

TWENTY-FIRST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

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St Paul's Missal Readings p339

Roman Missal Readings p381

First Reading: **Joshua** **24: 1-2. 15-18**

We will serve the Lord, for he is our God.

Second Reading: **St Paul to the Ephesians** **5: 25-32**

This mystery has many implications for Christ and his Church

Gospel: **John** **6: 60-69**

Whom shall we go to? You have the message of eternal life.

MASSES FOR THE COMING WEEK

Sat 22nd August (Vigil 6.00pm) (Months Mind) Patsy McCaffrey, Riverside

Sun 23rd August (Lisbellaw) Maureen & Anthony Curran, Aisling Crescent, Enniskillen

(Next Sunday: (Months Mind) Mary McManus, Derrin Road, Enniskillen)

(Second Reader: Sinead Cleary; Prayer of the Faithful: Dara McGandy)

Mon 24th August

10.00am

St. Bartholomew, Apostle

Kathleen Jones, Braeside Park and Deceased members of the Jones family, Cornagrade

6.00pm Convent

Brendan, Chrissie and Maria Cassidy, Galliagh Park and James & Kathleen Houston, Drumgay Close

Tue 25th August

10.00am

21st Week in Ordinary Time

Barney McKeown, Cherrymount

Wed 26th August

10.00am

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Patrick & Josie and Maria Shannon, Hillview Park

Thur 27th August

10.00am

St. Monica

Llana Bridger, Darling Street

Fri 28th August

10.00am

St. Augustine, Bishop and Doctor of the Church

Hugh & Margaret McGinty and Drumm family and Margaret Carson and Hugh McGinty, Queen Street and McGinty family, Enniskillen and England

7.30pm (First Anniversary)

Ellen Sheridan Old Rossorry; Thomas Sheridan, Old Rossorry and Tommy Sheridan, Castlecoole Road

Sat 29th August

The Passion of St. John the Baptist

Denis & Margaret McTeggart and Aiden McTeggart, Drumcor Hill;

John and Brigid Corrigan, Yoan Road.

Reflection:- “The very ‘authenticity of our Eucharistic celebrations’ depends not on beautiful liturgy, uplifting music and singing, but on the Eucharistic community’s concern for those who are poor and marginalised in our society. We see this true love manifest in our communities whenever tragedies like earthquakes and tsunami strike. Catholic organisations respond with great generosity. Our Catholic communities, comprising of all shades of political opinions, would agree with Pope Francis when he writes, ‘The Church cannot and must not remain on the sidelines in the fight for justice.’”...As we prepare ourselves to celebrate Mass we are called to honestly face how we are behaving towards everyone, especially towards those most in need.” (Fr Jim McManus, native of Kinawley from his new book, ‘Going to Mass’)

Deaths: We pray for the recently deceased: Robert (Robbie) Regan, Floraville; Toby McCaffrey, London and Derrylin; Patrick (Packy) Scallon, Irvinestown.

May they rest in peace

Weekly Offering:

16.08.15

£2755.84

Altar Servers **22nd/23rd August** – Vigil 6.00pm – Team 8; 9.30am – Team 9; 11.00am – Team 1; 12.30pm – Team 2.

Parish Contribution Letters: The parishioner’s contribution letters are ready for distribution. We would really appreciate if the distributors of the Parish Messenger could pick up the letters for their areas in the side Sacristy, or anyone wishing to help deliver these letters, please contact the Parish office. Thank you for your help and co-operation in this matter.

TIME TO REFLECT AND ACT: Are you concerned about Climate Change and the Environment? Why not join a Parish group to study the encyclical Laudato Si? Please contact the Parish office and leave your name and number. It is hoped to hold the first meeting in September with five subsequent meetings to discuss each chapter of the encyclical. Pope Francis has called us to pay heed to the dangers of climate change and the destruction of the earth.

Sponsored Head Shave: Danielle Gallagher (A reader and Eucharistic Minister in St Michael’s parish) is getting her head shaved on Friday **21st August** to raise money for Fermanagh Women’s Aid. (Hair being donated to the Little Princess Trust). Any sponsorship would be gratefully received – See Danielle at Mass or phone 07770975358. Many thanks!

Devenish Partnership Forum Streets Alive Festival - Family Fun Day - Sat 22nd Aug 12-4pm - Donnelly's Field, Cornagrade Rd, Enniskillen (beside Martin Rooney’s Eurospar) Lots of fun activities for all the family with live music and BBQ. Movie in the Park - Sun 23rd Aug 9pm - Outdoor Movie Event - Brewster Park - Tickets available from our office. For more information contact 02866 327808.

