# THE BAPTISM OF THE LORD



09.01.2022

## St. Patrick's Church, Ballyshannon

#### Saturday 8th

6.15 pm Frank Patton, Creevy
Sean McGonigle, Cliff Road
Catherine Herron, Saimer Drive
Alice Duncan and Teresa & Michael
Patton

## Sunday 9th The Baptism of The Lord

#### Monday 10th

9.30 am Priest's Intention

#### **Tuesday 11th**

9.30 am | Lily Hersey, Donegal Road

## Wednesday 12th

9.30 am Daniel Francis Patton, Sheegus

#### Thursday 13th

9.30 am | William Patterson, Ballinacarrick

#### Friday 14th

9.30 am | Seamus, Madge & James Gallagher, Tirconaill Street

#### Saturday 15th St. Ita, virgin

6.15 pm Kathleen McGlinchey, Garvanagh Pat Slevin, Camlin Mary-Ellen and Willie Grimes, Abbey

#### Sunday 16th

9 am Pro Populo 11 am May Walsh

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May Walsh, Cluain Barron
Francis Cleary, Ernedale Heights

## St. Marp's, Cashelard

#### Sunday 9th

10 am Annie Leonard, Cashelard

#### Sunday 16th

10 am James and Margaret Ward, Cashelard

## K L B A R R O N PARISH BALLYSHANNON

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## > We Pray for the Dead

Died Recently

Jimmy Mahon Snr., Ernedale Heights (who was buried on Monday)

Anne McNulty, Donegal Road (who was buried in the Rock on Thursday)

Eternal Rest Grant unto Them O Lord

#### **Adoration of BI Sacrament**

Wednesdays 10 am - 1 pm & 6 - 9 pm Saturdays 10 am - 12 noon

Please note if there is a funeral on a Wednesday or Saturday morning there will be no adoration

## The Baptism of the Lord

Jesus is anointed with the Spirit and his power.
He is proclaimed Messiah. He now goes about doing good, working the signs that make him known as the Servant of God. He is the one who brings good news to the poor and tells of salvation.

Is the One who "baptised you with the Holy Spirit" asking you to consider a call to serve as a priest, a deacon or in the consecrated life? Speak to your local priest or your Diocesan Vocation's Director, or email the National Vocations Office on info@vocations.ie

Director of Vocations for the Diocese of Raphoe is Very Rev. Rory Brady P.P., Bruckless 074 97 37015

## **Parish Envelopes for 2022**

Still some envelopes left to be collected

## **Your Contribution to the Parish**

Sunday 2nd January: €1,209

Many thanks for your continued support

### **Funeral Guidance from the HSE**

"Family members, mourners, clergy, and funeral staff should not attend a funeral if they have Covid, symptoms of Covid, awaiting a Covid test result, or have been told by public health to restrict movements. This includes close contact with the deceased

if the cause of death is Covid related." - HSE

- Funeral services <u>can take place with full capacity</u>, protective measures must be in place
- Members of the congregation should avoid singing or any raising of voices
- Any physical interactions including shaking of hands and hugging should be discouraged.
- Observe social distancing throughout the service
- Cloth face coverings or masks should be worn for all indoor services by all present. A visor should not be used unless there are specific problems with using the face mask. It is recommended that a surgical face mask be worn by those considered high risk category
- · Guards of Honour must observe social distancing.
- Those gathering at the graveside should optimise social distancing and wear face masks.

#### Wakes

"Whilst recognising the importance of wakes, gatherings of this nature are a concern to public health officials at this time. It is strongly advised that hugging and hand-shaking be discouraged, that all attendees wear a mask, that hands are sanitised upon entering and exiting the house/building and that appropriate distance is afforded to fellow mourners." - HSE

## **Sacrament of Baptism**

We welcome to our parish faith family Saorla Fionnuala Cassidy, Toronto, Canada who was baptised recently

Baptisms take place on the first Sunday of the month at 12 noon.

Anyone wishing to register is asked to contact the parish office on 071 98 51295 (Numbers restricted to child, siblings, parents, Godparents and Grandparents only for the time being)

## **Parish Pastoral Council**

Meeting this Wednesday 12th at 7pm in the Pastoral Centre

## St. Vincent de Paul Appeal

If you haven't already returned your envelope you may still do so. All funds raised will be spent in this community, helping those who need it most with food, heating and education costs

## **Visiting the Sick**

If someone belonging to you or someone you know is in hospital or sick at home, even for a short period of time, then please let us know by contacting the parish office 071 9851295

## **Prayer** Sharing in the Lord's ministry

Lord Jesus, touch our eyes so that we may see the signs of your presence in our lives and in the world. Touch our ears so that we may hear your

word.
Touch our tongues so that we may profess

our faith. Touch our hands so that we may give and receive.

Touch our feet so that we may walk in your paths.

Touch our minds so that we may understand your ways.

Touch our wills so that they may be in tune with your will.

Touch our hearts so that we may bring your love to our brothers and sisters.,
To the praise and glory of God.
Amen.

Flor McCarthy, S.D.B.

## Radio Maria Ireland

An Irish-run Catholic talk-radio station offering commercial free broadcasting - Prayer, Catechesis, uplifting music, talks, interviews & testimonies. Do join our growing faith family! Saorview 210, Download free app, Stream via www.radiomaria.ie or Listen live on the facebook page

## The Irish Catholic

Irish Catholic Newspaper is available weekly from the back of the church

## **Alzheimer Society**

Anyone seeking information or wishing to talk about a loved one with Alzheimers can contact Josie - 087 1260501 or Maureen - 086 3694618

## **Covid Support Line**

ALONE manage a national support line and additional supports for older people who have concerns or are facing difficulties relating to COVID-19. Professional staff are available to answer queries and give advice and reassurance where necessary. Support line is open seven days a week, 8am - 8pm, by calling 0818 222 024.

### **Parish Office Hours**

Monday to Friday 10 am - 1 pm also Thursday and Friday 2 - 4 pm Phone 071 9851295