<u>BURT GAA</u> Jackpot still there folks!!! Numbers drawn were 1-2-8-19-28 Our weekly winners was Angela Clarke Bridgend \in 30 Shaun Mc Daid Drumfries \in 30 Jackpot next week now at \in 10,800 be in with a chance to win..

THE BURT INCH AND FAHAN CALENDAR

Burt Inch and Fahan calendar 2022 will be in the shops next week end. Only €5.

Proceeds go to Oncology Services LUH and Parochial Funds.

<u>PRIORY INSTITUTE</u> Online 'Theology' Open

Evening: The Priory Institute invites you to attend a short introductory lecture on theology. Open Evening takes place on Thursday 2nd Dec, at 7pm. For further info, or to register, visit: https://prioryinstitute.com/ events/priory-institute-open-evening / Email: enquiries@prioryinstitute.com / phone 003531 4048124. The Priory Institute provides online Theology courses to degree level. Attend Saturday lectures from the comfort of your own home.

PAPER RECYCLING You can now add magazines with your newspapers when you recycle them at Grant's of Burt. Bins provided. DERRY DIOCESAN SOCIETY Anyone wishing to have their deceased loved ones enrolled, please leave your details at Fahan Parochial House. The cost is €25

VOLUNTEER FOR ALONE

Would you be willing to provide companionship to an older person for 1 hour a week? ALONE are seeking volunteers in your area. Full training and support provided. If interested or would like more information, contact Catherine on catherine.gallagher@alone.ie or on 086 0753868.

SERVICE OF LIGHT The 'North West Bereaved by Suicide' Support Group is holding its annual Service of Light, on Sunday 5 December, at 5.30 pm, in the Foyle Search & Rescue HQ, Prehen, Derry. All are welcome to attend.

SAMARITANS HELPLINE NUMBER Call Free phone: 116 123, Text: 087 2 60 9090.

<u>VACANCIES</u> SCCI Community Employment Scheme require Grounds persons for local football pitches/ Youth Club Assistants and Tidy Towns workers. Please contact David Healey on 0749361264

SWILLY CEP Four positions available for work in both Cockhill and Fahan graveyards. The usual CE conditions apply. Contact Mickey 0863267443 or Niamh 0861018944

COUNSELLING: A professional confidential counselling service is available for couples or individuals through ACCORD at the Pastoral Centre, Carndonagh, Co. Donegal, F93 XP59. Contact 074 9374103 or at accordinishowen@gmail.com. THE MYSTERY UNFOLDS Advent Oasis mornings offered by Thornhill Ministries (Saturdays 27 Nov & 11 Dec: 11:00 am-12:00 noon) Led by Fr Paschal, each gentle hour helps us touch into the mystery of life and God-with-Us. To register and for zoom link contact 00447736832458 email thornhillministries@derrydiocese.org **DONEGAL HOSPICE** are offering bereavement support, call 0894402787 for further details.

THE COVID BOOSTER VACCINATION is available for the over 80's in the Buncrana Medical Centre. Please call us on 074 93 63611 to arrange appointment for same

RADIO MARIA IRELAND

Is an Irish-run Catholic Talk-Radio Station with commercial-free broadcasting of Prayer, Catechesis, Music, Talks, Interviews and Testimonies. If you are not already a follower of the station, Radio Maria Ireland encourage you to join their growing faith family! You can tune in on Digital TV -Saorview Channel 210/ Freeview or on the link:<u>www.radiomaria.ie</u>

<u>A THOUGHT...</u>Start your day with Faith and a Prayer and God will give you the strength to do what is necessary

Fahan Parish Newsletter Burt, Inch & Fahan

Weekly Collection €1579 Shrine €142 <u>Sincere Thanks</u> fahanparish@derrydiocese.org www.fahanparish.com 21st November 2021 Feast of Christ The King Fr Bradley PP 9363455 Fr Diggin 9368155 Fr Mulhern 9360151 Parish Office 9360151 (Mon-Thurs 10am-12:30pm)

A PRAYER FOR OUR COMMUNITY DURING THE MICA CRISIS

Loving God, we pray for everyone affected by the Mica Crisis. You see our crumbling homes and buildings. You hear our cries for help. You have compassion on everyone you have created.

