



PARISH PRIEST

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CONFESSIONS: Each Saturday at 5.30pm

SATURDAY VIGIL MASS:

St Malachy's @ 6.00pm

SUNDAY MORNING MASS:

St Brigid's @ 10.00am

St Teresa's @ 11.30am

NORMAL WEEKDAY MASS TIMES:

Tuesday: St Brigid's @ 10.00am

Wednesday: St Teresa's @ 10.00am

Thursday: St Malachy's @ 10.00am

First Friday Only: St Brigid's @ 7.00pm

(In the event of a Funeral, 10am Mass will be cancelled)

ADORATION:

Tuesday 7pm – 9pm & 1st Friday 6-7pm
in St Brigid's Church.

BAPTISMS:

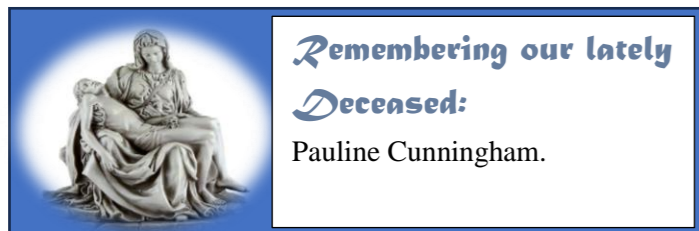
1st Saturday of the Month in St Malachy's
at 5.00pm. (Book on Parish Website)

PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Tuesday, Wednesday & Thursday
10.30am-2.30pm

SVP Helpline: 07561011117

Weekly Parish Bulletin – 15th December 2024



LOUGHGILLY PARISH ANNIVERSARIES:

Sunday 15th December – St Brigid's Church @10.00am

Kathleen McDermott

Patrick & Mary Hearty

Henry & Cissie McCooley

Maureen O'Callaghan

Sunday 15th December – St Teresa's Church @ 11.30am

Anna & John McParland

James & Mary McKeown

Lizzie, Andrew & Philip Nesbitt

Patrick O'Rourke

Bernard O'Rourke JNR & Bernard O'Rourke SNR

Alice McNally

Francie McCuskey

Saturday 21st December – St Malachy's @6.00pm

Margaret Caherty

Mary McParland

Sean McCann

Deborah McKernan

Sunday 22nd December – St Brigid's Church @10.00am

Charles McDonnell

Sunday 22nd December – St Teresa's Church @ 11.30am

Patrick O'Hanlon

PARISH COLLECTIONS

8th December - Main Collection £1528.33 - 119 Envelopes

ST VINCENT DE PAUL ANNUAL COLLECTION

Second collection last weekend raised £1300.00 which will support people in need over the coming year. Thank you on behalf of SVP for your generous support.

