

PARISH OF BERAGH

A faith community in the Archdiocese of Armagh

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1.30 pm

Mass Times

Church of the Immaculate Conception, Beragh

Sunday: 11.30 am Tuesday: 10.00 am Thursday: 7.30 pm

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Thursday: 6.30 pm - 7.15 pm

Church of St Malachy, Seskinore

Sunday: 10.00 am Monday: 7.30 pm

Church of St Patrick, Drumduff

Saturday: 7.30 pm Wednesday: 10.00 am

Oratory, Sixmilecross

Friday: 10.00 am Saturday: 10.00 am

Eucharistic Adoration each Friday after Mass until 11.00 am.

St Malachy's Church, Seskinore

Advent Rosary The Rosary will be recited every Monday evening during Advent at 7.00 pm. Join us in praying for the gift of peace in our hearts, peace in our homes and peace in the world this Christmas.

Choir Practice There will be a Choir Practice this (Sunday 10th) December after Mass for Christmas Day.

Everyone is welcome.

Cardinal MacRory Pastoral Area

Beragh, Kileeshil, Errigal Ciaran, Aghaloo

Verv Rev P Hannigan 028 8776 1211 Very Rev M O'Dwyer 028 8556 7096 028 8555 7212 Very Rev C Deveney (VF)

Hasten to Meet them, Angels of the Lord

Recently Deceased:

Peter Woods; Oliver McCrossan (Funeral this Wednesday at 10.00 am in Our Lady & St Marks, Alexandria); Eoin Francy (Formerly Beragh - Drumquin); Rosemary Bermingham (Formerly Cloghfin - Belfast).

Church of the Immaculate Conception, Beragh

Sun 10th December Mary McSorley and Bridget and

Mick Keenan

Sarah Logue and Damien Gerard Logue

Gusty McMackin

Thurs 14th December John McSorley

Sun 17th December Nora McNelis (MM)

Sheila Hannigan

Barney Colton

Brendan Prevett

Johnny and Mary Broderick

Church of St Patrick, Drumduff

Wed 13th December Oliver McCrossan (Dumbarton)

Church of St Malachy, Seskinore

Sun 17th December Tommy McCarney (MM)

Christmas Weekend Masses

Given that Christmas Day falls on a Monday this year, there will be only one weekend Sunday Vigil Mass on Saturday 23rd December at 7.30 pm in the Church of the Immaculate Conception, Beragh.

Christmas Eve Vigil: Church of the Immaculate Conception - 6.00 pm

St Patrick's Church, Drumduff - 8.30 pm

Christmas Morning: St Malachy's Seskinore - 10.00 am

Church of the Immaculate Conception - 11.30 am



Welcome to our Faith Community

With joy & gladness we welcome into our Parish Community, Nico John-Paul Donnelly who was baptised on the 3rd December 2023.



Roscavey Primary School PTA

Christmas Raffle

Wednesday 20th December

Lots of valuable prizes to be won - £350 cash prize; Overnight Stay in the Great Northern Hotel; Overnight Stay in the 5* luxury Kennaghan Cottage; Gift Vouchers; Hampers and lots more!

Tickets: 1 for £5; 3 for £10; 7 for £20.

(All money raised goes towards school funds) Tickets can be purchased from any parent or the local shops.

Roscavey Primary School - Carol Service

Roscavey Primary School are holding their Carol Service on Monday 18th December at 6.00 pm in the Church of the Immaculate Conception, Beragh. All welcome to attend.

Children's Liturgy

Children's Liturgy continues each Sunday at the 11.30 am Mass for all Nursery - P4 pupils.

Choir Practice

There will be a choir practice this Monday evening (11th December) at 8.00 pm to prepare for Christmas Eve Mass in Beragh. Everyone welcome.

St Malachy's Church, Seskinore

Christmas get-together on **Sunday 17**th **December** after 10.00 am Mass.

Light refreshments served. Everyone welcome.

St Vincent de Paul Society, Beragh

Envelopes distributed last weekend will be collected at all Masses this weekend – thanks to all for their generosity. All money donated will go directly to helping families in need in our Parish.

Any family in need of help, please contact our helpline number on 07738 837 875.

Flaxmill Centre, Drumduff

Christmas Bazaar - Sunday 10th December @

5.00 pm. A large variety of valuable prizes to be won! Including TV, bike, hoverboard, electrical items, toys, hampers, seasonal items and much, much more! **Christmas Craft Fair - Saturday 16**th **December** starting @ 2.00 pm.

Music Lessons - Tuesdays with Guitar 6.00 pm -**7.00 pm** and Tin Whistle **7.00 pm - 8.00 pm.** Please

contact Shirley on 07393 019 819.

Flaxmill Fitness - Fitness Classes (Tuesday and Friday @ 6.30 am) and Personal Training available. Book with Aaron on 07342 658 355.

Beragh GAA

Beragh Biggest Community Event - A Night at the

Oskars - Please join us on Wednesday 13th December at 8.00 pm in Beragh Red Knights Pavilion where you will find out all about this event and help us continue to build the success of Beragh Red Knights Club and ensure we grow our Club to help service our community into the future. Refreshments served.

5 Star Lotto Jackpot is now £10,150. The draw takes place every Monday night, to enter via Klubfunder or through local shops, takeaways and pubs. Thank you to all that support the Club Lotto!

Cloughfin Community Association

Tuesdays @ 6.00 am & 9.30 am - Circuit Classes with

Danuta. 8.30 pm - Line Dancing Class with Marie.

Wednesdays - 7.30 pm - Circuit Class.

Thursdays - 6.00 am - Circuit Class.

Fridays @ 6.00 am & 9.30 am - Circuit Class. 11.00 am - 2.00 pm - Textile Art with Stephanie.

(Places full).

The **9.30 am** Circuit Classes are to suit the "school run" with kids, mothers and others in mind.

Please message Danuta on 07786 538 120 to check for drop-in availability which is £6 per class.

Offertory Promise - 3rd December 2023

£ 702.83 Envelopes: Loose Collection: £ 41.00 Candles: 72.70 **Building Fund:** £ 25.00 Mission Sunday: £ 5.00 Peter's Pence: £ 5.00 Sick & Retired Priests: £ 20.00 Bishop's Collection: £ 40.00 Priest's Dues: £ 1,276.00 **TOTAL:** £2,187.53

Thanks to all those parishioners who continue to support the parish.