



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: 0756101117

Weekly Parish Bulletin – 20th April 2025



LOUGHGILLY PARISH ANNIVERSARIES:

Saturday 19th April – St Malachy's Church @ 8.00pm

Holy Saturday – Mass of the Lord's Resurrection

Easter Mass Bouquet Intentions

John Cunningham

Annie & Gerard McGrory

Sunday 20th April – St Brigid's Church @ 10.00am

Easter Sunday – Easter Mass Bouquet Intentions

Colm Murphy

Shirley Finnegan

Sunday 20th April – St Teresa's Church @ 11.30am

Easter Sunday - Easter Mass Bouquet Intentions

Winnie McParland

Leroy Burton

Saturday 26th April – St Malachy's Church @ 6.00pm

Tommy & Mary Mackin

Gerard Canning

Sunday 27th April – St Brigid's Church @ 10.00am

Eugene & Teresa O'Callaghan

PARISH COLLECTIONS

13th April - Main Collection £1601.21 - 122 Envelopes

Priest Easter Dues taken up this weekend.

Thank you for your ongoing support.

PARISH ENVELOPES

New Parish Envelopes are at the back of the three Churches, please collect these this weekend. If you can not find your envelopes, please contact the Parish Office.

PARISH BANK DETAILS

Main Parish Account Details – (Weekly Envelopes)

Name: Loughgilly Parish Trust

Sort Code: - 98-11-40

Account Number: 14410270

Parish Dues Donations

Name: Loughgilly Parish Trust – Clergy Account

Sort Code: 98-11-40

Account Number: 14410437



Parishioners are asked to change

all coins from their Trocaire Boxes

into notes and place them in the Envelope provided in the Parish box of Envelopes. Please make any cheques payable to Parish of Loughgilly.



Mass
Schedule
Change

There will be
NO MASS this
coming week!



Parish of Loughgilly

The Mission of Loughgilly Parish Pastoral Council is

...
"To be aware of our Parish needs, bringing together God's people to enrich and develop our faith, so that we may reflect the image of a true disciple of Christ".

CAPTURED IN TIME



Our local churches hold a special place in our hearts. Apart from our regular services in them, we all have very personal memories of them – Christenings, Weddings, Funerals, First Communions and Confirmations – we all have our own stories of our local church. They have stood the test of time and please God, they will continue to stand proud in the landscape of our parish for many, many years to come. Parishioner and local artist, Frances McLoughlin has captured the beauty of each of our four churches in a series of captivating paintings which are simply stunning. Frances has very kindly agreed to donate prints of her paintings to the parish which we will sell as part of our fundraising efforts. The paintings will be on display in St Malachy's Church from 17th April and will be available to purchase from 28th April. These prints will hang beautifully in your home as a constant reminder of the special memories you have of your local church. They will also make special gifts for family and friends, particularly those who are no longer in our parish. We will provide more details of how to purchase in due course but in the meantime, I want to thank Frances for her kind support of our parish fundraising activities.

Browse and Purchase online at

<https://parishofloughgilly.com/captured-in-time/>

If you wish to order either Captured in Time Prints or Cards and are unable to purchase through the webpage you can call the Parish office and Payments can be taken over the phone.



Dear Parishioners,

As we rejoice in the light of the Resurrection this Easter, I want to extend my heartfelt greetings to each of you. Easter is a time of renewal and hope, reminding us that through Christ's victory over death, we are called to embrace new life and share that gift with others.

This year is particularly special for us as we celebrate a Jubilee Year of Hope across the Catholic world. It's a beautiful opportunity for each of us to reflect on our faith and how we can live it out every day. We are also engaged in a Synod focused on Youth and Family, which is a wonderful chance to connect with one another and support our younger generations.

I invite you to be a part of something truly enriching within our parish. We need volunteers, especially for our Youth Group, where over 80 young people are eager to be engaged and grow in faith. If you are between the ages of 18 and 30, I especially encourage you to consider serving as a youth worker. Your presence and guidance can make a significant impact on these young lives.

In addition, we hope to organize family fun events, a Corpus Christi Procession, and a special Mass at the Mass Rock. However, we cannot make these plans a reality without your support and involvement. Your help is vital to bringing our community together in celebration and faith.

We also need Ministers of the Word to help bring God's message to our community through the sacred readings at Mass. Your participation in these roles not only supports our parish but also deepens your own faith journey.

Let's remember that being part of our Church family is not just reserved for Christmas, Easter, or major family

celebrations like weddings and baptisms. I urge you to attend Mass regularly and engage fully in the life of our parish community throughout the year. Your presence is a treasure, and together we can strengthen our faith and support one another.

Thank you for your continued commitment to our parish and for your willingness to help us grow.

Finally, I want to thank all those who helped with our Ceremonies over the Easter Triduum, especially our Choirs, Servers, Cleaners, Sacristans, Ministers of the Word and Eucharist. May this Easter fill your hearts with joy and inspire you to spread that joy through acts of service, compassion, and love.

Wishing you all a Blessed and Peace-filled Easter!

In Christ's love,

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We are thrilled to announce that, thanks to the dedicated efforts of the Church Fundraising Group, we have secured funds to commence much-needed work on the roof of St. Laurence O'Toole's Church. The repair work will begin in the next two weeks.

In addition to these repairs, we will be seeking external funding to undertake a full restoration project for the church. As part of our preparation, we kindly ask parishioners who have the capacity to store pews to contact us. We will also need volunteers to help move the pews to their storage location.

This initiative presents an opportunity to reduce costs and ensure the restoration work can be completed as efficiently as possible. Thank you for your continued support and involvement in these efforts!