Priests of the Parish
Fr Sean McCartan 028 8673 7236
Fr Vincent Darragh 028 7941 8946
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Clergy of St Colmans Pastoral Area
Canon B Fee 028 8774 9184
Fr P Byrne 028 8774 0221
Fr E O’Neill 028 8774 0302
Fr J McCallion 028 8774 9892

Mass Times
Church of the Blessed Sacrament
Sunday: 11.30am
Tuesday: 9.30am
Wednesday: 7.30pm

Church of the Immaculate Conception
Saturday: (Vigil) 7.00pm
Sunday: 8.30am
Monday: 7.30pm
Thursday: 9.30am

Grant them Eternal Rest O’ Lord
Pray for Recently dec’d:
Arthur O’Neill (Kilmascally Rd), Teresa O’Neill (Cookstown),
Marian Dorman (Clonoe), Marion O’Neill (Carrickmore)
James Devlin (North Carolina), Patricia Lavery, (Coalisland),

Sun 10 Dec 11.30am  Elizabeth Campbell
                     Matt O’Neill
                     Bernadette Gormley
                     Martin & Jessie Scullion & dec’d
                     Scullion family
                     Francie & Harriet O’Hagan
                     Thomas & Mary Curran (Trickvallen)

Wed 13 Dec 7.30pm Felix & Mary O’Neill & dec’d
            Scullion family
            Seamus Doris

Fri 15 Dec 7.30pm Gerard Hurl (MM)

Sun 17 Dec 11.30am Tommy & Kathleen Quinn & dec’d Quinn
family (Drumenny)
            Eileen McDonnell

Sacrament of Reconciliation
Every Saturday evening before the Vigil Mass in the Church of the Immaculate Conception 6.15 - 6.45pm.

Advent Reconciliation
St Colman’s Pastoral Area
All are encouraged to mark the season of Advent with a genuine celebration of the Sacrament of Reconciliation. Priests from the Pastoral Area will move between Parishes again this year giving Parishioners opportunity to celebrate the Sacrament with Priests less familiar.

Monday 18 December at 8.30pm
St Patrick’s Church, Clonoe.
(Clergy from Coalisland Parish)

Wednesday 20 December at 8pm
Church of the Blessed Sacrament, Ardboe
(Clergy from Clonoe Parish)

Friday 22 December at 8pm
Church of the Holy Family, Coalisland
(All Clergy from the Pastoral Area)

Confession as usual each Saturday evening at 6.15pm in Church of the Immaculate Conception, Moortown.

Priests Concert - Thanks!
Thanks to all those who supported and attended last Sunday evenings concert of The Priests, together with Ruth McGinley (Pianist)! It was a truly beautiful evening enjoyed by all! Thanks to the Parish Project Support Group who organised the event and all who sponsored the occasion! Thanks to the recipients of this years John Paul II award all who helped in any way to make it such a memorable occasion.

Parish Pastoral Council - Christmas Visitation
The Parish Pastoral Council is arranging a visitation this year to all those sick & housebound for Christmas on the third Sunday of Advent (Sunday 17 December) as a gesture of good will for the festive season. Visitors will telephone ahead of their visit to arrange a suitable time! They bring with them the good wishes of the whole Parish community!

Congratulation to Roisin Mallon & Barry McGill
May the Lord confirm the consent that they have given and enrich them with his Blessing.

Church of the Immaculate Conception
Safeguarding Children Parish Representatives
Tony McGurk
Tel: 028 8673 6295
Maire Quinn
Tel: 028 8673 6672
Defibrillator’s
One each situated at the main door of St Patrick’s PS, Mullinalahoe & St Peter’s PS, Moortown during school hours.
Emergency code for unit if locked is 666111

Weekly Envelope Collection
Weekly Collection £1573.
Thanks to all who contributed to the Priests dues collection.

