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MASS TIMES FOR NEXT WEEK

Sunday: St Patrick's 9.30am
St Mary's Saturday Vigil 6.30pm and Sunday 11.30am
Daily Mass: St Patrick's Monday to Thursday 9.30am & Saturday 9.30am
Friday 7.30pm (Mass on Fridays for all deceased)
Daily Rosary at 9.10am
Daily Mass: St Mary's Wednesday 7.30pm and Friday 10.00am
Confessions: Daily after Morning Mass (except Sunday and Holydays) and
St Mary's 7pm -Wednesday (before Evening Mass) also Saturday 11am/12Noon
and 5.30pm/6.15pm (before 6.30pm Vigil Mass)
❖ Cheques should be made payable to Maghera Parish
❖ If you wish to set up a Standing Order, forms are available at the Pastoral Centre too.

Please note - The Diocese has requested that all parishioners should wear a mask when attending the church for private prayer and Mass.

SPIRITUAL COMMUNION - My Jesus, I believe that you are present in the Most Holy Sacrament. I love you above all things and I desire to receive you into my soul. Since I cannot at this moment receive you sacramentally, come at least spiritually into my heart. I embrace you now as if you were already there and I unite myself wholly to you. Never permit me to be separated from you. **AMEN**

ANNUAL KNOCK NOVENA – in August is cancelled this year due to Covid. Hopefully it will take place next year.

FIRST WORLD DAY FOR GRANDPARENTS AND THE ELDERLY

Pope Francis has established a World Day for Grandparents and the Elderly for the first time this Sunday 25 July on the theme:

“I am with you always” (Mt 28:20) Throughout his Papacy, Pope Francis has reminded us to value the many gifts of grandparents and the Elderly. It is a timely reminder for the whole church to be close to all the elderly especially at this time of Pandemic.

JULY MESSENGERS – are now available in both churches

ENVELOPE COLLECTION Thank you for last week's weekly collection of £2,485.00 and Peter's Pence collection of £1,300.00 which has now been forwarded to Diocesan Office. We thank you also for your continued generosity and support to the church and for bringing your envelopes and donations to the church and Pastoral Centre particularly in these difficult times. May your generosity be rewarded.

*Congratulations to Professor Dan Bradley from Glen, on winning the Royal Irish Academy Gold Medal in the Life Sciences.
Professor Bradley is a globally recognised pioneer in ancient genomics research.*

LOUGH DERG The Lough Derg Pilgrim Path on the lough shore is now open daily. The full route is a 12km loop, with a shorter option, and several boards highlight features of particular interest. A guided walk experience will be offered on Sunday 25 July and Saturday 31 July with Mass outdoors. For booking info@loughderg.org or Tel 00353 71 9861518

ACCORD If you need to speak, to an experienced couples & Relationships counsellor during this time of unprecedented stress and pressure on family life, please contact 028 9568 0151. This is a free helpline service operating from 9am to 8pm, Monday to Friday. All calls charged at local rate.

PRAYER OF TRUST

Preserve me God, I take refuge in you.
My happiness lies in you alone.
You are my portion and my cup, you yourself are my prize
I keep you ever in my sight, even at night you direct my heart.
With you at my right hand, I shall stand firm.
And so my heart rejoices, my soul is glad.
For you will not leave my soul among the dead,
nor let your beloved know decay.
You will show me the path of life,
the fullness of joy in your presence,
at your right hand happiness for ever.

GLENVIEW PRE SCHOOL NEEDS YOU

Glenview Pre-School provides so much, To our little ones, a caring touch. In order for this facility to survive, we need local support to help it thrive. Friendships made and happy years, we don't want it all to end in tears. Some help from you, is all we ask. I'm sure you can help with many a task. A role on the committee or a silent part, this facility needs you at the heart. Please if you can help us at all, just email or give the number below a call: Tel. 028 79645456 glenviewpscommittee@outlook.com

NEW PARISH FACEBOOK PAGE - www.facebook.com/magheraparisht

It's a useful way to stay up to date with all our parish events. Please hit the 'Follow' button and we would be grateful if you could like and share our posts.

GLEN GAC Website www.wattygrahamsgac.com

Lotto Nos 27:43:39:30: No winner. Next week £12,500

Three winners of £50 each –

Philomena Bradley, Tadhgáin Flanagan and Paul McCloskey