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ST MICHAEL'S PARISH

Enniskillen & Lisbellaw

Building Faith, Friendship, Community

Parish Messenger 18th September 2022

TWENTY-FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

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All emergency hospital calls for the Priest on Duty are made by the Staff Nurse on the Ward. If you need to speak to a priest in an emergency, please phone the Switchboard on 028 66382000 and ask for the Priest on Duty.

MASSES FOR THE COMING WEEK

(Available to watch online @ https://mcnmedia.tv/camera/st-michaels-parish-eniskillen)

Table with 2 columns: Date/Time and Details. Includes entries for Sat 17th Sept 6.00pm (Vigil), Sun 18th Sept 8.00am, Sun 18th Sept 10.30am, Sun 18th Sept 12.00 Noon, Sun 18th Sept 9.30am (Lisbellaw), Mon 19th Sept 10.00am, Tue 20th Sept 10.00am, Wed 21st Sept 10.00am, Thur 22nd Sept 10.00am, Fri 23rd Sept 10.00am, Sat 24th Sept 10.00am, and 6.00pm (Vigil).

Confessions

Saturday 11am - 12pm & 5pm - 5.45pm

Daily Devotions over the Parish Webcam

(Note the Exceptions listed below)

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Sunday Collection

Sunday - 11th September - White Envelope - Weekly Offering to the Parish £2704.15

This Sunday - 18th September - White Envelope - Weekly Offering to the Parish

Next Sunday - 25th September - White Envelope - Weekly Offering to the Parish

Deaths: Peter McGuinness, Moneynoe Park ; Lee Whitley, London & Moyletra Gardens; Alice Joseph, Kerala, S India (died in August)

May they Rest in Peace

Service of Prayer & Reflection, Sunday 18th September at 6pm: The Service will begin in St Macartin's Church of Ireland Cathedral, and following in the footsteps of Queen Elizabeth, will conclude in St Michael's Church. All welcome to attend.

Eucharist Adoration - Crypt Chapel: Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament will take place each Tuesday from 10.30am until 9pm at the Crypt Chapel, St Michael's Church. Everyone is encouraged and most welcome to attend.

St Michael's Parish Office & Parish Shop: Will be closed on Monday 19th September. Re-opens on Tuesday 20th September.

This Sunday only 18th September: Divine Mercy Rosary & Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament will be at 3pm rather than 7pm.

Triduum in preparation for the Feast of St Padre Pio will take place at the Franciscan Friary, Rosstown, from Tuesday 20th September until Friday 23rd September. There will be Mass, Homily and a Blessing with his Mitten at 7.30pm each evening. Preacher will be Fr. Pius McLaughlin, OFM, who met Padre Pio. All a very welcome to attend.

Roman Catholic Initiation of Adults (RCIA) Ministry is available in the Parish. If you know of someone wishing to be received into the Church please contact the Parish Office for details - Tel: 02866 322075 (Ext. 3).

If you are interested in speaking about a vocation to serve as a priest or deacon here in the Diocese of Clogher, contact Fr Raymond Donnelly on 028 (048 from ROI) - 66322075; email: raymondtonnelly1@gmail.com or Deacon Martin Donnelly on 028 (048 from ROI) 66322075; email: deacon@st-michaels.net.

St Michael's Parish Shop: Opening Hours: Monday - Saturday from 10.30am - 1.30pm. A new selection of Belleek and Galway crystal, religious goods and giftware. Also in stock, a great variety of Mass and greeting cards, gifts for baptisms, candles, statues and holy pictures as well as bibles, missals and books.

Lough Derg 2022 One Day Retreats - September Dates: 3rd, 7th, 10th, 13th, 17th, 18th, 24th, and 25th. Booking is essential. Admission fee of €45pp includes all refreshments, lunch, return boat service, full retreat programme, free car & coach parking. Boats available from 9.15am on the day; retreat begins at 10.30am. For booking and further information: by phone +353 (0)71 9861518 online: www.loughderg.org email: info@loughderg.org

The Season of Creation runs from the World Day of Prayer for Creation on September 1st to the Feast of St Francis of Assisi on October 4th. This ecumenical season invites Christians to pray with and for creation, to reflect on what is happening to our world at present and to discern where they are being called to act in their own lives and in their parish communities. The theme this year is 'Listen to the Voice of Creation' and takes the story of Moses and the burning bush as its inspiration: Today the prevalence of unnatural fires are a sign of the devastating effects that climate change has on the most vulnerable of our planet. Creation cries out as forests burn, animals flee and people are forced to migrate due to the fires of injustice. Season of Creation, this symbol of God's Spirit calls us to listen to the voice of creation, to the voices of those who suffer the impacts of climate change, to the voices of those who hold generational wisdom about how to live gratefully within the limits of the land. These are voices of the Earth. The global Christian family is called to awaken to the urgent need to heal our relationships with creation and with each other and to encourage our parish communities to do the same, "for we know that things can change!" (Laudato Si', 13)

Children's Liturgy: Our Children's Liturgy Programme will recommence on Sunday 2nd October 2022 at 10.30am Mass. We are currently recruiting Volunteer Leaders (Child protection training and induction training will be given). If you are interested please leave your name and phone number with the Parish Office for the attention of Fr Raymond or contact Rita 07753163121. Thank you.

Irish Language Classes: Irish classes for adults begin in Enniskillen Castle Museum on Thursday 22nd September 7.30pm - 9.30pm for 10 weeks. All levels catered for. For more information contact Fiona Crudden, Irish Language Officer Fermanagh & Omagh District Council. Tel: 0300 303 1777 - you can also register on the night.

Special Rosary Drive request from local school chaplains - October is the month of the Rosary and our local chaplains at Holy Trinity and St Michael's are hoping to create something special this year. While we pray the Rosary we reflect on Mary, her story and the story of her Son Jesus Christ. What a set of rosary beads can also represent is our own story! We have a set of beads blessed by Pope Francis on the occasion of our wedding, a set that belonged to a grandparent who prayed everyday, a set that glows in the dark from Lourdes, a set that a good friend made for us when our son was born. Rosaries come in all shapes and sizes, and they can tell a story, much like ourselves as part of the Body of Christ - therefore we want to showcase some of the beautiful uniqueness! Do you have a spare set of rosary beads at home? We are looking for donations of rosary beads that can be used in school, and then kept to be used at other Marian times of the year. If you do please can you leave them in an envelope marked FAO Catherine McLoughlin/Rosary Drive in the Sacristy or the Parish Office.