bosco Dancing Class

6.45-7.30 for groups 1 and 2 & 7.30-8.15 for groups 3 and 4.

Alcoholics Anonymous: Can't stop? There *is* a solution. Tel AA on 028 90 351 222 or email csoofaa@btinternet.com. Website: www.alcoholicsanonymous.ie.

Action Cancer Big Bus: will be in St Mary's Car Park on 10th Jan 2020. Appts now available online or by ringing 02890803344 and selecting option 6.

In memory of Margaret Diamond therefore if everyone would quote this reference when booking OMY-5347

St Malachy's GAC Castledawson Lotto - 1, 6, 7 & 17. No winner of the Jackpot - £25 to Odhran Mullan and George Hickson with the annual draw of Christmas treats in addition. **Jackpot next week £1000.** Club contact Lotto Brendan Kennan (M: 07810871370) To all club members *'Wishing you happiness for Christmas and the New Year' - Beannachtai na Nollag agus Athbhliain faoi mhaise.*



ANNIVERSARIES :

Sat/Sun 21st/22nd: Mary Convery, Maeve Scullion.

Mon 23rd: Seamus Gribbin & Bidy Joyce.

Tues 24th: Charles John Agnew, Mary Ann O'Neill, Frank McCann, Josephine McKeever.

Wed 25th: Annie Lynn, Barney Lynn, Kevin McErlean.

Thurs 26th: Francis Roc Brennan.

Fri 27th: James Diamond.

Sat/Sun 28th/29th: Mary Diamond, Catherine Scullion.

Mon 30th: Kathleen Loughlin.

Tues 31st: Alice Doherty.

Thurs 2nd: Patsy Brennan, Mary Ann O'Neill.

Fri 3rd: Michael Tohill.

May they rest in peace.

Christmas Mass Times:

St Joseph's Ballyscullion.

Christmas Eve @ 7pm

Christmas Day @ 9am

St Mary's Bellaghy.

Christmas Eve @ 9pm

Christmas Day @ 11am

There will be no Mass on Thurs 26th Dec.

Tues 31st Dec: Mass in St Mary's at 10.30pm. This will be the Parish Vigil

Mass for the New Year.

Fri 3rd is First Friday: Mass at 9.30am.

Exposition of Blessed Sacrament all day for usual intentions.

**22nd December 2019.
Fourth Sunday Of Advent.
St Mary's Bellaghy/St Joseph's**

MASS INTENTIONS

St Mary's

Sat 21st Vigil: Barney Lynn (4th Anniversary)

Sun 22nd 10.30am: Maeve Scullion (21st Anniversary)

Mon 23rd 7.30pm: Seamus Gribbin & Bidy Joyce (Anniversary)

Tues 24th 9.00pm: Christmas Vigil

Wed 25th 11am: Christmas Day

Thurs 26th: No Mass

Fri 27th 12.30pm: Wedding Mass

Sat 28th Vigil: Catherine Scullion (1st Anniversary)

Sun 29th 10.30am: Mary Diamond (3rd Anniversary)

Mon 30th 12.30pm: Wedding Mass

Mon 30th 7.30pm: Kathleen Loughlin (3rd Anniversary)

Tues 31st 10.30pm: Vigil for New Year

Wed 1st Jan: No Mass

Thurs 2nd Jan: No Mass

Fri 3rd Jan 9.30am: First Friday

Sat 4th Jan Vigil: Mary Ann O'Neill (2nd Anniversary)

Sun 5th Jan 10.30am:

Mon 6th Jan 7.30pm: Feast of the Epiphany also deceased members of the Derry Diocesan Society.

St Joseph's

Sun 22nd 9am: Sheila Scullion (Anniversary Mass)

Sun 29th 9am:

Sun 5th 9am:

Mon 6th 7pm: Feast of the Epiphany

Parish Statistics for year up to 17.12.19.

Baptisms 54 (24 boys & 30 girls)

Deaths 28

Marriages 16



Pre-Baptism Reflection for Parents:

Will be on Tues 28th January 2020 at 7.30pm in the Prayer Room.

Anyone who is wishing to have a child baptised in the near future are expected to attend.

Please contact the Parish Office to book a place.

PAROCHIAL HALL (PARISH COMMUNITY CENTRE)

Mon: Bingo at 8.30pm

Page 1 to 4— Lines £20 Houses £30

Page 5— Line £20 House £50

Page 7-9 - Lines £20 Houses £30

Page 10 Line £30 House £150

Book cost £7.00

Wed night : Whist

***A Happy Christmas and a Peaceful New Year
to all our parishioners.***

IMPORTANT DATES

Sun 26th Jan: Meeting for couples getting married 2pm.