God of justice, you call us to act justly, to love mercy and to walk humbly. As our community journeys through this dark valley, walk with us, comfort and strengthen us. You are our help in times of trouble; protect us and keep us safe.

Lord Jesus, you entered our world of suffering and carried our sorrows; you are merciful and gracious, slow to anger and abounding in love. In the midst of frustration, anger, uncertainty, fear and distress, help us to walk together, to love and care for one another, leaving no one behind. Help us to avoid hostility, rebuild trust and restore relationships.

Holy Spirit, in darkness and despair, you are our light; darkness cannot overpower you. Shine your light of truth and bring integrity and fairness into our community. We pray for those in positions of authority that they may fulfil their responsibility to protect the wellbeing of all. We pray for just and fair solutions for the restoration, rebuilding and flourishing of every person in our community.

You promise a peace that passes understanding. Bring peace to troubled hearts; bring calm to anxious minds. You are our hope! Amen

(Buncrana Churches Together)

MASS SCHEDULE

St. Aengus' Burt (churchservices.tv/burt)

Monday 22nd Nov Mass at 10am Tuesday 23rd Nov Mass at 10am Wednesday 24th Nov Mass at 7.30pm Mass for the Dead Thursday 25th Nov Mass at 10am

Weekend Mass Times

Saturday 27th Nov Mass at 6pm James & Mary Gallagher Sunday 28th Nov Mass at 11.15am William & Molly Sweeney

St Mura's Church, Fahan

(churchservices.tv/fahan)

Friday 26th Nov Mass at 10am Eileen Hegarty Saturday 27th Nov Mass at 7.30pm Bernadette Doherty (4th Anniversary) Sunday 28th Nov Mass at 11am

<u>Chapel of Ease, Fahan</u> Sunday 28th Nov Mass at 9am

Our Lady of Lourdes, Inch Sunday 28th Nov Mass at 10am

A GENTLE REMINDER THAT THE PARISH NEEDS YOUR SUPPORT

In order to allow people to contribute to the parish, a Collection Box has now been secured in *St Mura's Church, Fahan*. We have also placed collection boxes in a number of commercial premises around the parish at the following locations:
Post Office, Bridgend; Post Office, Speenogue; Callaghan's Filling Station, Burt Tourish's Spar Shop, Burnfoot; Bradley's Filling Station, Fahan Please help the parish at this time by putting your weekly collection envelopes and donations in the boxes provided. Please ask the staff for assistance.
You are also welcome to leave your envelopes/donations into the Parish Office at Fahan Parochial House 10.00am-12.30pm Mon-Thurs.
The parish really needs your financial support at this time.
We are very thankful to the various premises for accommodating us in this way at this time. Father Bradley

Readings for Feast of Christ the King

First Reading. We step out of time and into eternity in today's liturgy. People of Faith and Love long to see what is here spoken of, the installation of Christ victorious for eternity. And 'Holiness is fitting to his (your) house, O Lord, until the end of time.' Our joy will be unqualified and complete.

Second Reading. It is hard to imagine everyone mourning over Him whom they (we) pierced. One explanation is that 'on the last day' both the evil of mankind and the full beauty of what God planned from all eternity, put together and achieved in Christ, will be made clear.