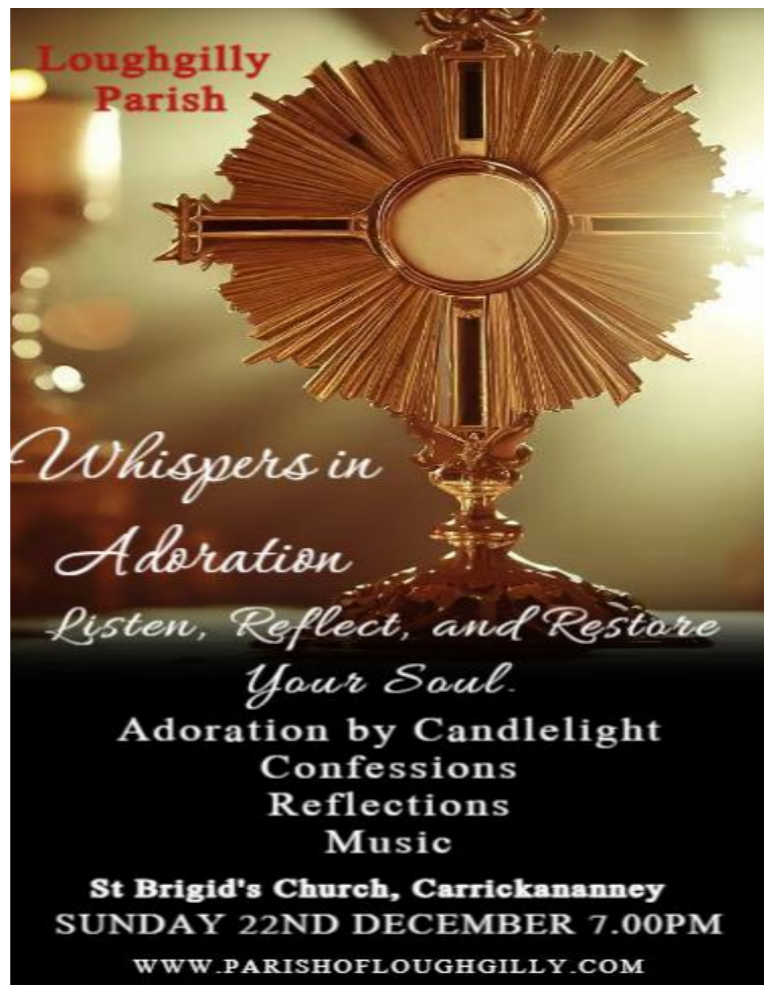
TROCAIRE CHRISTMAS GIFTS

Trocaire *Gifts of Change* have arrived and will be available to purchase in all three Churches on the weekends of, 15th and 22nd December.



CHRISTMAS POINSETTIA

Parishioner are invited to donate Poinsettia plants to our Churches, please leave them in the Church this coming week. Thank you.



Christmas Mass Bouquets & Religious Gifts
The Parish is now selling Religious items such as Medals, Baptism Candles, Rosary Beads etc from the Parish Office. Please feel free to visit the Parish Office any Tuesday, Wednesday or Thursday from 10.30am to 2.30pm.
Christmas Mass Bouquets - Cost £2.50 are available from Sacristies and Whitecross Shop.

PARISH DECEMBER DRAW

December draw will take place this coming Thursday. We ask sellers to please have returns in by Wednesday. We take this opportunity to thank all those who purchased a ticket to support the Parish. We sincerely thank our dedicated team of sellers for the huge amount of effort they put into our Draw.

Parish Bulletin

There will be NO BULLETIN on 29th December therefore please ensure all notices and anniversaries are in by this coming Wednesday to be included in our Christmas Day Bulletin.



CHRISTMAS CAROL SERVICE – CANCELLED
Due to unfortunate circumstances we have had to cancel the planned Parish Carol Service. The following Carol Service are taking place today (Sunday)
St Patrick's Cathedral - 15 December 2024 at 5.30pm, with St Patrick's Cathedral Choir.
St Joseph's Redemptorist Church Dundalk 15 December 2024 at 7.00pm.
All are welcome to either of the above Christmas Carol Services.

ANAM CARA MONTHLY PARENT SUPPORT EVENING

Anam Cara, the organisation that supports bereaved parents, will hold its monthly Parent Support Evening Wednesday 18th December at 7.30pm in Armagh City Hotel, Friary Road, Armagh.
This event is free and open to all bereaved parents regardless of the age your child died, the circumstances of their death, or how recent their death was. You do not need to register in advance. We also offer an online support group meeting. To find out more call 01 4045378 or email info@anamcara.ie



CAN YOU HELP?
As we continue to maintain and develop our Parish we do need financial support. We are therefore asking you to consider the following:
Do I have a box of Parish Envelopes – If you do not have a box of Envelopes this can be easily rectified by contacting the Parish Office.
If, perhaps because of work etc you are not able to contribute to your Parish each week perhaps you could sign up to a weekly or monthly Standing Order – the amount you specify could then be transferred regularly to the Parish.
Gift Aid – If you pay tax either from work or a pension then you can sign up for Gift Aid, just complete the form and we will do the rest. – This means that rather than your tax going totally to the government we are able to claim 25p on every £1 donated.
FORMS AVAILABLE AT THE ENTRANCE TO ALL CHURCHES.