

*We remember all
those who died
recently.*

*Michael Devlin
Catherine Brophy*



*We give our loved ones
back to you, O Lord;
and just as you did not
lose them in the giving,
so we do not lose them
in returning them to
you.*

Do you have a neighbour
who is housebound?
Or do you know someone
who might like to hear what
is going on in the Parish

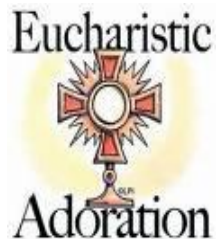
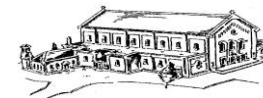
We would like you to pass
this Newsletter on to them
Also, if you know someone,
who would like to have Holy
Communion brought to them
in their home, please contact
the Parish Office.



*A copy of the Newsletter can
also be downloaded from the
Parish website.
www.mourneroad.ie*

Parish of Our Lady of Good Counsel, Mourne Road, Drimnagh

Pastoral Area Crumlin /Mourne Rd. /Clogher Rd *ALL SAINTS* 1st November 2015



*Eucharistic Adoration
takes place
Monday to Friday
10.30 a.m. to 5 p.m.
in the Oratory.*

*Would you like to spend a
little time alone with the
Lord in quiet prayer? If you
have an hour to spare please
leave your name into the
Parish Office.*

**1st Saturday –
7th November**

**Devotions to Our Lady
of Fatima**

**Take place after the the
10.00a.m. Mass**



**Commemorative
Candles**
*are available at
all Masses
throughout the
month of
November
Offering €1*

**MASS TIMES: SUNDAY: Vigil, 6.30p.m, 9.00a.m.,
10.30a.m. (Family Mass) & 12 noon Choir
7.00p.m. Pastoral Area Mass St. Agnes, Crumlin
10.00a.m. MONDAY – SATURDAY
Morning Prayer: 9.40a.m. each morning.
Confessions after 10.00a.m. Mass Saturdays or on request.**

Legion of Mary Group meet every Tuesday at 2.30p.m. in the church
Meeting Room.

Eucharistic Prayer – Every Friday 2.30–3.30p.m. in the Oratory

Please pray for the Children and their Families as
they participate in the 'Do This in Memory'
programme over the coming months at our 10.30
Family Mass. *If you wish your child to celebrate
these Sacraments next year and haven't enrolled
them please contact the Parish Office as soon as
possible.*



PARISH LOTTO

Development Fund

There was no winner of last week's Jackpot.

Numbers 14 15 22 31

Congratulations to last week's winners of the three €20 Prizes

Next week's Jackpot will be €500.00.

The Draw takes place on Tuesday morning after 10 a.m. Mass in the Church Tearoom.

**Entries for the Lotto draw each week must be put into the safe
in the church by 11.00a.m. on Mondays.**

All are welcome to attend the draw.

Parish Office Opening Hours

9.15a.m. to 1.00p.m. & 2.00p.m. to 5.00p.m. Monday - Wednesday

9.15a.m. to 1.00p.m. Thursday & Friday (Closed both afternoons)

Contact: Phone 4556105 Email: mourneroadparish@eircom.net

Website: www.mourneroad.ie.

w/e 24th /25th October 2015

Church Collections

1st Priests €972.00

2nd Collection: €836.00

**Envelope Collection
€1683.00**

First Friday – 6th November

The 10.00a.m. Mass will be
offered for all those on the
Altar List of the Dead.

**Taize Prayer around the
Cross**

at 8.00p.m. in the Oratory.
All are welcome.



**Church
Art
Calendars
2016**
*Available from
the Parish
Office.
€2.00 each*

Mass Times for St. Agnes
Weekdays 9, 10am & 7pm
Saturday Vigil @ 7.00pm
Sunday 9.30 am, 11am, 12.30pm
& 7 p.m. Pastoral Area Evening
Mass

**Mass Times for
Clogher Road**
Weekdays 10.00am
Saturday Vigil @ 7.00pm
Sunday 10.00am & 12.00 noon



St. Agnes Church, Crumlin

PARISH MISSION

Monday 2nd – Friday 6th November

"A great opportunity to find meaning in our lives"

Given by St. Patrick's Community

Masses: Monday – Friday 10am

Mission Evenings: Monday-Friday 7.00pm

www.crumlinparish.ie



November Altar List of the Dead Envelopes may be left in the Parish Office or in the church safe or given to one of the priests.