Gospel. Perhaps nowhere in the Gospel account does Jesus' divine kingship shine out through his humanity so clearly and strongly as it does in this exchange with Pilate. Jesus's kingdom is 'in' this world but not 'of' it. St Augustine asks, 'What is his kingdom but (except) those who believe in him?' Jesus came' to witness to the truth; and all who on the side of truth listen to my voice.' St Augustine again: 'But whoever is born again of Christ has become a kingdom that is no longer of this world. For God has delivered us from the power of darkness, and translated us into the kingdom of the son of his Love. (Col 1:3)'

Deaths

Your prayers are asked for Margaret Coyle, 30 Whitehouse Park, Derry and

Sr Finian Hegarty, Sister Of Mercy, Grange, Inch Island

who died recently and for their family and friends saddened by their loss

SAFEGUARDING NOTICE:

If you have any concerns with regards to Safeguarding Children or adults in need of protection within the Church please contact Marie Gormley, the Diocesan Designated Liaison Person (DLP) at 0044 7596500793, or at the Safeguarding Office, Diocesan Pastoral centre, 164 Bishop Street BT48 6UJ 048 71362475 or Garda Síochána, Buncrana 074 9320540 Letterkenny HQ 074 9123672 or TUSLA Family & Child Agency Buncrana 074 9320420 or Letterkenny 074 9123672

ANNUAL MASSES FOR THE DEAD

The celebration of Requiem Mass for our Dead takes place on <u>Wednesday 24th November</u> at 7.30pm in St Aengus' church, Burt for those who died from November 2019 – October 2021. All welcome to attend.

A collection will be taken up at this Mass for the upkeep of the Graveyards

JOB OPPORTUNITY Junior Pastoral Ministry Co-ordinator (Youth) Parish of Templemore: St Eugene's & St Columba's, Derry 20 hours per week (inc. evenings &weekends) possibility of extension to 35 hrs per week 1-yr Fixed Term Contract possibility of extension **Housekeeper** 10 hrs per week (possibility of extension to 12 hrs per week Long Tower Parochial House, Derry For a job description & application form Write: Personnel, Derry Diocesan Office, St Eugene's Cathedral, Francis Street, Derry, BT48 9AP Email:payroll@derrydiocese.org Phone: 048 7126 2302 Derry Diocesan Trust is an Equal Opportunities Employer. We welcome applications from all men and women and from members of all communities.

ADORATION IN ST MURA'S PARISH CHURCH will take place each Friday after the 10am Mass. "Can you not come and watch one hour with ME". All Welcome!

<u>COUNSELLING</u> A professional confidential counselling service is available for couples or individuals through ACCORD at the Pastoral Centre, Carndonagh, Co. Donegal, F93 XP59. Contact 074 93 74103 or e-mail <u>accordinishowen@gmail.com</u>

COMPASSIONATE CULTURAL NETWORK ART WORKSHOPS Every Wednesday 12.30pm - 3pm at St Mary's Hall, Buncrana. A new arts programme by Irish Hospice Foundation, funded by Creative Ireland, where people can explore "loss" creatively. Participants will be assisted to develop memory books and try out a variety of art processes. Pop in at any time or attend on a weekly basis.

<u>ST AENGUS' NATIONAL SCHOOL</u> Enrolments are now being taken for the school year 2021/2022. If you wish to enrol your child for September, please contact the school 074 93 68352 or www.staengusbridgend.com

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION 2022 First Holy Communion for 2nd Class children in St Mura's NS Tooban will take place on *Saturday 14th May 2022*. First Holy Communion for 2nd Class Children in St Aengus' NS Bridgend will take place on *Saturday 28th May 2022*.

CONFIRMATION 2022

Confirmation for our sixth class children will take place on Saturday 4th June 2022.

<u>**THE NET-**</u> November 2021Sharing the fruits of the faith in the Derry Diocese, November edition of '*The Net*' is now available on the Diocesan websit -<u>https://www.derrydiocese.org/news/the-net-november-2021</u> For coverage of faith stories just email *editor-thenet15@gmail.com*.

PRIVACY NOTICE:

The Diocese of Derry complies with GDPR regulations. A Privacy Notice is available on the Parish Website or by contacting The Parish Office. Live stream and recordings of Mass and Services in St Mura's Church and St Aengus' are available online. Parishioners should note that the first two rows of seats are visible online for both Churches.