

# Devenish Parish News Bulletin

## Sacred Heart Church



## St Molaise Church, Whitehill



Sunday 7<sup>th</sup> February 2021  
5<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time.



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## Weekly Masses – February 2021

<b>Saturday 6<sup>th</sup> February</b>	<b>6pm</b>	Michael McAleer (Month's Mind). Joe Cassidy (Month's Mind). Francis, Susan & Michael Francis Scallon, Moynaghan North.
<b>Sunday 7<sup>th</sup> February</b>	<b>11am</b>	Desmond, Adrian & Fergus Maguire. Dette Kane.
<b>Monday 8<sup>th</sup> February</b>	<b>10am</b>	Mass – Sacred Heart Church.
<b>Tuesday 9<sup>th</sup> February</b>	<b>10am</b>	Mass – Sacred Heart Church.
<b>Wednesday 10<sup>th</sup> February</b>	<b>10am</b>	Mass – Sacred Heart Church
<b>Thursday 11<sup>th</sup> February</b>	<b>10am</b>	Paddy McGoldrick.
<b>Friday 12<sup>th</sup> February</b>	<b>10am</b>	Mass – Sacred Heart Church
<b>Saturday 13<sup>th</sup> February</b>	<b>6pm</b>	Jimmy, Greta & Liam Woods.
<b>Sunday 14<sup>th</sup> February</b>	<b>11am</b>	Mass – Sacred Heart Church

All Masses will be available to view on our Webcam -  
[www.devenishparishirvinestown.com/webcam](http://www.devenishparishirvinestown.com/webcam)

## **World Day for the Sick:**

“Love is a medicine for the sickness of the world. It is a prescription often given and too rarely taken” – Author Unknown.



The 11<sup>th</sup> February is the feast of Our Lady of Lourdes. It is the day that we hold all our sick and the sick of the world in our hearts and in our prayers. Bernadette Soubirous was the young girl who saw the first apparitions at Lourdes in the foothills of the French Pyrenees more than 150 years ago. It is estimated that approx. 5 million pilgrims visit Lourdes each year.

Anyone who has been there will know it's a significant and very special place. Goodness, kindness and generosity are to be seen everywhere. The amount of young people who make the journey and get actively involved in directly helping the sick and assisted pilgrims is something to be seen.

Our Diocesan Youth Ministry organisation (Clogher don Óige) participate each year with the Diocesan Pilgrimage. In the midst of sickness Lourdes is a place full and brimming with life and energy and love. Anyone who has been to Lourdes will often say, “If only I could bottle what's here and bring it home”. Our faith reassures us that it is at home but it may not always be as evident as it is in Lourdes. God's greatest medicine called love never leaves us and is to be shared among us. We pray today for all who are sick and we remember in a special way doctors, nurses, carers, pharmacists, therapists and anyone who needs our prayers on this special day.

Take a moment to remember someone now .....

Fr Kevin.

## **Holy Hour - Thursday 11<sup>th</sup> February:**

**Feast Day of Our Lady of Lourdes & World Day of Remembrance of the Sick:**



We invite everyone to join us via the Sacred Heart Church webcam for an hour of reflection which will take place from 7pm – 8pm on Thursday 11<sup>th</sup> February.

<https://www.devenishparishirvinestown.com/webcam>



## **Prayers for the Deceased:**

Your prayers are requested for the repose of the souls of Herbie McElholm, Trillick and Charlie McDonnell, Lisdoo. May they Rest in Peace.

## **Parish Collections:**

Sunday 31<sup>st</sup> January – £1095. Thank you.

## **Confessions:**

People are reminded of the longstanding pastoral practice, when penitent's access to the Sacrament of Reconciliation is restricted, that they can be assured that their sins are forgiven if they make an act of contrition with a firm resolve to approach the Sacrament of Reconciliation after the stay-at-home orders are lifted.

## **Baptism Dates:**

Baptisms will take place on the First Sunday of every month at 1pm and the third Saturday of every month at 4pm. Social distancing rules will apply.

Dates Scheduled for 2021:

February - Sat 20<sup>th</sup>

March – Sun 7<sup>th</sup> & Sat 20<sup>th</sup>

April – Sat 3<sup>rd</sup> & Sat 17<sup>th</sup>

*\*Subject to changes in Covid19 regulations & guidelines*

## **Spiritual Communion:**



My Jesus, I believe that You are present in the Most Holy Sacrament of the altar. I love You above all things, and I desire to receive You into my soul. Since I cannot at this moment receive You sacramentally, come at least spiritually into my heart. I embrace You as if You were already there and unite myself wholly to You. Never permit me to be separated from You. Amen.

## Webcam:



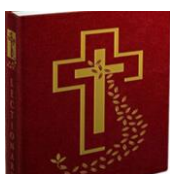
All Masses can be viewed via our website on the address below:  
[www.devenishparish.com/webcam](http://www.devenishparish.com/webcam)

Mass will also be available via The Church Services website on:

[www.churchservices.tv/devenish](http://www.churchservices.tv/devenish)

You can download The Church Services TV app to your phone, iPad or tablet, by searching for Churchservices TV on Google Play Store or iTunes App Store.

