



# PARISH OF BERAGH

A faith community in the Archdiocese of Armagh

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### Cardinal MacRory Pastoral Area

Beragh, Kileeshil, Errigal Ciaran, Aghaloo

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### Mass Times

#### Church of the Immaculate

#### Conception, Beragh

Sunday: 11.30 am  
 Tuesday: 10.00 am  
 Thursday: No Mass  
 Saturday: 11.00 am  
*(Feast of the Epiphany - Holy Day of Obligation)*

#### 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

*Eucharistic Adoration each Friday after Mass until 11.00 am.*

### Hasten to Meet them, Angels of the Lord

#### Recently Deceased:

Maureen Gormley; Mary Ryan; John Donnelly; Eoin Franey (MM on Saturday 6<sup>th</sup> January in Drumquin at 6.30 pm); Darragh Owens (Aghnaglea Road, Sixmilecross - Funeral arrangements to follow).

#### Church of the Immaculate Conception, Beragh

Sun 31<sup>st</sup> December Bernie Donnelly  
 Peter McNamee  
 Peter McAleer  
 Annie Mulholland  
 Anto Duffy  
 Sat 6<sup>th</sup> January Patrick and Annie McAleer (Sixmilecross)  
 Sun 7<sup>th</sup> January Margaret McDonald

#### Church of St Patrick, Drumduff

Sat 30<sup>th</sup> December Eugene McCrystal and Jack and Katie McEnhill  
 Mamie Daly  
 Sat 6<sup>th</sup> January Mary McAleer (Drumnakilly)

#### Church of St Malachy, Seskinore

Sun 7<sup>th</sup> January Frances McGinn (1<sup>st</sup> Anniversary)

### New Year Blessing

As we mark the beginning of another new year, we pray Gods Blessing on our parish and on our families; may 2024 be marked by peace and good will amongst us so the Spirit of Christmas will remain with us through the experiences that this time holds for us.

May Mary the Holy Mother of God and the Mother of our Church guide our steps and hold us all close to her Immaculate Heart.

Every Blessing as we begin 2024.

Fr Sean



### Feast of the Epiphany

This Saturday (6<sup>th</sup> January), the Feast of the Epiphany, is a Holy Day of Obligation.

The visit of the three wise men (Magi) marks the recognition of who Jesus is by all the nations of the world.

Mass: Church of Immaculate Conception, Beragh: 11.00 am.



This Sunday, (the Feast of the Baptism of the Lord) marks the end of the Christmas season.

### Visitation of the Sick & Housebound

Fr Sean will visit the sick and housebound during this week between late morning and early afternoon.

Tuesday 2<sup>nd</sup> January - Beragh/Seskinore/Roscavey

(The sick who are normally attended on Thursday will be attended on Monday afternoon).

Wednesday 3<sup>rd</sup> January - Drumduff & Sixmilecross

### Cloughfin Community Association

In Cloughfin Old School, most activities are over for the season. As yet, we don't have a date for the return of the Tuesday evening Line Dancing Class.

For details of the circuit classes, please contact Danuta on 07786 538 120 as she may be offering some sessions over the holiday period.

For anything else, please contact Rosemary on 07709 712 989.

Happy New Year.

### Beragh GAA

Beragh Biggest Community Event - A Night at the Oskars - if you want to 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, please contact Anita Porter or Beragh Red Knights Facebook page.

5 Star Lotto Jackpot is now at £10,300.00. To enter - via Klubfunder or through local shops, takeaways and pubs.

We wish everyone a very Happy New Year.

### Offertory Promise - 24<sup>th</sup> December 2023

Envelopes:	£ 1,343.00
Loose Collection:	£ 369.00
Candles:	£ 173.89
Christmas Day:	£ 1,536.00
Bishop's Collection:	£ 39.00
Building Fund:	£ 79.00
Priest's Dues:	£ 200.00
<b>TOTAL:</b>	<b>£3,739.89</b>

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

### Bulletin

Please note that the Bulletin for next week (7 January) will be printed early this week.

The deadline for notices is Monday (1 January) lunchtime.