

The Sunday Newsletter

ST NINNIDH'S CHURCH DERRYLIN

3rd March 2019 Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time

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Mass Intentions

Sat 02 Mar: 8pm: Owen Murphy and deceased members of The Murphy Family
(Aughakillymaude)

Sun 03 Mar: Special Intention

Mon 04 Mar: 10am: Special Intention

Tues 05 Mar: 10am: Special Intention

Wed 06 Mar 10.00am: Ash Wednesday: Blessing and distribution of ashes Special Intention

Thur 07 Mar: 10am: John, Lena & Thomas Cathcart (Cornanoe)

Fri 08 Mar 10am: No Mass

Sat 09 Mar: 8pm: Carmel Flanagan (Knockninny) and Celia Maguire & Family
(Inishliroo Island) & Tony McCann (Bawnboy)

Sun 10 Mar: T.P. McCarron (Toneywall)

Ash Wednesday: Distribution of ashes: Brenda O'Rourke & Anna Donnelly

Ash Wednesday Eucharistic Ministers: Martin McBrien & Marie McBarron.

Saturday 2nd March 8.00pm: Readings Murphy Family

Prayers of The faithful: Chloe Gartland **Gifts:** Chloe Reilly and Family

Eucharistic Ministers: Florence McCaffrey, Michelle Maguire, Colette Cassidy

Sunday 3rd March 11.15am: Readings: Karen Gunn

Prayers of the Faithful Ciaran Shannon **Gifts:** Sarah Shannon and Family

Eucharistic Ministers: Sinead Lunney, Ryan McCaffrey, Mary Mooney.

Saturday 9th March 8.00pm: Readings: Rachael Maguire

Prayers of The faithful: Kornelia Turczyn **Gifts:** Szczepan Turczyn and Family

Eucharistic Ministers: Ciara McCaffrey, Raymond McDermott, Ryan McCaffrey

Sunday 10th March 11.15am: Readings: McCarron Family

Prayers of the Faithful Keira Conlin **Gifts:** Dominika Wegrzynowska and Family

Eucharistic Ministers: Martin McBrien, Martyna Grabowska, Diarmuid Scallon.

Eucharistic Adoration Wednesday 10am to 12.00noon

Collectors for March: Saturday 8.00pm: Brain Cassidy, Jimmy Shannon, Kieran Fitzpatrick,
Brian Gunn, Colin McBrien, Brian Maguire.

Sunday 11.15am: Martin Doherty, Tommy Gunn, Anthony McBrien, Thomas Maguire, Paul Maguire, Oliver McAllister. **Altar Society:** Mary Cassidy and Aisling Cassidy.

Carpark Saturday 2nd March: Shane Teague/Paul Cogan. Sunday 3rd Alfie Maguire/Damian McCaffrey Saturday 9th Paul McManus/T P Owens Sunday 10th Seamus Leavey/Paddy Shannon

Hi Vis jackets in Church store..

BAPTISM PROGRAMME: Parents should contact their priest for a pack. Next programme Wednesday 6th March 2019 St Mary's Church Swanlinbar at 8pm

Society of St Vincent de Paul St Ninnidh's Conference can be contacted for support at any time on 07873240493. The next collection for the Society will take place this weekend - the 2nd & 3rd March. A meeting of St Ninnidh's Conference will take place on Monday 4th March in St Ninnidh's Hall, Derrylin at 8pm.

Parish Choirs: Due to unforeseen circumstances Mr Paul Flynn has had to reschedule his meeting with the parish choirs. The choir gathering will now be held on **Wednesday 13 March at 8pm in St Mary's Teemore**. Apologies for inconvenience.

ST MARY'S CHURCH TEEMORE

Fr Ultan McGoohan Priest in Residence Teemore

Mass Intentions

Sun 03 Mar: 9.45 am: John, Maggie & Jack McCaffrey (Gortahurk)

Wed 06 Mar 7pm: Ash Wednesday blessing and distribute of Ashes. Special Intention.

Fri 08 Mar: 7pm: Special Intention

Sun 10 Mar: 9.45 am: James & Mary Curry and deceased members of The Curry Family (Derrin Rd & Garvary)

SUNDAY 3RD MARCH: Readings: McCaffrey Family. Prayers Of The Faithful: Aoife Lee & Family Member. Gifts: Conor Brady & Family Member. Personal Prayer: Megan Curry.

