

Parish of Middle Killeavy

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5th May 2019

3rd Sunday of Easter

RECENTLY DECEASED

Margaret Murphy, The Glen; Dermot Kinney, John Martin St.; (Hugh) Paddy Mooney, Glen Hill Pk; James Kelly, Warrenpoint; John Lamont, Lisdrum Court; Marian McCaul, Jonesboro'; Ray Byrne, John Martin St; Frances McGivern, Springfarm Hgts.
"May the light of God's peace shine upon them in Eternity."

MASS INTENTIONS IN EASTER WEEK

Saturday 4th 6.15pm Margaret Henry, Derrybeg
Sunday 5th 10.30am Blair, Campbell & Kearney families & Holy Souls, Bobby Sands, Francis Hughes
Sunday 5th 12noon Eddie Mackle
Monday 6th 10.30am Special Intention
Tuesday 7th 10.30am Parish Mass Intentions
Wednesday 8th 10.30am No Intention
Thursday 9th 10.30 am No Intention
Friday 10th 10.30 am No Intention
Saturday 11th 10.00 am No Intention
Saturday 11th 11am Sacrament of Confirmation
Saturday 11th 6.15 pm Christine & Joseph Hutchinson, Nan, Jim & Lily Wasson; Pat Pearce; Carmel McClure; Brigid & Joseph McSherry.
Sunday 12th 10.30 am No Intention
Sunday 12th 12.00 noon Tommy Price

PARISH COLLECTION last Sunday raised £1,150. Sincere thanks for your continued support.

WE WELCOME TO OUR PARISH:

Olivia Mullan, daughter of Daniel & Sinead, Springfarm Heights;
Declan Oliver Forde, son of Declan & Donna, Lisard Court;
Staint Kash Morgan, son of John & Stephanie, Violet Hill Avenue.

CONFIRMATION: St. Malachy's Primary School will celebrate the Sacrament of Confirmation next Saturday (11th May) at 11am. Best wishes to those pupils who will be Confirmed that day; and also to the staff, the parents and families. Please note that the ordinary **Saturday morning Mass this week will be at 10am.**

HONOURING OUR LADY IN THE EASTER SEASON: Our Saturday Mass in honour of the Blessed Virgin Mary will continue throughout the Easter season. The dates & titles of the Masses are:

11 th May	Mary, Fountain of Light and Life*
18 th May	Mary, Gate of Heaven*
25 th May	Mary, Image and Mother of the Church
1 st June	Mary, Queen of Apostles*
8 th June	Mother and Teacher in the Spirit.

*Due to First Holy Communion/Confirmation, the Mass on these days will be celebrated at 10am.

VOCATIONS SUNDAY: will be celebrated next Sunday (12th May). To mark this day, members of St. Joseph's Young Priests Society will speak at our Parish Masses on the work they do to foster vocations and how we can all play our part. During the Masses (in the Church) your priests will renew their ordination promises, in the presence of this parish community. Please keep the parish team & the need for more vocations in your prayers.

ROTAS FOR MAY

MINISTERS OF THE WORD

6.15pm Sr. Marie Slacke
10.30am Patricia Kelly 12noon Lynn Curtis

MINISTERS OF THE EUCHARIST

6.15pm Frances Cranney, Eilish Morley, Eilish Smith, Roisin Murphy, Eamon Murphy.
10.30am Moira Hamill, Ann Rocks, Edith McNamara Jack Moore
12noon Bernadette Collins, Fiona Campbell, James Lannon, Phyllis McQuillan

ALTAR SOCIETY

Sheila Murphy, Fiona Campbell, Ann O'Sullivan, Philip Strain

ONE DAY RETREAT TO LOUGH DERG: on Monday 6th May. For more information/to book contact Vera on 4177 3133

KNOCK: The annual Armagh Diocesan Pilgrimage to Knock takes place on Sunday 26th May. Anyone who might be interested in making this pilgrimage as a parish, is asked to contact the parish office so that interest can be gauged / arrangements made.

BLESING OF THE GRAVES:

St. Mary's 5th May, 3pm; Monks' Hill – 12th May, 3pm;
Cloghogue – 3rd July, 7.30pm.

SOUTH DOWN CHORAL SOCIETY: Annual Spring Concert including pieces by Palestrina, Rutter, Faure, Elgar & Chilcott will take place in Church of Our Lady of the Assumption, Newcastle on 10th May at 7.30pm and in our own church on Friday 17th May at 7.30pm. Admission £10.

EASTERTIDE RETREAT: Lectio Centre, Dominic St., Saturday 18th May beginning at 10am, and concluding with Mass at 5pm. Places are limited. To book contact Joan on 3026 2178. Suggested donation of £15. Light lunch provided.

RETREATS - SMA RETREAT CENTRE, DROMANTINE:

is offering 2 short Retreats.

1. Awareness and Mindful Living.

Conducted by Martina & Patrick Sheehan. Fri. 10th May, 10am – Sun. 12th, 2pm.

2. Forgiveness; the journey from hurt to healing, freedom and peace. Conducted by Fr. Des Corrigan SMA Sat. 22nd June 9.30am – 5pm. Contact retreat Centre, Dromantine Tel. 028-30821964 E mail: admin@dromantineconference.com.

PARISH OFFICE: will be closed on Monday 6th May (May-day Bank Holiday). It reopens on Tuesday 7th @ 10am



The IΧΘΥΣ (fish) is one of the earliest Christian symbols.

PARISH TEAM: Fr Liam (302 62376); Fr Uduak (302 62332); Fr Damien (07557236599); Srs. Marie & Rita (302 68512)

PARISH OFFICE: Tuesday – Saturday, 10am – 12 noon.