



St. Eunan's Church,
Raphoe



St. Patrick's Church,
Drumkeen



St. Mary's Church,
Convoys

NEWSLETTER RAPHOE PARISH

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Sunday 25 February 2024

Monday

Raphoe: 7am Mass
Raphoe: after Mass: Morning Prayer
Raphoe: 9am: Mass
Convoys: 2pm: Rosary
Raphoe: 7pm: Divine Mercy Holy Hour
Raphoe: 8pm: Holy Hour

Tuesday

Raphoe: 7am Mass
Raphoe: after Mass: Morning Prayer
Raphoe: 9am: Mass
Drumkeen: 10am: Mass (Parish Benefactors)
Drumkeen: Noon—9pm: Adoration
Raphoe 6pm: Evening Prayer

Wednesday

Raphoe: 7am Mass
Raphoe: after Mass: Morning Prayer
Convoys: 9am: Mass (Sarah Harkin, Mary Boner RIP)
Convoys: 2.15pm: Mass: Brimley Manor Nursing Home
Raphoe: Adoration 9.30am – 9pm

Thursday

Raphoe: 7am Mass
Raphoe: after Mass: Morning Prayer
Raphoe: 9am: Mass
Drumkeen: 10am: Mass
Convoys: 2.15pm: Mass: Brentwood Nursing
Convoys: Noon-6pm: Adoration
Convoys: Parochial House: 8pm: Legion of Mary

Friday

Raphoe: 7am Mass
Raphoe: after Mass: Morning Prayer
Convoys: 8.40am; Rosary
Convoys: 9am Mass followed by blessing with Padre Pio Relic
Convoys: 10am: Confirmation Practice
Drumkeen: 2pm: Prayer in Reparation
Raphoe: 7.30pm: Mass (Mark Quinn MMM; Owen McGinley, Rosetta and Paddy Cassidy, RIP)

Saturday:

Convoys: 9.30am: Divine Mercy Prayers
Convoys: 10.30am Confessions
Drumkeen: 12.30pm: Baptism
Convoys: 6pm: Mass (Denis Duffy MMM; Paddy McConalogue RIP)
Drumkeen: 7.30pm: Mass (Terry Leyden MMM; Nancy and William Tinney, Paddy and Decky Wells and the Murphy Family RIP)
Drumkeen: After Mass: Confessions
Raphoe: 7.30pm: Mass (Martin Mangan RIP)
Raphoe: After Mass: Confessions

Sunday

Convoys: 9.30am: Mass
Drumkeen: 9.30am: Mass (Paddy and Mary B O'Brien RIP)
Raphoe: 11am: Mass (Margaret Crawford RIP)
Convoys: 1.00pm: Confirmation
Drumkeen: 1pm Latin Mass

Second Sunday of Lent

Almighty God, to whom all hearts are open, all desires known, and from whom no secrets are hidden: cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love you, and worthily magnify your holy name; through Christ our Lord. Amen.

Eucharistic Miracles of the World

an international exhibition designed and created
by Blessed Carlo Acutis



Drumkeen

Wednesday 13 March
Thursday 14 March
Friday 15 March

Our opportunity to learn more about the Eucharist. Let us take the opportunity.

There will be a Mass of Thanksgiving with Bishop McGuckian on Monday 26 February at 7pm in St. Eunan's Cathedral, Letterkenny, to mark his departure from the Diocese. Mass will be followed by refreshments at Loreto Secondary School, behind the Cathedral. If you would like to help with practicalities or by preparing baked goods, please contact Mary on 086 0870446.

There will be an International Exhibition of the Miracles of the Eucharist compiled by Blessed Carlo Acutis in St. Patrick's Hall, Drumkeen from Wednesday 13 to Friday 15 March inclusive. There will also be three days of prayer in St Patrick's Church and a relic of Blessed Carlo will be present.

There will be a Diocesan Vocations Retreat from Friday 8 to Sunday March in Drumalis Retreat Centre, Larne. Is God calling you to the Priesthood? Take the Risk for Christ. For more information email Fr Rory Brady-vocations@raphoediocese.ie

There will be the World Day of Prayer in Convoy Presbyterian Church on Friday 1 March at 7pm.

The Enduring Certificates (CHY3) are being sent back and we thank everyone for this. If you have not signed your certificate, please sign it and drop it back to us. These the Enduring Certificates can be a great benefit to the parish. The Enduring Certificate is for anyone who has donated €250 or more to the parish in a financial year. We thank all who contribute to the parish and are grateful for the ongoing support. If you have not received an Enduring Certificate and feel that you should have please let us know using the address or phone number above.

The Mary's Meals Church Gate Collection will take place on Saturday 2 and Sunday 3 March.

Mary's Meals are happy to announce their ART SALE which will take place in the beautiful hamlet of Frosses on Saturday 9 and Sunday 10 March. Over one hundred and fifty paintings have been donated to Mary's Meals and any one of them would make a lovely present for a loved one. We gratefully acknowledge the work and generosity of all the artists and hopefully we will be able to enjoy lovely paintings in our homes from now on. Everybody is invited. As always Mary's Meals deeply appreciates your kindness and support.

I started out with nothing and I still have most of it.

Donegal ETB's 2024 Further Education and Training Fair in the Radisson Blu Hotel, Letterkenny on Wednesday 28th February, from 7.00-9.00pm and Thursday 29th February from 10am to 2pm. The Fair is free and open to everyone who would like information on the wide range of full time, part-time, evening and online education and training opportunities offered by Donegal ETB's FET Service. Tutors and advisers will be available to talk through the ETB's comprehensive range of opportunities.

The Raphoe Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes 2024 will depart from Derry on Monday 27 May for four nights. The cost is €835 per person in the Agena Hotel or €879 per person in the Panorama Hotel. There is a single room supplement of €39 per night. All bookings should be made through Joe Walsh Tours directly on 01 2410800. Anyone wishing to travel with the Special Assisted Section should apply in writing to: Raphoe Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes, Parochial House, Milford, Co Donegal, F92 W5C8. Email lourdes@raphoediocese.ie or phone 074 9153236 for further information. The assisted/sick section is accommodated at the Accueil. Acceptance for travel with the special section for the sick is subject to approval of the Raphoe Pilgrimage Medical Board.

There is a Holy Hour which focuses on Divine Mercy every Monday at 7pm in St Eunan's Church, Raphoe

THE SCHEDULE FOR THE EXHIBITION OF BLESSED CARLO ACUTIS AT ST PATRICK'S DRUMKEEN IS:

Wednesday 13 March, Thursday 14 March, Friday 15 March

- Exhibition: 11am-8pm (Friday 10am to 5pm)
- Eucharistic Rosary: 11am
- Adoration: 11am -3pm
- Mass, and talk 10am and 7pm
- Video will run throughout the day until 7pm (Friday 5pm)
- Holy Hour: 3pm-4pm

Please tell others. Please share about the visit of the Exhibition on your social media. Please make the most of this great opportunity and privilege that is given to us. Please invite schools, clubs, organisations and all.