Eucharistic Ministers: Killian Barrett / Cara Wardman. Martina Curry, Sara Prunty / Mary McCaffrey.

SUNDAY 10TH MARCH First Reading & Psalm: Orlagh McBrien. Second Reading & Gospel Acclamation: Michelle Gilroy. Prayers Of The Faithful: Lorcan Fitzpatrick. Gifts: Oisín Breen & Family Member. Personal Prayer: Caitlin Watterson.

Eucharistic Ministers: James McBarron, Sara Prunty, Martina Curry / Paddy McAvinue.

Eucharistic Adoration: on Wednesdays from 7pm-8pm.

Collectors for March: Declan McGrath and Raymond McManus.

Altar Society: Rosemary Clarkson and Nuala Drumm.

Carpark Supervisors Sunday 3rd March Michael Mc Barron (Jun) & Sean Mc Govern. Sunday 10th Tommy Mc Govern & John Doherty. Sunday 17th Gene Mc Manus & Gerry Mc Manus (Big Bird). Hi Vis waistcoats in Church porch

The sacrament of Confirmation for St Mary's and St Ninnidh's children will be administered this year in St Mary's Church Teemore on Friday 17 May at the earlier than usual time of **4pm**. The earlier start will facilitate families in celebrating afterwards. Due to the retirement of Bishop Leo, the sacrament will be administered by the Very Rev. Sean Mawn, V.F., Parish priest of Ballinamore.

First Confessions will be heard in St Mary's Church Teemore on Friday 8 March at 11.15am. Family members are welcome to come along to support the children.

Ash Wednesday marks the start of Lent and it is a day of fast and abstinence

Blessings of Graves 2019: The Parish Pastoral Council has decided on the dates for the Blessings of Graves in our local cemeteries. The Blessing of Graves for Derrylin Cemeteries will take place after the 11.15 Mass on Sunday, 2nd June. The Blessing of Graves in Teemore Cemetery will take place after the 9.45 Mass on Sunday, 23rd June. Because of health and safety issues, Callow Hill Cemetery has been closed by the District Council. If the cemetery is reopened, the Blessing of Graves there is scheduled to take place after the 11.15 Derrylin Mass on Sunday, 30th June.

Derrylin Dramatic Society presents an amateur production of The Maiden Aunt by Jimmy Keary, a 3 act comedy with two micro performances featuring some new local talent to our group. 10th, 23rd and 24th March. Doors open 7pm, curtain up 7.30pm. St Ninnidh's Parish Hall. Refreshments served after. £10 adult £5 child. Save the date and spread the word.

Clachan Court Coffee morning on Tuesday. Why not come in and join us in our Armchair Exercise's. Just two weeks left & this Tuesday is Pancake Tuesday.

Chiropodist Jayne Orr returns Tuesday 5th march. For an appointment in Derrylin call Christina in the Bundoran Clinic on 00353719833835

Mother & Toddler Tiny Tots continues on Thursday's from 10-11.45

The Knitting Group will not be on this Wednesday night.

Templeport Resource Centre are holding A Pancake Night on Tuesday the 5th March. Pancakes served from 8.30-9.30pm. Music then to 11.30pm by Larry & Co. Admission €10. Proceeds in Aid of The Day Centre.

Aughakillymaude Centre: Usual Music Session Sat. 2nd March at 9.30pm

Historical Society Monthly meeting Tues. 12th March at 8.30 pm sharp. Lecture/ Talk " The storey of St. Ninnidh's journey from Donegal to Knockninny plus the " Mummers Travels " to Bulgaria in the Balkans A good night awaits you Usual refreshments.

Big Bingo continues in St Ninnidhs Parish Centre Friday nights at 9pm sharp great money paid out on all 13 games especially game 10 full panel £1000 and £3550 on the jackpot game on 45 calls

St Aidan's Crochet class in St Aidan's Thursday night 7-9pm £3.50 per night beginners welcome

St Aidan's PTFA meeting Tuesday 26th February 8pm in St Aidan's. All parents teachers and members of the community welcome

Derrylin O'Connells GFC Lotto on 22nd Feb. The numbers drawn were 8,12,21,26. There was no jackpot winner. Consolation prize of £20 to James Owens, Silverstream and £10 to Matt Cassidy, Milltown; Kevin McCusker, Derrybrick and Mary Cox, Derrygonnelly. The Jackpot is now **£5800**. Play locally or online at **Klubfunder.com**. The March team is Peadar Mc Govern, Kevin Lunney, Mary Winterson, Mercedes Rasdale.