Lisbellaw Community Open Air Service Sunday 23rd August at 3.00pm in Lisbellaw Primary School grounds.

St Michael’s Summer Organ Concert Series - 23rd August: Columba McCann; **30th August:** Darren Magee. The recitals take place at 7:30pm and tickets at the door are £8 (£4 concession).

St. Michael’s Bookshop will re-open on Monday 24th August 2015.

Clerical Changes 2015 – Refer to insert.

Aglow International monthly meeting on **Monday 24th August** in Killyhevin Hotel at 8pm. Speaker: Sara Allen

Westend Community are holding a Fun Day on **Saturday 29th August** at **MUGA Pitch** Windmill Road 2-5 pm. Plenty of fun and activities for all the family including face-painting, balloon making, bouncy castle and Disco. Please come along and join in the fun filled event and support this annual community event.

INVITATION: The official launch of the Clogher Diocesan Justice, Peace and Integrity of Creation Group by Bishop Liam MacDaid will take place on 3rd September at 3.00pm in Waterways Ireland, Sligo Road, Enniskillen. The display at the back of the church will remain for the next two weeks. Copies of Pope Francis' letter 'Laudato Si' for sale-£3.00each. Also a limited number of Study Guides to the Encyclical by Fr Eamonn Conway and Cathal Barry for sale @ £10 each. If you are interested in coming to a Study group to read the Encyclical during September/October please contact the Parish Office.

Can't Cook Won't Cook – Fr. Raymond V Dean Hall Fundraiser for St. Macartin's roof and St. Michael's façade on **Friday 11th September 2015** in St. Macartin's Cathedral Hall 7 pm to late. Hosted by Pamper Chef – Shirley Kerr. *A night of amazing fun.* Prizes for raffle to be held on the night would be gratefully appreciated – tickets £5 each available from the Parish Office.

Fr John Skinnader's Missionary Project Boxes Fr John wishes to thank everyone for their generosity in supporting his Missionary Project. He will be in the Parish Centre on **Saturday 12th September after the 6.00pm Mass** to update everyone on the progress in South Sudan and collect all boxes.

Hillview and Kilmacormick2 Community Association are organising a trip to the Famine Village in Donegal on Saturday 12 September 2015. Leaving at 9am and returning at 5pm. For further details contact Siobhan on 07828243144 or Brendan on 07716630746. Alternately you can contact Devenish Partnership Forum on 028 66328866.

PARISH SCHOOLS RE-OPENING

<i>St Fanchea's College:</i>	Tues 1st Sept - Yrs 11, 12, 13, 14 Wed 2nd Sept - Yrs 9 & 10, 11, 12, 13, 14 Thu 3rd Sept - Year 8 and all students
<i>St Joseph's College:</i>	Tues 1st Sept - Yrs 8, 11, 13 Wed 2nd Sept - All students
<i>Mount Lourdes:</i>	Tues 1st Sept - Yrs 8, 11, 13 Wed 2nd Sept - Yrs 9, 10, 12, 14 Thu 3rd Sept - All students
<i>St Michael's College:</i>	Tues 1st Sept - Year 8 & 13 and Yr 14 at designated times Wed 2nd Sept - Yrs 8, 11, and all Yr 14 Thu 3rd Sept - Yr 8-12 incl. & 13M, 13O, 13P only attend Fri 4th Sept - 8-12 & 13R, 13T and all year 14 attend Mon 7th Sept - All year groups attend
<i>Holy Trinity PS:</i>	Tues 1st Sept - P2 – P7 (P1's visiting at 10.30am) Wed 2nd Sept - P1 Thu 3rd Sept - All Students
<i>Tattygar PS</i>	Tues 1st Sept - All Students

St Michael's Parish **Enniskillen & Lisbellaw** **Building Faith, Friendship, Community...**

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The disciples' heart tested by the Word of the Lord.
The challenge: to keep faith in the Father and the Son
or to side with the evil one.

John 6: 60-69

<u>Weekend Mass Times:</u>	St Michael's: Vigil - Saturday 6.00pm Sunday – 8.00am; 9.30am; 11.00am; 12.30pm St Mary's Lisbellaw: Sunday 10.00am
<u>Confessions:</u>	Saturday : 11.30am-1.30pm; 5.00pm-5.45pm

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