

# The Church of St. MacNissi

33<sup>rd</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time  
WORLD DAY OF THE POOR  
13 & 14 November

**SUNDAY MASS** Saturday 6pm Vigil & 10.00am

## WEEKDAY MASSES

Tuesday 7.00pm Wednesday – Friday 9.30am

## Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament

Mon – Fri 10.00am -12noon

To access our parish liturgical services on web cam [www.mcnmedia.tv](http://www.mcnmedia.tv) go to

'Northern Ireland' – Antrim-Randalstown'

## FEAST DAYS this week

**Mon 15<sup>th</sup> November** St Albert the Great

**Tues 16<sup>th</sup> Nov** St Margaret of Scotland. St Gertrude

**Wed 17<sup>th</sup> Nov** St Elizabeth of Hungary

**Thurs 18<sup>th</sup> Nov**

Dedication of Basilicas of Sts Peter & Paul

**RECENTLY DECEASED;** Martin McVeigh

**MONTHS MIND;** Chris O'Boyle 6.pm

## ANNIVERSARIES;

Declan McKay, Bernie McKee Sunday 10.00am

John Callaghan Loughran, Margaret Mullan,

John Mullan, Malachy Robb, Noel McQuillan

John Kathleen O'Boyle Teresa McNally,

Joe Hamilton, Terry Rooney, Patsy McMullan,

Tommy Joe Gilligan, Susan McAteer, Leo Robb

Cornelius O'Hagan, Dessie Lynch,

Kathleen O'Hara, Elizabeth Butler,

## INTENTIONS;

Creggan Deceased Members Tues 16<sup>th</sup> Nov 7pm

Imelda McTeague (1<sup>st</sup> Ann) Sat. 20<sup>th</sup> Nov 6.pm

## EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS

21/11/2021	Mary Gately Vincent O'Connell Brian Fitzsimons	Colin McIlmunn Gerard McBride Fiona McKeown
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## MINISTERS OF THE WORD

21/11/2021	Liz Carey	Frank Devenny
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## ACT OF SPIRITUAL COMMUNION

My Jesus, I believe that You are present in the Most Holy Sacrament of the altar. .I love You above all things and I desire to receive you into my soul. Since I cannot receive you sacramentally, come spiritually into my heart. I embrace You - **already there** and unite myself to You. Never permit me to be separated from You

## RANDALSTOWN APOSTOLIC WORK

Annual Church Door and Honorary Membership this weekend;

**Saturday 13<sup>th</sup> and Sunday 14<sup>th</sup> November**

We also welcome Direct Debits to support our work abroad.

In anticipation --sincere thanks for your generosity.

## BAPTISM, WEDDINGS, FUNERALS AND ANNIVERSARY bookings contact; PARISH OFFICE;

Mon – Fri 028 9447 2103

**EMAIL;** [randalstown@downandconnor.org](mailto:randalstown@downandconnor.org)

**WEBSITE;** [www.stmacnissirandalstown.com](http://www.stmacnissirandalstown.com)

**PAROCHIAL HOUSE;** 028 9447 2640

**IN ANY EMERGENCY;** Fr John 078343 83314

## PARISH COLLECTION £1478

Thank you for your continued generosity.

To set up a Standing Order

Account name **Church of St MacNissi**

Sort Code **95-04-31**

A/c number **1100 0861** your name.

Current envelope no. if you have one

## S.V.P. PARISH HELPLINE

**☎ 0750 8549606**

**Facebook** <http://www.facebook.com/SaintMacNissi>

**Twitter** Follow us @StMacNissi

## CHURCH CLEANING TEAM

Week beginning 15/11/2021 - Team 3

Volunteers Please contact Anne McKee

07811361110

## TROCAIRE EAST AFRICA APPEAL

A major hunger crisis, affecting up to 50 million extremely vulnerable people, is unfolding in East Africa. Climate change has led to drought, floods and locust infestation, compounded by the Covid-19 crisis and ongoing conflict. You can donate either on line at [www.trocaire.org](http://www.trocaire.org) or post a cheque (payable to "Trocaire") to the parish office It will be forwarded by the diocese to 'Trocaire' immediately. Sincere appreciation to parishioners who have already donated.

