

PARISH OF INISHMAGRATH

Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

6th February 2022

Fr Tom McManus – 964 8025

Neighbouring Priests: Fr T Mannion 964 3014 - Fr P Casey 916 4143 -

Fr Loughlain Carolan 985 3012

Masses

Sat 5th Feb	8:00pm	Tarmon	
Sun 6th Feb	10:00am	Creevelea	
Sun 6th Feb	11:15am	Drumkeeran	Kathleen McHugh.
Mon 7th Feb	7:00pm	Drumkeeran	Annie & John Feely.
Tues 8th Feb	10:00am	Drumkeeran	
Wed 9th Feb	10:00am	Creevelea	
Thurs 10th Feb	10:00am	Drumkeeran	
Fri 11th Feb	7:00pm	Tarmon	
Sat 12th Feb	8:00pm	Tarmon	
Sun 13th Feb	10:00am	Creevelea	
Sun 13th Feb	11:15am	Drumkeeran	

Remember:

1. Sanitise your hands at the door.
2. Wear a face mask all the time, **covering nose AND mouth.**
3. Keep the 2m distance.

Pray for: Dennis Worswick whose funeral took place on Sat 5 Feb in St Brigid's Church, Drumkeeran. May he rest in peace.

Sacraments 2022: Confirmations will be held on **Sun 15 May** at 3:00pm. Communion will be held on **Sun 22 May** at 11:15am Mass.

Collections: Thank you for your contributions in 2021, in order to claim back funds for the Parish from Revenue under the Charitable Donations Scheme, can each person who contributes in the Parish please ensure we have your PPSN and address including Eircode. You can do this by emailing the office at newsletter@inishmagrath.com, fill in a 'Confirmation of Details' form available to download from our website or pop a note through the letterbox at the Parochial House as soon as possible please. If you require a receipt for your donations, please use the same methods to contact the secretary.

Finance Committee Meeting: Will be held on Tues 8 Feb in the Parochial House. Members; Seamus Duignan, Ina Keane, Jim McGee, Thomas McHugh, Declan Flynn, Marie McMorrough, Angela Spurway, Fr. Tom.

Seeing your life through the lens of the Gospel

Luke 5:1-11

- + Jesus invites Peter to put out the net again, and Peter does so though he thinks it is pointless. When have you felt it was pointless to stick with a task, but did so nonetheless and been surprised with the results? We never know when our efforts are going to bear fruit.
- + "Push out into the deep" the invitation is to go out into unfamiliar waters, where we are not sure what will happen, where we feel uneasy, and our safety is not assured. When have you responded positively to that kind of an invitation and got positive results you did not expect?
- + The story gives us a glimpse of what prepared the disciples to follow Jesus. They were helped by the compassion and concern of Jesus (cured Peter's Mother-in-law); attracted by His work and teaching; and witnessed the power of God at work through Him. This led them to 'leave everything and follow Him'. Who, or what, influenced you in making key decisions in your life? Who was Jesus for you in those situations?

John Byrne OSA

St Brigid's NS, Drumkeeran: We are now open for enrolment for the 2022/23 academic year. Please contact the school for an enrolment form via email at drumkeerinns@gmail.com or call 071 964 8314.

Job Advert: Employment opportunity at the Sanctuary of St Patrick, Lough Derg, Pettigo, Co Donegal. Applications are invited for an Operations Manager which is a key leadership role in delivering the Mission and Vision of Lough Derg, responsible for the smooth running of all day to day operational activities at the pilgrimage centre. For further details and Application Pack contact Mary at +353 7198 61518 or mary@loughderg.org

Manorhamilton I.C.A: A.G.M. will be held on Thurs 10 Feb, 7:30-9:30pm in Sexton's House (beside Masterson NS, Church Lane). We are also looking for new members. Activities to date; card making, cookery class, swimming, carol singing, wreath making, Zumba, health talks, Pat Shortt Show and meals out. Open to every age from grandmother's to mothers to daughters and friends because we are all friends in this group only some of us may not have met yet.