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Parish Office - Trinity Sunday - 27th May 2018.

Cemetery Sunday in St Ninnidh's Cemetery and Finner on Sunday 10th June 2018.

We ask family members to ensure that family graves are presented well on that day and where a grave has nobody left to take care of it, a neighbouring family might help. We thank members of the Tus Scheme who are helping in St. Ninnidh's Cemetery and we thank those who are taking care of the flowers around the Mass Rock. It's intended to re-cover with concrete the turning area at the bottom of the cemetery during the summer and to provide more burial space for the future.

The work done by families in Finner Cemetery is appreciated and greatly enhances the overall appearance of the Cemetery.

International Mass on 5th August.

Because Pope Francis will visit Ireland next August to celebrate the World Meeting of Families, we would like to have representatives of other nationalities who live in our Parish present the Sunday 10am (St. Joseph's) and 11am (Bundoran) Mass on the above date, to prepare for his visit and to recognize other nationalities among us. Please contact any member of our Parish Pastoral Committees, if your family would like to take part. We will make final arrangements and allocate various aspects of the Mass to those who offer their assistance, during the month of July.

THE DEACON: CALLED TO SERVE.

On Sunday 17 June at 3pm in St Michael's Church, Enniskillen, Martin Donnelly of Enniskillen will be ordained as the first permanent deacon in our diocese since the diaconate was re-introduced by Vatican II as a 'distinct ministry of service'. All are welcome to witness Martin's ordination.

WHAT DOES A DEACON DO? The ministry of Deacon goes back to the earliest days of the Church (see Acts of the Apostles 6: 1-6). A deacon is an ordained minister of the Church, one who serves in the parish and in the wider community. The Second Vatican Council brought forward a renewal of ministry for both lay and ordained - by our baptism we are all called to participate in the saving work of the Church. Among the wide range of ministries in the Church today is that of the permanent Deacon, a ministry that includes married men.

A deacon is ordained, so therefore the ministry of deacon is one of service — at the altar, of the Word of God and in promoting charity in the community. Deacons serve at the altar during Mass, bring the Eucharist to the sick at home and in hospital, preside at the exposition of the Blessed Sacrament and Benediction, celebrate Baptism and Marriages and preside at Funeral Rites such as reception and burial. A deacon also leads the celebration of the Liturgy of the Hours (Morning Prayer and Evening Prayer) and the Liturgy of the Word (outside of Mass). A deacon may proclaim the Gospel and preach the homily at any liturgy and can lead sacramental preparation and renewal programmes for other ministries in the parish. The work of the deacon in the community is very important. This may include the visitation of the sick, the bereaved and those in prison.

A deacon has a very important role in the promotion of justice and human rights.

DIAMOND JUBILEE (60 YEARS) OF ORDINATION OF BISHOP DUFFY will be celebrated in St Macartan's Cathedral, Monaghan at 3pm on Sunday 10 June. It will be followed by the launch of Bishop Duffy's latest book on Saint Tiarnach of Clones. Everyone is welcome to attend.

Ordination of Seán Mulligan to the Priesthood will be celebrated in St Macartan's Cathedral, Monaghan on Sunday 1st July at 3pm .

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Saturday 7pm Private Intentions.

Sunday 8.30am Private Intentions.

11.00am Eamonn McHugh (Dinglei Coush/England) M.M.

Monday 10am Sr. Simon Josie Daly (Ennis & Bundoran).

Tuesday 10am Charlie & Olga Fox (Donegal Town).

Wednesday 10am Prayer Service.

Thursday 10am No Mass Prayer Service.

Friday 10am William & Margaret Power (Doran Park).

Saturday 10am **David McGonigle (Finner) 7pm Vigil Bridie Munday (Bundoran).**

Sunday 8.30am Michael Breslin (West End).

11.00am People of the Parish.

Special Ministers for June

7pm.
8.30am.
11.00am.
Mary Gormley, Kathy McEniff & Ann Davey.
Mary Mulreany & Katerina Gallagher.
Mary Carty, Marie Smyth, Marie Gaffney and Bernie Fox.

June Ministers of the Word

7pm. 8.30am. 11.00am.

June Altar Society

Maeve Duffy & Peg Boyle

Weekly Ministers 28/05/18

Minister of the Eucharist Ozanam House Fr Munster Minister of the Word Mary Carty

Church Collectors for June

7pm. Cindy O'Beirne, Kathleen McGrath, Gerry Fox. **8.30am**. Patricia Brennan & Maura Walsh. **11am** Pat McGovern, Danny Breslin, Joe Smyth, Angela Gaye & Jim Herrity.

Altar Servers

Saturday 2nd June: Ryan & Erin McGloin, Justin Kelly, Lucy Currid, Mischa & Maria Keenan

Sunday 3rd June: Elishia & Grace Rodgers, Siofra & Shannon McMahon, Callum Tierney, Bruno Versilo & Bradley Goodwin McGowan.

Cemetery Sunday

Sunday June 10th, St Ninnidh's @ 12.30pm and Finner @ 7pm.

Sunday 27th May 10am:

Michael McGrath (Portnason).

Monday 10am. Prayer Service. Tuesday 10am. Prayer Service.

Wednesday 10am. Mass.

Thursday 10am. Prayer Service 10am. Prayer Service. **Saturday.** 10am. Prayer Service.

Sunday 3rd June 10am:

Jackie McDermott (Station Road).

Michael, Ellen & Gerard Loughlin (Higginstown).

Liturgy Teams for June

Minister of the Word: Carl Duggan

Special Ministers of the Eucharist:

Kathleen Lawless & Seamus O'Neill

Church Collectors:

Front. Eamon Daly Back. Patrick Mc Kenna

Altar Society:

Margaret Everett & Joan Duffy.

Important Future Dates for the Rock.

Cemetery Sunday: Sunday September 16th after 10am Mass.

Parish Pastroal Committee will meet on Monday 28th May @ 7pm in The Family Room of the Church. All members are asked to please attend.

Refurbishment at St Joseph's is now coming to an end the dampness problems have been identified and fixed. The necessary plastering works has to be aloud to dry before re painting of the church can take place. This will take place in October/November.

A memorial plaque and park bench in memory of the late Billy Finn will be unveiled at 4pm on Saturday 2nd June at Ballyshannon AETC, College St (Old Vocational School). Light refreshments afterwards. All Welcome.



We remember all those who have died recently:

Des Kelly (Dinglei Coush), Bernard Reed (Bundrowes), Brian Quigg (Dungiven), Dr Moira McQuaid (Wexford).

Church of Our Lady, Star of the Sea, Finances. May 19th & 20th 2018

Weekly Offering 96 Envelopes Returned Envelopes €923.00 Baskets €800.00 Total €1,723.00

Second Collection - €582.00 Thanks to everyone.

Thanks to those who have made separate donations to Church Funds.

St Joseph's Church Finances. May 20th 2018 Offertory Collection 56 Envelopes Returned Envelopes €290.00 Baskets €155.00 Total €445.00

Parish Development Fund 62 Envelopes Returned Envelopes €225.00 Baskets €70.00 Total €295.00

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