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ST MICHAEL'S PARISH

Enniskillen & Lisbellaw

Building Faith, Friendship, Community

Parish Messenger 23rd November 2025

Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe

Parish Priest: Mgr. Peter O'Reilly
Curate: Rev. Raymond Donnelly
Assistant Priest: Rev. Joseph McVeigh
Parish Deacon: Rev. Martin Donnelly



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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

Sat 22nd Nov 6.00pm (Vigil) (Month's Mind) Mary Higgins, Kilmacormick Drive.

Sun 23rd Nov 8.00am Donors' Intention

Sun 23rd Nov 10.30am (First Anniversary) Brigid O'Neill, Millcroft Nursing Home.

Sun 23rd Nov 12.00pm (Month's Mind) Anthony (Tony) Rasdale, Cordara, Old Rossorry Park.

Sun 23rd Nov 9.30am Lisbellaw (Month's Mind) Philip Carson, Belfast Road, Lisbellaw.

Next Sunday Cradien

Mon 24th Nov Ss Andrew Düng-Lac, Priest and Companions, Martyrs

10.00am Seamus McCahery, Cavandale Park

Tues 25th Nov 34th Week in Ordinary Time

10.00am Donna Lyons, Drumbeg.

Wed 26th Nov 34th Week in Ordinary Time

10.00am Donors' Intention

Thurs 27th Nov 34th Week in Ordinary Time

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Fri 28th Nov

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Tony Treacy, Old Rossorry Park.

Sat 29th Nov

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Gerry Sheerin, Old Rossorry.

Mary & Jack Hoy, Erne Drive and Rosaleen & Paddy Hoy, Derrygonnelly.

Jimmy Smyth, Derrygore Terrace. Peggy Gibson, Killynure Park.

Patrick & Nora Corrigan and Sean & Mary Corrigan, Enniskillen and Lisbellaw.

6.00pm (Vigil) (Month's Mind) Anna Hoy, Derrin Road.

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First Sunday of Advent

Anniversary Masses for 2026 - Mass book for 2026 is now open for bookings in the Parish Office

The 6.00pm Vigil Mass on Saturday is reserved for Month's Mind Masses.

The Sunday Masses are reserved for First Anniversary Masses.

Up to two Anniversaries may be booked for 10.00am midweek morning Mass.

The Diocesan Offering for a public Mass is £20.To allow as many as possible to book a family Anniversary Mass, parishioners are requested insofar as possible to book only one Mass for all deceased family members.



Sunday 16th November - White Envelope - Weekly Offering to the Parish - £3300.83

This Sunday 23rd November - White Envelope - Weekly Offering to the Parish Next Sunday 30th November - White Envelope - Weekly Offering to the Parish

Deaths: Joyce McGinn, New Malden, Surrey, formerly of Drumcor Hill; Elizabeth (Lizzie) Gallagher, Tilery Nursing Home and Meadow Lane; John Morris, Cornwall formerly Derrin Road; Desmond (Dessie) Dooris, Brackvede Park; James (Seamus) Farry, Hillview Road.

May they Rest in Peace.

<u>Christmas Lights Switch on</u> takes place on **Saturday 22nd November.** There will be a road closure in place from **4pm** to **7pm** from Townhall St. Parishioners are advised that car parking for the vigil Mass may be disrupted.

St. Macartan's Cathedral Restoration – Special Diocesan-Wide Collection 22nd & 23rd November: This weekend our parish participates in a Special Diocesan-Wide Collection for the restoration and preservation of St. Macartan's Cathedral. Bishop Larry Duffy has designated the weekend for the important appeal to help fund the extensive work. We have the opportunity to share in a significant legacy for generations to come. Please keep the success of the project in your prayers. Special envelopes are available at the back of the church for those who wish to give over the coming weeks. Please note, if you are making a donation by cheque, please make your cheque payable to *Diocese of Clogher*. For more information, or alternative ways to donate, see ://clogherdiocese.ie/cathedralrestoration-summer2025/All donors will be remembered in a dedicated Mass of thanksgiving in St. Macartan's Cathedral. Thank you.

<u>Trócaire</u> Will have an exhibition at the back of the Church this weekend. An outreach Officer from Trócaire will deliver a short address at our 6pm Vigil Mass and at 10.30am and 12pm Masses on Sunday and make a presentation on the occasion of St Michael's 150th Anniversary. <u>Trócaire Gifts</u> will be on sale after all Masses from **Monday 1st December** to **Sunday 7th December**. They will also be available to purchase in St Michael's Parish Office and Shop.

Grow in Love Mass for all children in St Michael's Parish preparing for First Confession and First Holy Communion 2026 this Sunday 23rd November at 9.30am Mass in St Mary's, Lisbellaw and at 10.30am Mass in St Michael's Church for Enniskillen town schools.

Botha Parish are holding a Church renovation fundraising cookery demonstration on **Monday 24th November** at **7.30pm** at Boho Community Hall. Glen Wheeler will present a variety of mouth-watering Christmas cooking ideas. Tickets available at the door or can be prebooked from Nuala at 07761435539. Proceeds to Botha Parish Fund. Admission £15. Thank you for your support.

<u>The Annual Graan Draw</u> takes place on **28th November**. To buy tickets please ring 028 66 322272 or email thegraan@btconnect.com or visit website www.thegraan.com and you can purchase online. Tickets costs £2/€2 or a book of 3 for £5/€5. First prize is £5000.

<u>Lights of Love</u> Rossorry Parish Church warmly invites you to "Light up our Christmas Tree in Memory of a Loved One". Join us for a special service of and Lighting Ceremony on **Sunday 30th November** at **4pm**. All donations will go toward the new building. Join us for refreshments in the Parish Hall following the service.

St Michael Parish Choirs Present Christmas by Candlelight in St Michael Church on Sunday 21st December at 7pm with special guests Onóir & Fr. Eugene O'Hagan. Join us for a magical evening of carols as we celebrate the joy of Christmas together. Tickets on sale on Monday 1st December at 7pm in St. Michael's Community Centre. Cash sales only. All Tickets £10. Please come early to avoid disappointment.

<u>Saint Vincent de Paul Collection</u> will take place after Masses on 6th and 7th December. Thank you for your support and generosity throughout the year.

Young at Heart Next YAH session will be a Quiz with Michael Durkin on Sunday 7th December at 3pm.

<u>Collection for Concern</u> will take place in Dunnes Store on **Friday 12th December 2025** All donations gratefully appreciated.

<u>St Michael's Parish Shop</u> New range of Christmas Cribs and figures, Christmas Cards and Christmas Mass Bouquet Cards. Also available are Advent candles and books and much much more!.

<u>Enniskillen Vocations Society of St Joseph</u> The "Chalice Outreach Prayer for Vocations." continues and this involves a parishioner/family receiving a Priest's Chalice, which was blessed and used at Mass in our Parish, and saying a Vocations Prayer before it each day for a week (Monday - Sunday). If you would like to participate, please leave your name & phone number with our Parish Office.

<u>Special Edition Watercolour</u> of St Michael's Church celebrating our 150th anniversary is available from www.naniken.co. Personalise your watercolour by arranging for the artist to add in someone special to it. St Vincent de Paul Helpline 6634 7788.

St Michael's Parish Draw - Month 10

Will take place on Monday 24th November

Promoters please make returns to the Upper Room at the Parish Shop between 7pm - 8pm