Parish of Cushendun & Torr

31st March 2019



St Patrick's, Craigagh Cushendun

4th Sunday of Lent

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 Mass this week:

Monday to Friday 9.30a.m. First Friday Eucharistic Adoration (5th April) 10.00 a.m. to 2.00 p.m.

Confessions: Saturday 5.15 p.m. and on request

Cushendun & Torr Collections:

Weekly: £670

Parish Priest: Father Luke McWilliams, The Parish House, Cushendall 028 2177 1240 Assistant Priest: Father James O'Kane,

The Parochial House, Knocknacarry 028 2176 1269 **Bulletin Notices** (including Anniversaries) to be left at the

Parochial House Knocknacarry or (preferably) e-mailed to:cushendunparochialhouse@gmail.com by 10.00 a.m. on Thursday. Please note that this is the only Parish e-

mail address currently in use.

Parish Website: www.cushendunparish.co.uk

Cushendall Mass Times:

Saturday Vigil: 7.30p.m. Sunday: 9a.m. & 11a.m.

Monday - Friday: 6.55a.m. (During Lent)

Monday to Thursday: 10.00 a.m. Friday: 7.30p.m. Collection Envelopes are now available, in numerical order, at the back of the Chapel. Anyone who does not have, and requires, envelopes (March 2019/ February 2020) is asked to leave their name & address at the Parochial Hse.

Parish Finance Committee: An update of the current Parish Finances is on the notice board at the back of the Church. Thank you.

The Finance Committee have received a letter from the Diocese to say that the proceeds from the sale of the Hall will go towards the current parish debt to the Solidarity Fund. Thank you.

Lenten Pioneer Pledge Many people choose to abstain from alcohol during Lent. Why not take this opportunity to perhaps help yourself or someone you know with an alcohol or drug problem by offering your sacrifice for freedom from addiction? Please consider taking the short term Lenten Pledge and make a difference to someone's life. Register your pledge with local Pioneers and say the daily prayer. PRAYER:" I promise in honour of the Sacred Heart of Jesus and with the help of the Blessed Virgin Mary to abstain from all alcoholic drink during Lent."

Cushendall Parish Trip to Knock - 22nd & 23rd June 2019: Bus will leave St Mary's Parish Centre car park at 8.30pm. Cost including all meals £120 (£20 deposit to be paid asap). If interested or for more information please contact Margaret Jamison on 07402035267.

St Ciaran's P.S., Confirmation (Bishop Noel Treanor) will be on Thursday 11th April 1.30p.m.

Rosary at the Grottos Join thousands of people around Ireland as we go to our local Grottos to pray the Rosary each day during the month of May at 8pm (unless otherwise stated). To sign up your local Grotto simply visit www.coastalrosaryireland.ie or call/text 087 278 6552.

SVP number 07548780121

Club Lotto: £1700

The Benedictine Monks, Rostrevor Co. Down, invite men (18-40) to an Easter Triduum Retreat from Holy Thursday 18th April until Sunday 20th April 2019. Take time to reflect. Examine your life and consider your call. If interested, please contact: Fr Thierry: benedictinemonks@ **btinternet.com** / +44 (0)28 4173 9979 Facebook: Benedictine Monks Rostrevor / Twitter: @rostrevormonks Down and Connor Diocesan Bi-Annual Pilgrimage to

Fatima, led by The Most Rev. Bishop Noel Treanor DD 15-22 August 2019, 7 Nights Full Board Hotel Avenida £715 Include Taxes & Insurance. For further details contact Joe Catney - 02890714001 or 07776425631

Parish Draw 2019-20: Draw tickets available. Methods of payment: Monthly £5.00 per month; Annual: £60 per year (cash/cheque) or by Standing Order. Monthly Prizes: One Prize of £200, Four Prizes of £100 each. New members wishing to join in the Parish Draw may contact one of the promoters: Brian Agnew 028 21761616 / Bridget Scally-Millar 07850457419 / Mary McCollam 07742398803, Alastair McIlhatton 07752543282

St Ciarans Support Group Draw - March winners: £200 Kathleen Duffin; £100 Brian & Shirley McAuley St Ciaran's PS will be holding their 6 week Mind & Body **Bootcamp** starting with the Registration evening on Wednesday 1st May, 7p.m. Please contact the school 2176 1304 to have your name included.

Carnlough Set Dancing Week-end, 5th - 7th April 2019 at Glenlough Community Centre: Saturday 6th April -Workshop from 10am - 1pm and 2.15 - 4.45pm; Ceili from 9pm - 12 midnight with Michael Sexton. Sunday 7th April - Workshop from 11am - 1pm. Informal Session with local musicians in Glencloy Inn on *Friday 5th April* from 9.30 - 11.30pm. All welcome. Easter Sport & Activity Camps: Wednesday 24th April -Friday 26th April - Cushendall Football & Netball Camps. For young people aged 4-14 yrs £18 per person/camp (special family ticket available - £45 for 3 or more participating children per camp from the same immediate family. All must be booked at the same time). Application forms available from Cushendall Development Grp Office Monthly Whist will be held in the Glendun Nursing Home on Wednesday 3rd April at 8.00p.m. Super included. **CDDA Newsletter** –The next issue of the Newsletter will be published before Easter. Anyone wishing to contribute articles (events past and future, photos, puzzles etc.) please e-mail to cddanews171@gmail.com by Friday 5th April at the latest. All articles received before or by that date will be considered.

Recently Deceased: Nichola Murray, Tommy Campbell Anniversaries: Ronan McAuley (Mass Saturday 30th March 6.00p.m.), Bernadette McMullan (Mass Sunday 31st March 12 noon), Lena Patterson, Bridget McPeake, Kathleen McIlhatton, Paddy McAlister, Vincent Hill, Anne Laverty nee McKay (The Milltown), Kathleen McGarry, James O'Neill, Alexander O'Neill, Fr Owen O'Kane, Fr Finbarr

First Anniversary Mass for Jim Morgan Saturday 6th April 6.00 p.m.