Nunleer Parish Bulletin

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The Seventh Week in Ordinary Time (Year C)

Parish Collections: Last weekend – Parish €1,555. Dues €445. Sincere thanks for your ongoing support.

Parish Finance Committee: meets again on Monday March 3rd. Any queries can be emailed to dunleerparish@gmail.com

New Parish Pastoral Council (PPC): met for the first time on January 29th. Janet & Sharon from the diocesan team introduced the yearlong training programme for the new Council, as well as the importance of the synodal approach in the Church. Fr. Damien asked the Council to initially help ponder (a) what the parish can do better in a Status Red weather warning, (b) how weekday celebrations in the absence of a priest could be done, (c) an upcoming parish synodal gathering. Any issues for the PPC can be forwarded to Fr. Damien.

<u>Commissioning of New Extraordinary Ministers of Holy</u> <u>Communion (EMHCs)</u>: this Sunday (23rd) at 11.30am Mass, two new ministers of Holy Communion will be commissioned. Thanks to Amanda & Edel for coming forward for this important ministry. If anyone would like to join the team of EMHCs or the Ministry of the Word as a reader, please contact Fr. Damien.

Mosstown Graveyard Development Committee: The AGM takes place on Wednesday February 26th at 7pm in St. Brigid's Hall. All are welcome.

<u>Works in Dromin</u>: While the floor in Dromin church is being repaired, the church will remain closed, except for the usual celebration of Sunday Mass at 10.30am.

<u>Armagh Diocesan Pilgrimage to Knock</u>: takes place this year on Sunday May 25th.

<u>Getting Married?</u> You can find a useful guide on preparing for weddings in the Church on our parish website under "Sacraments".

<u>Ash Wednesday in Our Parish – March 5th</u>

Mass on Ash Wednesday (March 5th) will be celebrated at 10am and 7pm in St. Brigid's Church, Dunleer. Ashes will be blessed and distributed at each Mass. There will also be a **shorter liturgy (not Mass) at 8am** in St. Brigid's Church. Ashes will be blessed and distributed at that liturgy. Ashes will also be distributed in our primary schools during the day.

	Mass Intentions
	This Week
Sat 22 nd	Pro Populo (for the
6pm	people of the parish)
Sat 22 nd	Av. Michael Murphy;
7.30pm	Av. John & Josephine
	Dowd, Mary & Rose
	Dowd; Av. Paddy,
	Sheila & Peter Lynch;
	Av. Patrick & Catherine
	Kelly, Av. Geraldine
	Kelly
Sun 23 rd	Av. John & Mary
10.30am	Cunningham
Sun 23 rd	MM Des Kenny;
11.30am	Av. David Tiernan;
	Av. Robert & Sheila
	Gaffney
Thu 27 th	Av. Harry, Maisie,
10am	Brenda & Nollaig
	Callan, O'Brien &
	Meehan Families
Sat 1 st Mar	Av. Dympna Malone &
10am	Family
Sat 1 st	Av. Jim McCabe,
6pm	Monica & Peter
	McCabe & McCabe
	Family
Sat 1 st	Av. Niamh McGahon;
7.30pm	Av. Ena Callan
Sun 2 nd	Pro Populo (for the
10.30am	people of the parish)
Sun 2 nd	1 st . Av. Hugh Murphy;
11.30am	MM Geraldine
	Sarsfield;
	Av. John & Rose Lyons
Recently	Seán Byrne
Deceased	Mary Reynolds
	Geraldine Sarsfield