

Our Parish Newsletter

30 January - 2022 –Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

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Mass Times

St. Mary's - Sunday - 10 am; Mon, Tues - 10 am; Thursday & Friday - 7.30 pm
 St. Joseph's - Saturday - 7.30 pm; Wednesday - 10 am
 St. Patrick's - Sunday - 11.15 am.

We Pray For The Deceased:

St. Joseph's:

Saturday 29th 7.30 pm Brian Gaffney Porton, 4th Anniversary Mass
 Wednesday 2nd 10.00 am James O'Reilly and Decd. Aughaconey
 Friday 4th 6.30 pm Decd of Lynch Family, Aughwee
 Decd of Galligan Family, Ardleny
 Saturday 5th 12.00 noon Maureen Comiskey, MMM and Buriel of Ashes
 Saturday 5th 7.30 pm Paddy Tully, Aughnahague, 3rd Anniversary Mass

St. Mary's:

Sunday 30th 10.00 am Kitty Smith, Crosserlough
 Friday 4th 7.30 pm Shane Smith Clare, 1st Anniversary Mass
 Saturday 5th 3.00 pm Fr. Killian Mitchell, Kilnacrott Months Memory Mass
 Sunday 6th 10.00 am Noel & Decd of Lynch & Daly Families Aughterera

St. Patrick's:

Sunday 30th 11.15 am Mary Ellen Reilly, Church Rd, 1st Anniversary Mass
 Sunday 6th 11.15 am Jimmy Joyce, Church Rd, 4th Anniversary Mass

Visitation of Sick and Homebound—
First Friday 4th February - morning time



St. Mary's Church Results in Monthly Draw - Thank you all for your continued support

Month	1 st Prize - €100	2 nd Prize - €50	3 rd Prize - €50
Sept	K & C Kelly	P & C Delaney	J Rowley
Oct	F & T Tierney	N McCabe	B & E Brady
Nov	A & F Brady	Joe & Una Reilly	C Soroghan
Dec	G & M Ryan	P & F Stead	W & M Finnegan

- ♦ **St. Mary's N.S. Crosserlough Enrolment 2022/2023:** Enrolment packs are now available in the school for Parents seeking to enrol their child/children for the 2022/2023 school year. Please call 049 4336128 10 am - 2 pm daily or email office@crosserloughns.com for details
- ♦ **Drumkilly National School – 2022/2023** Enrolment forms can be obtained by emailing the school at office@drumkillyns.ie or by phone 049 4336517 (10am-2pm)

Feast of St. Brigid - 1st February

Feast of the Presentation of Jesus - February 2nd

Every baby boy who was a first born had to be brought to the Temple and consecrated to God. In today's story from Luke we meet two senior citizens Simeon and Anna who are not preoccupied with the past but with the future. Anna was a widow for more than 60 years. St. Luke presents both of these people as looking forward. According to Simeon Jesus will be a source of conflict in this same temple that now receives him. So we will know that there is no growth without conflict.

February 3rd Feast of St Blaise: St. Blaise was born in 280 AD in what is known as Armenia. During one of the final phases of the Roman persecution he was captured and while he was being brought off to prison a woman approached him with her young son who had a fish bone lodged in his throat. At Blaise's command the child was able to cough up the bone. When Blaise was brought before AGRICOLAUS he refused to offer a pagan sacrifice so he was suspended to a tree and his flesh was torn from him with iron combs and was then beheaded.

Entrance Hymn **Morning has broken**

Morning has broken
 like the first morning,
 Blackbird has spoken
 like the first bird.
 Praise for the singing!
 Praise for the morning!
 Praise for them,
 springing fresh from the
 word

The Clouds Veil

1. Even though the rain hides the stars,
 Even though the mist swirls the hills,
 Even when the dark clouds veil the sky,
 You are by my side.

2. Even when the sun shall fall in sleep,
 Even when at dawn the sky shall weep.

Recessional Hymn **How Great Thou Art**

O Lord my God, when I in awesome wonder consider all the works thy hands hath made
 I see the stars I hear the rolling thunder thy power throughout the universe displayed.

Then sings my soul, my saviour God to thee. How great thou art. How great thou art! Then sing my soul my saviour God to thee: How great thou art!