**SOCIAL DISTANCING  
AND**

**WEARING OF FACEMASKS**

*...in the interests of the common good and for everyone's well-being Bishop Noel asks that the wearing of Face coverings while in the Church be maintained.*

**ALCOHOL AWARENESS WEEK  
16 – 22<sup>ND</sup> NOVEMBER 2021**

Al-Anon offering Family support for those affected by alcoholism. Local people, from all backgrounds are being urged to think about their drinking as we approach Alcohol Awareness Week. Al-Anon wishes to remind the community that help is available for anyone who needs it.

In Northern Ireland there are 48 Al-Anon groups, and more than 700 Al-Anon Family Groups throughout the UK and the Republic of Ireland. They provide support to anyone whose life is, or has been affected by someone else drinking.

A spokesperson said "Whatever your story, you can expect to be warmly welcomed, and not judged or pressurised in any way. Anything discussed within an Al-Anon meeting is treated as confidential, including your presence at the meeting.

There are no charge fees for membership or attending meetings as Al-Anon is funded solely through members own voluntary donations and a collection will normally be held at each meeting.

Meetings usually last an hour and a half.

"You don't need to speak at a meeting unless you are comfortable doing so" said a spokesperson. "You can sit and listen."

'Al-Anon is a spiritual fellowship. Members of any faith or none are welcome, and they make a point of discouraging talking about specific religious beliefs'

All meetings are listed on the website [www.al-anonuk.org.uk](http://www.al-anonuk.org.uk), or you can call our Confidential Helpline on 02890682368 10am – 1pm or 6pm – 10pm.

**ADVENT RETREAT:**

"And the Word became flesh and dwelt among us" Fr Perry Gildea CM Friday, 10-Sunday 12 Dec 2021 will reflect on the various ways that God comes to us, speaks to us, invites us and remains with us, especially during these days of pandemic.

For information or to book a place, contact Drumalis - tel 28272196/28276455 (during office hours, Mon-Fri 9 am – 5 pm) or website – <http://www.drumalis.co.uk>

**THE JAM FOODSTORE** provides essential food stuffs for needy families. The different religious traditions in our town work together and the distribution point is at the Presbyterian centre on New Street. **OPEN THURSDAY 18<sup>TH</sup> NOVEMBER 10am – 12noon**



**BLOOD TRANSFUSION SERVICE**

We are very happy to welcome back this vital service which serves the whole community

The next session is on  
3<sup>rd</sup> December in our Parish Centre

**KICKHAMS GAC CREGGAN LOTTO RESULTS**

Wednesday 10<sup>th</sup> Nov

**WINNING LETTERS A F G U**

**£25 DRAW WINNERS**

There was no Jackpot winner

£25 winners were **Dervla Dougan & Gerry Small.**

**Next week's jackpot is £1200**

Tickets are available online

[Kichamscreggangac.com](http://Kichamscreggangac.com), at local outlets or usual ticket sellers. Next draw is **Wed 17<sup>th</sup> Nov 2021.**

**TIR NA NOG G.A.C. DRAW RESULTS**

Tuesday 9<sup>th</sup> Nov 2021

**WINNING NUMBERS ; 3 8 13 17**

**£25 WINNERS;** Alisha Mulholland, John Carroll, Tony, Griffin, John Connolly

Next draw is **Tues 16<sup>th</sup> November Prize-£700**

**FRIENDS OF CREGGAN - 150 DRAW**

1st Prize £400 and 4 x £100 every month for 10 months

Starts 30th November - To be in with a winning chance!

It costs £100 or £10 per month

Only 150 tickets being sold. To enter you can either pay via Klubfunder.com, find club (friends or Creggan) or directly to Friends of Creggan bank a/c. Sort code 95-06-79 a/c no: 10081574 clearly stating name -150 club so we can identify you for the draw.

**FUNDRAISER FOR FINN** Ramble Inn

Dance, Friday 26th November -Doors open 8.30pm

Please join us to support 14 year old Finn McConnon, son of Mark and Rachele, from Randalstown and now Sydney, who is seriously ill with leukaemia and has been in hospital for 16 months. Family and friends have organised a dance in the Ramble Inn to raise much needed fun to support Finn. Admission £10.00 (minimum) at door Direct donations: A/C 10462252 sortcode: 981345 Phone 0773 206 4547 for further information