



**St Patrick's, Craigagh  
Cushendun**

## **Parish of Cushendun & Torr**

**1st December 2019**

***First Sunday of Advent***



**St Mary's Star of the Sea  
Culraney**

### **Sunday Mass:**

Craigagh 6.00 p.m. (Saturday Vigil) & 12 noon  
Culraney 10.00 a.m.

### **Weekday Masses this week**

Monday to Friday 9.30a.m.

### **First Friday Eucharistic Adoration**

(6<sup>th</sup> December) 10.00 to 10.30 a.m.

**Confessions:** Saturday 5.15 p.m. and on request

**Father Kevin McHugh SSC** The Diamond Jubilarian will say our Parish Mass on Sunday 22<sup>nd</sup> December at 12 noon.

### **Cushendun & Torr Collections:**

**Weekly: £745**

**Parish Priest:** Father Kieran Whiteford,  
The Parish House, Cushendall 028 2177 1240

**Assistant Priest:** Father James O'Kane,  
The Parochial House, Knocknacarry 028 2176 1269

**Bulletin Notices** (incl. Anniversaries) to be left at the Parochial House Knocknacarry or (preferably) emailed to [cushendunparochialhouse@gmail.com](mailto:cushendunparochialhouse@gmail.com) by 10 a.m. on Thursday.

### **Cushendall Mass Times:**

**Saturday Vigil:** 7.30 p.m.  
Sunday 9.00 a.m. & 11.00 a.m.

**Monday to Thursday:** 10.00 a.m. **Friday:** 7.30 p.m.

**St Patrick's PS, Glenariff Christmas Whist Drive** on Sunday 1<sup>st</sup> December at 8.00 p.m. **£5** including Supper.

**Monthly Whist** in the Glendun Nursing Home on Wednesday 4<sup>th</sup> December at 8.00 p.m. Supper included.

**Cushendall Parish Whist Drive**, Sunday 8<sup>th</sup> December

**Parish Christmas Bazaar** on Sunday 15<sup>th</sup> December at 3.00 p.m. in St. Ciaran's Schools. Donations for the Bottle Stall and the 'Wheel' may be left at the Parochial House or the box marked 'BAZAAR' in the shop. We would be grateful if buns and cakes for the teas could be brought to the school between 12 noon and 2.30 p.m. on the day of the Bazaar. This is **your** Parish Christmas Bazaar and its success depends on your support and much appreciated donations. Volunteers to help out would be much appreciated.

**Suicide Awareness** Information session in Cushendall Hurling Club on Saturday 7<sup>th</sup> December from 10am-1pm, Refreshments provided. Anyone over 16 can attend More info or to book contact Marie Hayden (Health and Well-being Officer) 07857 441529 or 028 21771012

**SVP number: 07548780121**

**Cushendun GAC Club Lotto: £2600**

### **CDDA DATES FOR THE DIARY:**

(i) ***Christmas Lunch*** for 55+ in Mary McBride's Tues 17<sup>th</sup> December at 1.30p.m. Interest list in the shop from 1<sup>st</sup> December. Cost £7.50 per person. (ii) ***Street Christmas Carols, Santa and Refreshments*** Sunday 22<sup>nd</sup> Dec at 4p.m.

### **CUSHENDUN OLD CHURCH CENTRE:**

**Public Talk: Exploring ancient DNA** Tuesday 3<sup>rd</sup> December @7pm, Speaker: Prof. Dan Bradley – CC&G Museum Services in association with GoA Historical Society bring you a talk on how advances in DNA analysis.

**Christmas Wreath Making Workshop** on Thursday 5<sup>th</sup> December 6.30 – 8.30pm Have fun designing and making your own Christmas wreath to decorate your home this festive season. Booking Fee £15 To book at Eventbrite <https://www.eventbrite.com/e/81729297529>

### **Glens of Antrim Medical Centre Flu Vaccinations**

Patients of "Glens of Antrim" Medical Centre are invited to have a flu vaccination. For eligibility information or to book an appointment go online/phone 02821771411. **NB all children of school age will be vaccinated by the school nurse.**

### **St Mary's Primary School Nursery Unit, Open Day**

All parents and children (aged 2-4) due to start Nursery School in September 2020 are invited to come along to St Mary's Nursery Unit Open Morning on **Thursday 5<sup>th</sup> December 2019, 9.30 – 10.30am**. Parents will have an opportunity to see displays of work, meet staff and view the facilities. **On Tuesday 7<sup>th</sup> January 2020 at 12noon the online application procedure opens on the EA website [www.eani.org.uk](http://www.eani.org.uk) to apply for a funded Pre-school place/Primary One place in September 2020.**

### **St Ciaran's Support Group November Draw winners:**

£200 Claire Simpson £100 John McSparran

### **Parish Building Fund Monthly Draw Winners –**

**November** £200 Claire McFerran, Scotland; £100 Marie McPeake, Agolagh Heights; £100 Aidan Beatty, c/o Shane's Park; £100 Caroline Quinn, c/o Knocknacarry; £100 Kathleen O'Kane, Layde

**Recently Deceased:** Danny McQuillan, John O'Kane, Peter Cooney (Galway)

**Anniversaries:** Brigid & Malachy McSparran (Mass: Saturday 30<sup>th</sup> November 6pm), Colm McQuillan, (Mass: Sunday 1<sup>st</sup> December 12 noon), Mary T O'Hara, Kathleen Logan (Dublin), Minnie O'Hara, Msgr Patrick Mullally, Canon Raymond Fitzpatrick, Canon Joseph Cunningham, Canon Hugh Starkey

### **Month's Mind Mass for Monsignor Ambrose**

Macauley in St Brigid's Church on Wednesday, 4<sup>th</sup> December, 7 pm.

### **Month's Mind Mass for Sean McHugh**

Saturday 7<sup>th</sup> December 6.00 p.m.

### **Anniversary Mass for Anne White**

Saturday 21<sup>st</sup> December 6.00 p.m.