

Beragh Parish Bulletin



25th Sunday Year C

18th September 2022

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Parish Office Opening Hours

Mondays: 1.00 pm - 4.00 pm; Fridays: 9.00 am - 1.30 pm.

Induction as Parish Priest

We welcome Bishop Michael Router who will be the main celebrant **today (Sunday 18th September at the 11.30 am Mass)** to officially induct Fr McCartan as Parish Priest of Beragh - all Parishioners are very welcome to attend the Mass.

Prayer for Ukraine

(composed by Bishop Kenneth Nowakowski)

Almighty and Great God, accept our gratitude for your boundless mercy towards us.

Hear the supplication of our afflicted hearts for the land and people of Ukraine, as they confront foreign aggression and invasion.

Open the eyes of those who have been overtaken by a spirit of deception and violence, that they be horrified by their works.

Grant victory over the powers of evil that have arisen and bless Ukraine with your gifts of liberty, peace, tranquillity, and good fortune.

We implore you, O Merciful God, look with grace upon those who courageously defend their land. Remember the mothers and fathers, the innocent children, widows and orphans, the disabled and helpless, those seeking shelter and refuge, who reach out to you and to their fellow human beings looking for mercy and compassion.

Bless the hearts of those who have already shown great generosity and solidarity, and those who prepare to receive their Ukrainian brothers and sisters in Ukraine's greatest time of need.

Bring us together as your children, your creation, and instil in us your strength, wisdom and understanding.

May you be praised and glorified, now and forever, and to the ages of ages.

Amen.

Accord NI

If you feel your relationship is in crisis or you just need a little guidance.

If you and your partner feel you could benefit from Marriage and Relationship Counselling, contact your local ACCORD Centre. Every year we help thousands of couples rebuild and sustain healthy relationships. Protect your most precious investment. Let us, help you, support your marriage.

Tel: 02890 233 002 for an appointment. Email: info@accordni.com

Web site: www.accordni.com

New Missionary Group: Apostles of Love Ireland

Check out our Facebook and website www.apostlesoflove.ie for all our activities. We are a new providential missionary group based in the Armagh Diocese on the grounds of Mellifont Abbey, Collon, Co Louth. We would like to inform you of our many activities at our Oasis of Peace Retreat Centre for prayer, healing and pastoral care. We welcome you to visit us any time for a cuppa and chat at our Forest view tea room.

- “Come Away & Find Rest” join us from a choice of one of our Retreat Day’s to suit your needs.
- Join us on one of our highly recommended “Our Lady’s Pilgrim Days” 11.00 am - 6.00 pm on the last Saturday of each month (Medjugorje Style) - Our Lady’s School of Love or join us for our Monthly Holy Spirit School.
- Apostles of Love Eucharistic Prayer Group on Tuesday 11.00 am - 1.00 pm.
- Our Scripture School (beginners 10.30 am - 12 pm) (intermediate 12.30 pm - 2.00 pm) every Thursday.
- Book for our One - One Prayer and Healing Ministry, Unbound Ministry Pastoral Counselling or Spiritual accompaniment.
- Matt Talbot Calix Addiction Recovery Group 3rd Saturday of Month, Be-Loved Faith and Support Group for Separated Ladies, St Joseph’s Food Chest for those in need.

Contact Deacon John Taaffe 0868 611 531 or Deacon Pat Butterly 0868 210 522 or Joan in the Office 0896 152 568.

HSC NI Foster Care

HSC NI Foster Care is urgently appealing for more foster carers and supported lodgings hosts who can provide homes to young refugees who arrive in Northern Ireland without a parent or carer. For more information on becoming a foster carer or supported lodgings host, contact HSC NI Foster Care on 0800 0720 137 or visit www.adoptionandfostercare.hscni.net/young-refugees/

Diploma in Youth Ministry & Spirituality

Diploma in Youth Ministry and Spirituality from Saint Patrick’s College, Maynooth. The diploma is tailored for those who wish to work in Youth Ministry. For more information please see www.maynoothcollege.ie/courses

Sunday Missal

Because we are still not allowed to distribute parish bulletins in paper form, some people regret not being able to follow the readings and prayers during Sunday Mass. It might be opportune, therefore, to consider purchasing a Roman Missal for the New Year, which would cover the 3-year cycle.

If anyone would like to place an order, please do so by e mail beraghparochial@btinternet.com or contact the Parish Office on 02880 758 206.

Covid-19

While the Executive has decided to ease the restriction of face coverings in places of worship, Church leaders are encouraging people to continue to use them as a precautionary measure against the spread of infection.

Marriage Congratulations

Congratulations to *Tracey Mullin and Martin Quinn* and *Lynne Lyttle and Ian Connolly* who were married recently.

Congratulations

We welcome into our Community, through the Sacrament of Baptism, *Stiofán John Dolan*.