Night of Hope: 2nd Feb at 7pm.

Confirmation : Tues 31 March 2020 @ 5.00pm.

First Holy Communion : Saturday 16 May 2020.

Parish Mission : Sun 8– Weds 11 March (inclusive)

SCHEDULES.

Mass Times

ST MARY'S

Sundays

Vigil (Sat) 6.30pm

Sun 10.30am

Weekdays

Mon 7.30pm

Tues, Thurs &

Fri 9.30am

Confessions

Sat 6pm-6.20pm

1st Thurs 7pm—

7.20pm.

ST JOSEPH'S

Sun: 9.00am

Telephone No's

Msgnr. Dolan

02879 386259

Parish Mobile

(Emergency only)

07935296843

Fr. Graham

02879 642458

Fr. Harkin

02825 821190

Parish Office:

02879 386259

SVP Society:

Bellaghy

07508549588

Lifeline

0808 808 8000

Samaritans 08457

909090 or

02871265511

Parish Office

Opening Hours:

Mon: 9am—1pm

and 6pm—8pm

Tues/Wed/Thurs:

9am—3pm

Fri: 9am—12noon

ALTAR SERVERS

Weekdays 23rd—27th Dec: Ciara Donnelly

Christmas Eve Vigil: Shea Lee

Christmas Day 11am: Niamh Diamond

Sat 28th Dec Vigil: Ciara Donnelly

Sun 29th Dec 10.30am: Shea Lee

ST MARY'S

Eucharistic Ministers for Christmas Masses:

Christmas Eve at 9pm:

G Toner, T McGoldrick, C Gallagher, S McCann, P Diamond.

Christmas Day at 11am:

P Diamond, M Lennon, R Donnelly, P Brennan, K O'Neill.

E/Ministers 28th & 29th December

Vigil: B Quigley, M Diamond, A Scullion, M Larkin,

P McGoldrick, K McLaughlin.

10.30am: R O'Sullivan, L Boyle, J McGinn, T O'Kane,

J Brennan

Weekdays from 22nd Dec:

Morning Mass: E Davidson

Evening Mass: G Diamond

E/Ministers 4th & 5th January

Vigil: C O'Neill, J O'Hagan, V Scullion, L Diamond, C Kerr .

10.30am: B Scullion, K Doherty, R Craig, M Scullion.

Weekdays from 29th December:

Morning Mass: B Campbell

Evening Mass: M Diamond

New schedules for Eucharistic Ministers are available online and also from the sacristy.

The Offertory Collection last Sunday was £1,900.00



Thank you!

The Priest's Christmas Collection will be taken up at all the Christmas Masses, please use the white envelope provided.

St Mary's/St Joseph's Benevolent Fund will be taken up at all Masses on the 6th January please use the envelope provided.

St Joseph's

Eucharistic Ministers for Christmas Masses:

Christmas Eve at 7pm:

H Duffin, G Trainor, K McErlain

Christmas Day at 9am:

N Heaney, B Mullen, C Quinn

Eucharistic Ministers Weekend of 29th December.

Niall Heaney & Brenda Mullen

Eucharistic Ministers Weekend of 5th January.

Dolores McErlean & Barbara Carey



St Joseph's Ballyscullion Choir Practice:

Mon 23rd Dec at 7pm.

This is preparation for Christmas Eve. New members welcome.

JANUARY SCHEDULES—(St Joseph's)

Reader: Eimear Duffin

Collectors: Colm Scullin

Altar Society: Monica McLaughlin & Mary Sheridan

JANUARY SCHEDULES (St Mary's)

Readers Vigil: Donna Doherty

10.30am: Sarah Mullan

Daily Readers Mon: Noel O'Sullivan Tues: Madeline Scullion

Thurs: Anne Scott Fri: Tom Scullion

Church Cleaners Anne Scott, Patricia Kelly, Dolores Mulholland.

Altar Society: Mairead Diamond

Car Park Attendants: Tommy Doherty & Leo Neeson

Collectors/Doors

Vigil: Paddy Downey & Hugh Griffin .

10.30am: Sean Rea, Patrick Griffin, Michael Keenan.

Children's Liturgy Teams—January.

Vigil: Team C....Patricia Convery

10.30am: Team D....Adele Larkin



We welcome into God's Family through Baptism:

Ayda Elizabeth Scullion, Bawnview.

Córa Maria Duffin, Loughbeg Road.

Aaron Jude Donnelly, Ballynease Road.

Kieran Gerard McAteer, Broagh Village.