From: **THE CATECHISM OF THE CATHOLIC CHURCH III. The Final Purification, or Purgatory 1030**

All who die in God's grace and friendship, but still imperfectly purified, are indeed assured of their eternal salvation; but after death they undergo purification, so as to achieve the holiness necessary to enter the joy of heaven. ¹⁰³¹ The Church gives the name *Purgatory* to this final purification of the elect, which is entirely different from the punishment of the damned. ⁶⁰⁶ The Church formulated her doctrine of faith on Purgatory especially at the Councils of Florence and Trent. The tradition of the Church, by reference to certain texts of Scripture,



speaks of a cleansing fire: ⁶⁰⁷ (954, 1472)

As for certain lesser faults, we must believe that, before the Final Judgment, there is a purifying fire. He who is truth says that whoever utters blasphemy against the Holy Spirit will be pardoned neither in this age nor in the age to come. From this sentence we understand that certain offenses can be forgiven in this age, but certain others in the age to come. ⁶⁰⁸

1032 This teaching is also based on the practice of prayer for the dead, already mentioned in Sacred Scripture: "Therefore [Judas Maccabeus] made atonement for the dead, that they might be delivered from their sin." ⁶⁰⁹ From the beginning the Church has honored the memory of the dead and offered prayers in suffrage for them, above all the Eucharistic sacrifice, so that, thus purified, they may attain the beatific vision of God. ⁶¹⁰ The Church also commends almsgiving, indulgences, and works of penance undertaken on behalf of the dead: (958, 1371, 1479) Let us help and commemorate them. If Job's sons were purified by their father's sacrifice, why would we doubt that our offerings for the dead bring them some consolation? Let us not hesitate to help those who have died and to offer our prayers for them. ⁶¹¹



November - Month of the Holy Souls Many people choose to abstain from alcohol for the month of November and offer this prayerful act in honour of their deceased loved ones and for someone they know or love with an addiction. Take the short-term pledge for November. www.pioneerassociation.ie or contact (353) 1 8749464. Small fee applies for certificate and emblem.

Annual Pioneer Mass and Re-Union at the Pro-Cathedral on Sunday 29th November 2015. Mass at 3.00p.m. Followed by Dinner/Social in the Gresham Hotel. For Pioneers and Friends. Subscription €30.00, Dinner/Social incl. (tickets limited). Tickets are available from the Parish Office.

Our Lady's Hall - Christmas Dinner & Dance, 4 Course sit-down meal, Saturday 28th November at 7.30p.m. sharp. Music by "The Good Times". Tickets: €30.00. Available from the Parish Office. Our Lady's Hall - Film Night 'Some like it Hot' Saturday 7th November at 7.30p.m. Admission €5.00. Tickets available at the door. All welcome. Tea & Biscuits afterwards. Our Lady's Hall - Beginners Ballroom Dancing Lessons start next Wednesday evening 8-9.15p.m.

Autumn Lecture Programme at the Central Catholic Library Tuesday 3rd November with Fr Seán McDonagh SCC: 'Laudato Si - does it contain new teaching on the environment?' Tuesday 17th November with Dr Mary Ann Bolger: 'Mass Production - the curious history of altar bread manufacture in Ireland'. Tuesday 1st December with Fr Brian Doyle OP: 'The Journey of a Poet - the influence of Christianity on the poetry of T.S. Eliot'. 6.30pm each evening at the Central Catholic Library, 74 Merrion Square, Dublin 2. Tel: 01 676 1264 | Web: www.catholiclibrary.ie

Living with Loss An information evening for the public about bereavement with guest speaker Jane McKenna (founder of The LauraLynn Children's Hospice Foundation). November is traditionally a month for remembrance. This Irish Hospice Foundation event aims to provide information about grief and the range of supports available to bereaved people. Free public event on Thursday 5th November, 5.30pm-8.00pm at the Alexander Hotel, 41-47 Fenian Street, Dublin 2. The evening will open at 5.30pm with a formal introduction. There will also be an opportunity to chat to voluntary bereavement support services about the supports they provide. During the evening Jane McKenna will address the gathering and speak on the theme 'Living with Loss'.

Transitioning through Life – Bloomfield Hospital, Stocking Lane, Rathfarnham. Tuesday 3rd November at 7.30p.m. **The Sandwich Generation** - Caring for yourself when you are caring for others. Ms Sarah Carter – Occupational Therapy Manager – Bloomfield Health Service.

Tuesday 10th November at 7.30p.m. **Memory Loss** – What's normal, what's not! Dr. Andrea Higgins – Senior Neuropsychologist – Bloomfield Health Service Tel: 4950021 www.bloomfield.ie info@bloomfield.ie