Coffee & Registration Day – St.Ninnidh's Hall this Sunday. We will be holding an club event to allow Registration of players; Payment of Club Membership (Adult £20, Household £30); Order Club Gear; Activities for our Youth; Music & Refreshments provided – Everyone Welcome.

P1-P4 Camp - All P1-4 boys and girls are invited to attend Derrylin O'Connells GAA Football training in the hall in St. Aidan's Secondary School starting Friday 8th March 2018 @ 6.15 – 7.15pm. Children to wear tracksuit/leggings and bring a bottle of water.

Teemore Shamrocks GFC Lotto: Results from 25/02/2019 - 3, 9, 28, 29. No Jackpot winner. £20 - John Gunn. £10 - Ann McGoldrick. £10 - Shelia Boyle. Next week's jackpot = £4900. Play locally or online on www.clublottery.com/Club/Details/16.

2019 Club Membership: Membership is now due for the 2019 season. The options include - Single Membership - £20. Family Membership - £40. Adult Player Membership - £50. Student Player Membership - £35. Family with Adult Player Membership - £70. Membership can be paid through Martin McManus or via - www.klubfunder.com. Club membership is a vital source of funding. It helps cover the cost of player insurance, physio, equipment and the daily running of our club.

Youth Presentation Night: Our Youth Presentation night will take place on Sunday 10th March at 6pm in Blake's, Derrylin. All underage players and their families are encouraged to attend to celebrate our teams achievements and welcome our special 'All Star' guest! There will be a finger buffet, raffle prizes and all children will receive their own O'Neill's Football! Voluntary donations at the door.

Teemore Shamrocks Academy: This will continue this Saturday 9th March in Kinawley Community Centre from 11am - 12pm. The academy will run for 6 consecutive Saturdays, finishing on Saturday 16th March. The cost of running this will be £1.00 per child to cover the use of the facilities.

MacRory Cup: Congratulations to Seán McNally, Nathan McAdam and St. Michael's College, Enniskillen who are through to the MacRory Cup Final on Monday 18th March after defeating St. Patrick's College, Maghera in last Saturday's semi final on a score line of 0-13 to 2-06.

Lent begins on Wednesday 6th March: Eucharistic Adoration in the Cluster Churches:

Earlier this year a number of parishioners put down various times that they would like for Eucharistic Adoration. The following shows when Churches have organised times:

St Ninnidh's Derrylin – Wednesday 10.00am to 12 noon
St Mary's Teemore – Wednesday 7.00pm to 8.00pm.
St Naile's Kinawley – Tuesday 10.00am to 12noon & 6.00pm to 10.00pm.
St Patrick's Killesher – Wednesday 10.00am to 12.00noon.
St Mary's Swanlinbar - Tuesday 5.00pm to 9.00pm.

KNOCKNINNY SUNDAY NEWSLETTER

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Eighth Sunday in Ordinary

Day of Prayer for Temperance

Do something special this Lent! Many people choose to abstain from alcohol during Lent. Take this opportunity to help someone you love with an alcohol or drug problem by offering up your sacrifice as a prayer for their freedom and well-being. Take the short term pledge and make a difference.

'I promise, in honour of the Sacred Heart of Jesus, and with the help of the Blessed Virgin Mary, to abstain from alcoholic drink until Easter.'

Ash Wednesday 6th March

Ashes are a grim reminder that the things of this world do not last forever 'dust thou art and unto dust thou shalt return' Being marked with ashes is a public sign that one is taking on some act of penance during Lent. To repent means literally to think again. It entails taking an honest look at oneself with a decision to improve. Jesus prepared for his public mission in forty days of prayer and fasting

What to give up for Lent - Some more ideas

1. **Facebook** (*it's a huge time-suck!*)
2. Worry
3. Television (*spend the time reading your Bible instead*)
4. Starbucks (*donate the money instead*)
5. Make-up
6. Gossiping
7. **Complaining**
8. Going Out to Eat
9. Clothes You Don't Wear Often (*donate them*)
10. Weighing Yourself (*Examine your spiritual state instead*)
11. Listening to questionable music
12. Yelling
13. Comparing Yourself to Others
14. Inappropriate Jokes
15. Nagging
16. Instagram