Readings for Sunday 14<sup>th</sup> February  
6<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time:



**Leviticus 13:1-2, 44-46;**  
**Corinthians 10:31-11:1;**  
**Mark 1:40-45.**



**"As many people as possible stay at home for  
the sake of health, life and  
the Common Good."**

- Catholic Bishops of Northern Ireland

## Ministers Rota:

Please see details of the Ministers required to serve at the Masses for the next two weekends below:

### Readers:

Sat 13<sup>th</sup> Feb – 6pm: John Sheridan

Sun 14<sup>th</sup> Feb - 11am: Gay Mahon.

Sat 20<sup>th</sup> Feb – 6pm: Joe McQuaid

Sun 21<sup>st</sup> Feb - 11am: Rosemarie Duffy



### Eucharistic Ministers:

Eucharistic Ministers will not be required until public Mass returns on Sat 6<sup>th</sup> March.



### Weekday Masses:

No ministers are required for the weekday Masses until further notice. Thank you.

*If you are unable to attend, please arrange for another Minister to fulfil your role that day.*

## Ash Wednesday:



Ash Wednesday is on Wednesday week, 17 February. As it will not be possible to have the ancient practice of receiving ashes this year, families are invited to join Masses online in local parishes. Also, the text of a Family Prayer Service for Ash Wednesday will be made available via [www.clogherdiocese.ie](http://www.clogherdiocese.ie) nearer the time.

## World Day of the Sick:

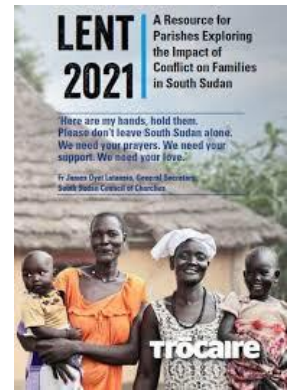
World Day of the Sick will be celebrated next Thursday 11<sup>th</sup> February – the feast of Our Lady of Lourdes. The theme chosen by Pope Francis for this year is **"You have but one teacher and you are all brothers" (Mt 23:8). A trust-based relationship to guide care for the sick.** A special Mass to mark the occasion will be broadcast on the Diocese of Clogher Facebook page from St Patrick's Church, Clogher on Thursday evening at 8pm. The celebrant will be Canon Noel McGahan, Spiritual Director of the Clogher Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes.

## Donation Received:

Thanks to all who purchased cards from the Legion of Mary Shop. The following Donations were made to the Missions: £400 Sr Kathleen O'Brien - Cameroon Project, £300 Fr Lawrence Simbota – Malawi, £300 St Patrick's Missionary Society, Kiltegan, £300 3 'A's' Charity - Anawim Adonai Africa Project, £300 Fr John Skinnader - South Sudan Project, £300 Fr Brendan Shannon - Uganda Project and £706 was paid to Divine Word Missionaries for the purchase of cards.

## **Trócaire:**

Lent is an important time for Trócaire. This year the theme is around solidarity with those families affected by war in South Sudan. Trócaire Boxes are being made available in a safe manner for each household and donations may also be made online via the iDonate button on [www.clogherdiocese.ie](http://www.clogherdiocese.ie).



## **Continuous Rosary in Ireland for Peace and Charity:**



Beginning Ash Wednesday, 17th February 2021. To make this work there needs to be a minimum of two parishioners per parish, one with surname beginning A-L and one with surname M-Z to say the rosary twelve times per year. For more information visit - [www.continuousrosary.com](http://www.continuousrosary.com)

## **Parish Collection Envelopes:**

We are currently updating our records in preparation for the distribution of the new Parish Envelopes in March 2021. If you have recently changed address, do not currently receive envelopes or are new to the Parish and would like a box of envelopes please contact the Parish office on 028686 28600 or email: [devenishparish19@outlook.com](mailto:devenishparish19@outlook.com)

Due to the current pandemic the option to setup a direct debit is also available. For further details please contact the Parish office. Thank you.

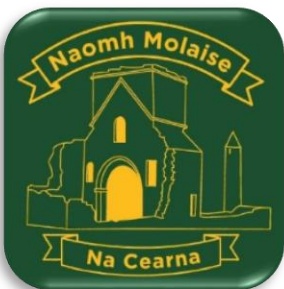
## **Community Transport to Covid-19 Vaccination Centres:**

Fermanagh Community Transport is delighted to be in a position to introduce this new Covid support service to assist those who are being called forward to receive a Covid19 Vaccination at this time. This service is aimed at those identified as 'Clinically Extremely Vulnerable' and / or 'At Risk'.



We can provide transport to vaccination centres within Fermanagh and, for those who must attend in a neighbouring county, we can provide this as well. (Full & half concessionary passes can be used. To request a journey, please call 02866 324260.

## **St Molaise GFC:**



While the future timing of club football is still unclear, the club is delighted to announce Lawrence Largo Elis and Aidan Ormsby as the management team for the Senior and Reserve team for this season. Both men have a long association with teams at every level in the club and we wish them much success for the coming campaign.

The club was saddened to learn of the passing of Joe Pat Prunty at the weekend and we offer our deepest sympathies to his wife and family.

As lockdown continues, we thank our members and players for adhering to the regulations. While it is difficult, we all understand the importance of playing our part to protect the community, but we will return later in the year with renewed energy and enthusiasm.



**Thank you:** We would like to say a special thank you to Martin McHugh & Mrs Bryans (St Paul's PS) for making the St Brigid's Crosses this year.

