

# PARISH OF MAGH ENE

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## St. Joseph's Church, Ballyshannon

18/7/10

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Day/Date	Mass Times	Intentions
Saturday (17 <sup>th</sup> July)	8.00pm	Kathleen O'Neill, Carrickboy
Sunday	10.00am	Dec'd members of Gilfedder family, Laughill
Monday	10.00am	<b>Monsignor Liam McDaid, Bishop Elect</b>
Tuesday (Rock Nursing Unit)	10.00am	
Wednesday	10.00am	
Thursday	10.00am	
Friday	10.00am	
Saturday	10.00am	Bridie & Jack McCaffrey, Annie & Jack McCaffrey, Rockville House
Saturday (Vigil)	8.00pm	Bernie Bredin, Portnason
Sunday (25 <sup>th</sup> July)	10.00am	Ciarain Keon, Askill
<b>Confessions:</b> Priest Available for Confessions after weekday masses.		
<b>Masses in Bundoran: Sunday:</b> @ Saturday Vigil @ 7.00pm. Sunday @ 8.30am, 11.00am, 12.30pm <b>Weekday:</b> Monday- Saturday @ 10.00am		

### ***The Ordination of Right Reverend Monsignor Liam Mc Daid as Bishop of Clogher 25<sup>th</sup> July 2010***

Monsignor Liam McDaid will be remembered in Parish masses as he prepares to become our next Bishop. 10.00am mass on Monday will be offered for him and special prayers will be offered at masses next weekend and there will be special readings at the mass on Sunday 25<sup>th</sup> July, the day of the ordination. There are leaflets available on the offertory table underneath the framed picture of Monsignor McDaid containing information and prayers regarding the Ordination of Monsignor McDaid and the Diocese of Clogher. Please take one and keep Monsignor McDaid and our Diocese in your prayers.

### ***September Week of Prayer***

In September (19<sup>th</sup>—25<sup>th</sup>) the Parish hopes to host a week of prayer. This will be an opportunity to remember why our Churches exist in the first place, to represent and draw us to the presence of the Lord living among us. Using both Churches, we ask our communities and visitors to gather in prayer before the Lord. This first year is very experimental, in that we will make the schedule as simple as possible and then review it later in the year.

During our week of prayer the Masses in both Churches will be celebrated by visiting Priests who will direct their prayer and preaching to matters dealing with the issues of today's world. We will ask our local communities to provide the personnel, music and prayers necessary for these occasions. Pope Benedict has reminded us that Eucharistic Devotion should be part of Parish life so we will arrange such adoration for a period of time in both our Churches.

In the days approaching our week of prayer, other ideas will suggest themselves to us and we will incorporate them into our overall design but let us walk carefully this year so that in years to come, our week of prayer will develop in a proper manner.

## 1. Liturgy Teams for the Month of July

If family members wish to bring the gifts to the Altar or present the readings on the occasion of an Anniversary Mass, they should give a few days advance notice to the Priest or Sacristan. If a minister is unavailable could they organise a replacement, if they can't please contact the relevant contact person.

	<b>Vigil Mass</b>	<b>10.00am</b>
Readers	Anthony Begley	Carl Duggan
Eucharistic Ministers	Mary Loughlin Kathleen McFadden	Fiona Feeney Bernie Boyle
Collectors (front)	Eddie Drummond	Phillip Cassidy
Collectors (back)	Kieran Drummond	Patrick McKenna

2. **Altar Society for July:** Joan Duffy & Peg Boyle.

3. **Mass Servers:** Sunday 18<sup>th</sup> July- Saturday 24<sup>th</sup> July: St Ninnidh's. Sun 25<sup>th</sup> July – Sat 31<sup>st</sup> July: St Dympna's

4. **Deceased:** Pat McGettigan, Drumshambo; Denis Cloney, Erne Street; Ann McHugh, Glenties & Ballyshannon. May they rest in peace.

5. **Blessing of Graves:** Takes place on Sunday 8<sup>th</sup> August at 11.00am mass.

6. **Mass of Healing for the Sick:** Thanks to all who helped out and supported our Mass of Healing yesterday.

7. **Baptisms in Parish of Magh Ene** take place for Bundoran on the **second Saturday** of each month and in St. Joseph's on the **fourth Saturday** of each month – both at 11.30am. Parents may choose either Church. We ask parents to consult with the Priest and make their family arrangements to suit these times as facilitating families with individual dates in both Churches is presently very difficult. When funerals/weddings occur on that day, the Baptisms will move to a slightly different time on the same date.

8. **Marriages:** Couples wishing to get married please contact Fr McManus at the above telephone number to make arrangements. It is important to remember that a minimum of three months notice must be given to both the Church and the Civil Registrar for marriages. It is also obligatory to attend a pre-marriage course. Information on 2009 pre-Marriage courses being offered by the Enniskillen branch of ACCORD is now on the notice board at the back of the Church. Couples are asked to complete their pre-marriage course at least 4 months before their wedding. Counselling information is also available, **Tel. 048 66325696.**

9. **Mass Cards:** Sympathy and Mass Bouquet Cards are available in the Sacristy and the Priest's. In all cases when a priest signs a card he is accepting the responsibility that the mass will be said for the intention stated. If for any reason he cannot fulfil the obligation himself he can give the intention and the stipend to another priest to say the mass.

10. **Cake Sale:** Thanks to all who donated to and supported our Cake Sale on Saturday 10<sup>th</sup> July. The total from the Sale, the Raffle and donations came to €1,270.00. Special thanks to the Fundraising Group.

11. **Lough Derg:** The traditional three day Pilgrimage continues until the 15<sup>th</sup> August. For bookings please Tel. 9861518 or Email [info@loughderg.org](mailto:info@loughderg.org)

12. **AWARE** – [www.aware.ie](http://www.aware.ie) Helpline 1890 303 302 or 074 9735030. Now meeting **every Thursday** night at 8.00pm in the **Day Centre, Ballyshannon. You are not alone!**

## 13. Collections 10<sup>th</sup>/11<sup>th</sup> July

Offertory Env.	Returned 86	Development Env.	Returned 77
Contents	€498.20	Contents	€247.67
Donations	€268.09	Donations	€134.04
Total	€766.29	Total	€381.71

**Expected Contribution: Dues: 3% of weekly income; Offertory: 1% of weekly income**

14. **New Footpath:** The Council will be resuming work on the footpath opposite the Church on Monday 19<sup>th</sup> July. All people coming to mass are ask to co-operate with the Council's signs and arrangements in relation to parking.

15. **Sacred Heart School 25 Year Reunion:** The Class of 1985 are having reunion on Saturday, 21st August at 8.30pm in Dicey Reillys. All students and teachers from the year are invited, partners and friends are also welcome. Please contact [joanmcgrath4@gmail.com](mailto:joanmcgrath4@gmail.com), [emcintyre@o2.ie](mailto:emcintyre@o2.ie) or Roisin @ 0861254947 .

## Summer Concerts in Rosary Chapel, Bundoran

The **Three Irish Tenors** will perform on **Thursday, 29th July, 2010**

The **Chamber Orchestra Cologne** will perform music of a sacred and classical character on **Sunday, 8th August**. For tickets and further information please contact the Parish Office, Tel 071 9841290.