Eucharistic Adoration
Church of the Immaculate Conception
Monday 6pm - 7.30pm
(concluding with Mass)
Church of the Blessed Sacrament
Wednesday 6pm -7.30pm
(concluding with Mass)

Popes Intention for December
That the elderly, sustained by families and Christian communities, may apply their wisdom and experience to spreading the faith and forming the new generations.

 Ministers of the Word
Church of the Blessed Sacrament
Sunday 17 Dec ; Damien McConville
Church of the Immaculate Conception
Saturday: 16 Dec Catherine Kelly
Sunday: 17 Dec Marguerite Laverty

Celebration of Baptism
The Sacrament of Baptism is celebrated on the second Saturday & Sunday of each month in the Church of the Immaculate Conception, Moortown Saturday at 5.30pm & 12.30pm Sunday and on the fourth Sunday of the month in the Church of the Blessed Sacrament Ardboe at 12.30pm
Please contact the parish office in advance to register and to arrange to collect a baptismal card.

St Joseph’s Young Priest’s Society
In conjunction with the Parish Prayer group will lead a time of quiet contemplation & prayer for vocations during the first three Tuesdays of Advent, at 7 pm Church of the Immaculate Conception, Moortown
All welcome!

Servants of the Lord Missionary Order
Silent Retreat - Spiritual Exercises of Saint Ignatius will take place at the Alexian Brothers Monastery, Knock, Co. Mayo, for women aged 18 years and over.
From December 28th 2017 to January 1st 2018.
Places are limited. Please book early.
For more information contact 00353-85-8235525.

Annual Armagh Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes-2018
The annual pilgrimage will take place 12th – 17th May 2018. The Armagh Diocesan Youth Commission (ADYC) will lead young pilgrims, aged 16–18, at a reduced rate of €600.00 per person, (part of which can be fundraised). For more information and booking please visit http://www.armagharchdiocese.org/lourdes-2018/

World Meeting of Families 2018
Consider becoming a volunteer
If you are a resident of the island of Ireland, why not consider volunteering for WMOF 2018, either as an individual or as part of a group? No previous volunteering experience is necessary and there are roles for everyone, from logistics to liturgical, from translations to transport, among others.

We need a diverse mix of people with various skills and experiences to ensure the success of WMOF 2018 – and we need thousands of you! Whatever your reasons or your focus, we know that your abilities and experience can help us and we would welcome your support in helping us create a successful, historic and joyous event.

Apply to volunteer at www.worldmeeting2018.ie/Volunteer

Parish Development Fund December
The lucky winners were:
1st Prize £1000
Christine Coney (613)
(Promoter- Hugh Bell)
2nd Prize £500
Brian Mallon (435)
Promoter- Tracey Quinn
3rd Prize-£100
Fr Sean McCartan (174)
Promoter- Fr Sean McCartan
4th Prize-£100
Sean Lavery (741)
Promoter- Sean Lavery
5th Prize-£100
Mrs Pat Devlin (193)
Promoter- Martin O’Neill
6th Prize-£100
Peter Devlin (207)
Promoter- Moira & Rosetta
7th Prize- £100
Anne-Marie Campbell (445)
Promoter – Anne-Marie Campbell
The next Development Fund Draw will be Fri 5 January 2018

Muintreivlin Historical Society
Traditional music night on Fri 15 Dec at 8.30pm in Coyles Cottage.
All welcome!

St Patrick’s Academy - Past Pupils
Invite past pupils into the school on Sunday 17th December 2017
2.00pm – 3.30 pm & 5.00pm – 7.00pm
to have one last look around the old school before it is vacated early 2018.
Carol Services will be held in the school at 4.00pm & 7.00pm followed by refreshments in the school canteen.

First Steps Women’s Centre
21a William Street, Dungannon
Annual Christmas Coffee Morning & Raffle
Wednesday 13th December 2017 from 11.00am - 2.00pm.
Festive food & music and the chance to win one of our fabulous prizes including hampers from M&S, Sainsburys & Newell Stores!
Ticket prices are £1.00 each or a book of 6 for £5.00
Everyone welcome!