Summary of Beragh Parish Collections

Weekly Envelopes:	£ 961.96
Loose Collection: Beragh:	£ 12.00
Seskinore:	£ 27.07
Candles:	£ 74.25
Building Fund:	£ 223.20
Priest's Dues:	£ 50.00
Total:	£1,348.48

Grant them Eternal Rest, O Lord

All names on the Parish Dead List

Recently Deceased: Eugene Kelly; Michael McDonald;
Fr Bobby McKenna; Mary McElhill
Fr Sean Quinn.

Church of Immaculate Conception, Beragh

Saturday 17th September 10.00 am Private Intention.

Sunday 18th September 11.30 am Gerard McDonald;

Anthony Haigney.

Tuesday 20th September 9.00 am Private Intention.

Thursday 22nd September 9.00 am Private Intention.

Friday 23rd September 7.30 pm Private Intention.

Saturday 24th September 10.00 am Cyril Nixon.

Sunday 25th September 11.30 am Bernadette Owens;

Pat Conroy;

Packie, Gabriella and Tina Owens.

Church of St Patrick, Drumduff

Saturday 17th September 7.30 pm Private Intention.

Wednesday 21st September 9.00 am Private Intention.

Saturday 24th September 7.30 pm Private Intention.

Church of St Malachy, Seskinore

Sunday 18th September 10.00 am Private Intention.

Monday 19th September 7.30 pm Private Intention.

Sunday 25th September 10.00 am Liam and Joseph Grugan.

Oratory, Sixmilecross

The Rosary and Masses from the Oratory are available on You Tube. Search for “sixmilecross oratory youtube”.

Defibrillator

The Defibrillator has now been installed at the Church of the Immaculate Conception, Beragh.

Training for Defibrillator

We are currently compiling a list of people who may wish to learn how to use the defibrillator.

If anyone is interested, please telephone the Office (02880 758 206); send an email beraghparochial@btinternet.com or put a note through the letterbox.

Please leave a telephone number so that you can be contacted.

Old Money Collection

Mary's Meals Beragh group have launched their new fundraiser.

Have you any old coins, notes, foreign currency lying in a jar, drawer or cupboard?
All money accepted!

All donations go towards our school sponsorship of pupils in Mtangatanga, Malawi, providing over 400 children with a school meal every day.

Local drop off points: Flaxmill Centre Drumduff (after 6.00 pm) and Farley's Bar and Restaurant.

Call 07714 168 645 for collections if necessary.

It costs just £15.90 to feed a school child for a year.
Every penny counts and all for a great cause.

Beragh Red Knights GAA

Last week's lotto numbers were 5, 9, 14, 25 and 30. No jackpot winner this week but the £50 share went to Oisín Treacy. Next week's jackpot is £15,000 and tickets can be bought online on Klubfunder

https://www.klubfunder.com/Clubs/Beragh_Red_Knights_GAA or at local shops.

Our online club shop link is live once more. Similar to last time, the link will be available for 2 weeks, opened on Friday 9th September and will close on Friday 23rd September. This will be your only chance to order for Christmas. Check our Facebook page to access the link.

Having had a strong start to their league campaign, our U16 girls travel to Drumragh for another league game on Tuesday evening. Throw in at 7.00 pm.

Next Saturday, 24th September, our U15 boys travel to Galbally in another round of their league. Throw in at 2.00 pm.

Christian Brothers School, Omagh

Omagh CBS Transfer Test Application Deadline: Current P7 pupils wishing to sit the transfer test must submit a completed application for the GA Entrance Assessment no later than 2.00 pm on Friday 23rd September 2022.

For more information visit the school website <https://cbsomagh.org/info/transfer-test-information>

Radio Maria

Thank God and sincere thanks also to our many listeners and supporters as RADIO MARIA IRELAND continues to grow. As an Irish run Catholic Talk Radio Station we enjoy commercial free broadcasting. We offer Prayer, Catechesis, Uplifting Music, Talks, Interviews and Testimonies. So do join our growing faith family. Here is how you can listen:

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- 3 Streaming on our website - www.maria.ie
- 4 Via our "Listen Live Radio" link on our Facebook page.
- 5 Via phone - get live radio feed by calling 353 (0) 14373277 (no extra charges apply).

Why not drop a line to our Priest Director, Fr Eamonn McCarthy, at Maria Ireland, St Anthony's Business Park, Ballymount Road, Dublin 22.

Prayer by Telephone

The Sisters of Mercy at "Bethany" House of Prayer, 34 Point Road, Dundalk, welcome any person who may wish to request prayer, especially during these difficult times. Telephone 00353 (42) 9331602, from 9.00 am to 9.00 pm daily. One of the Sisters will be happy to listen and pray with you. All requests are confidential.

Important Information about the Parish Webcam

The web camera in the Church of the Immaculate Conception, Beragh has been upgraded. Anyone wishing to watch Mass etc. being streamed from Beragh Parish should go to the parish website www.beraghparish.com for the new link or go to www.churchmedia.tv.

Mass Arrangements for Beragh Parish

All weekend Masses from Church of the Immaculate Conception, Beragh are streamed via webcam.

Weekday Masses in Beragh are celebrated in the Crying Chapel unless an Anniversary Mass is being celebrated.

To log on please go to: www.beraghparish.com