

SPECIAL MASS & ANOINTING OF THE SICK

A Special Mass & Anointing of the Sick will take place in Saint Columba's Church, Drung next **Sunday 28th October @ 12.30 p.m.** Afterwards lunch (*sponsored by the Drung Conference of the St Vincent de Paul*) will be served in the Redcastle Hotel @ 2.00 p.m.

IMPORTANT NOTICE ~ OUR PARISH CHILD SAFEGUARDING REPRESENTATIVES ARE:

Mrs Maureen Scott ~ Telephone: 9383017 and
Mrs Maura McColgan ~ Telephone: 9384124.

DRUNG PARISH DRAW RESULTS 2012 (11th October)

1st Prize ~ Ann Marie McAlmoyle ~ Promoter: Phonsie Logue
2nd Prize ~ Sally Shortt ~ Promoter: Niall Havlin
3rd Prize ~ Martin Rea ~ Promoter: Patricia Rea

Promoters ~ please note that the parish draw money is due in on Thursday 25th October @ 7.30 p.m. Thank you!

UPPER MOVILLE PARISH COMMUNITY EMPLOYMENT SCHEME is now taking names for next year's scheme due to begin on 26 November 2012. We are looking for general operatives in Movice (4), Drung (2) and Muff (1), as well as clerical/housekeepers (2), in Movice's Serenity House. Usual eligibility criteria apply. Contact 0866008360 or Serenity House 9382945 for more information.

REDCASTLE UNITED FOOTBALL CLUB will host a "Night at the Races" in the Bayview Bar, Redcastle on **Friday 26th October, commencing @ 9.30 p.m.** Everyone welcome.

Pink Fitness Party -Sunday, 28 October 2012 @ 3 o' clock in St. Mary's Hall Muff. Pink fitness party is a one hour fitness class covering all aspects of fitness. Participation in the class costs €5 (€3 for kids) with ALL proceeds going to Breast Cancer. Remember this is Breast Cancer Awareness Month so come along and **FIGHT LIKE A GIRL!!**

CHILDREN'S POINT PLAYGROUP QUIGLEY'S POINT is hosting a Halloween Party on Wednesday 31st October from 4.00 p.m. to 6.00 p.m. All children and adults welcome!

GAA NEWS ~NAOMH PADRAIG TURE ~Thanks to all who took part in Scór Na nOg for the club. Good luck to Conor Doherty in the County Final in Glenswilly on 10/11/12. A good night's entertainment was had by all.

UNTIL SATURDAY 27TH OCTOBER, FOR URGENT OR SICK CALLS, PLEASE CONTACT FR. JOHN FARREN, ISKAHEEN ON 9384037.

Saint Columba's Drung Parish of Iskaheen 29th Sunday in Ordinary Time (Mission Sunday)

Parish Priest: Fr. John Farren P.P. ~ Tel: 9384037
Fr. Tony Mailey C.C. ~ Tel: 9383008 ~ e-mail: frmailey@eircom.net
(Parish Secretary, Mrs Anne Clarke 10.00 a.m. – 2.00 p.m.)
Website: www.stcolumbasdrung.net
Scoil Naomh Fionán, Principal: Mr Patrick Patton, Tel: 9383228
Sacristan, Mrs Ann Marie Orr ~ Tel: 9382526.

21st October 2012 ~ Year B ~ Schedule for the Coming Week

<u>MASS TIMES:</u>	<u>DRUNG</u>	<u>ISKAHEEN</u>	<u>MUFF</u>
(VIGIL) Saturday:	8.00 p.m.		6.30 p.m.
Sunday:	9.30 a.m.	9.00 a.m.	
Sunday:	10.30 a.m.		11.30 a.m.

<u>DRUNG</u>	<u>ISKAHEEN</u>	<u>MUFF</u>
Monday 22 nd October:	9.30 a.m.	10.00 a.m.
Tuesday 23 rd October:	9.30 a.m.	10.00 a.m.
Wednesday 24 th October:	9.30 a.m.	10.00 a.m.
Thursday 25 th October:	9.30 a.m.	10.00 a.m.
Friday 26 th October:	9.30 a.m.	10.00 a.m.
Saturday 27 th October:	8.00 p.m.	10.00 a.m.

<u>CONFESSIONS: DRUNG</u>	<u>ISKAHEEN</u>	<u>MUFF</u>
Saturday before 8.00 p.m. Mass @ 7.15 p.m.		(Sat) 9.45 a.m.
First Friday @ 7.15 p.m. before 8.00 p.m. Mass		(Sat) 6.00 p.m. & after Vigil Mass

**Mass & Novena Prayer to St. Peregrine on
The First Friday of the month @ 8.00 p.m.**

BAPTISMS: By arrangement.

MISSION SUNDAY
29TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

“Growing in Communion”

Mission Sunday has a very special meaning for the year 2012. We celebrate the 50th Anniversary of the beginning of the 2nd Vatican Council, and the opening of the Year of Faith, the Synod of Bishops reflecting the Church’s desire to engage with greater courage and zeal in the mission to bring the gospel to the ends of the earth; The work of mission societies brings the prayers, solidarity and financial help of the church here in Ireland to countries in other parts of the world....last year more than two million was collected for Mission Sunday. As many as 1,100 dioceses in mission areas seek our support and the money raised is made available in its entirety for the neediest missions in the world.

**Mission collection this year on Thursday 1st November 2012
(envelope provided).**

St. Thérèse of Lisieux was born in France (1873). She was a Carmelite Nun. She died in the Convent in Lisieux at the age of 24. She was canonized in 1925 and in 1927 was declared as co-patron of the Missions along with St. Francis Xavier. She never left her convent...it was her writings, especially her book *“The Story of the Soul”* which endeared her to all becoming one of the most popular Saints of all times, commonly referred to as *“the Little Flower”*. She wrote *“I would like to be a light to souls”... to travel to every land to preach your name O’ my beloved and raise the glorious standard of your cross on foreign soil. I would spread the gospel to the ends of the earth, even to the most distant isles. I would be a missionary, not for a few years only, but were it possible, from the beginning of the world... till the end”*.

St. Thérèse of Lisieux, the Little Flower, Patroness of the Missions, pray for us.

“Viatores Christi” ~ skilled people empowering countries in need overseas. Are you interested? Then call today on 01-8689986 or email: info@viatoreschristi.com or write to 8, New Cabra Road, Phibsboro, Dublin 7.

OCTOBER IS THE MONTH OF THE ROSARY: Many graces can be obtained by praying the five decades of the Rosary daily. The Rosary will be said before Mass each morning, Monday to Friday @ 9.15.a.m.

BUÍOCHAS:

Sunday Collection: (13th/14th October): €885.00c
Building Fund Collection: (13th/14th October): €723.00c

Thank you for your continuing generosity to all the collections.

PRAYER CALENDAR ~ OCTOBER 2012

This calendar lets you know what Mass is celebrated on each day of the week, and also gives you the gospel reading for each Mass. Why not read the gospel of the day quietly and use it for your personal prayer.

Sunday 21st ~ 29th Sunday (Mission) in Ordinary Time ~ Pray for those searching for God. **Mk.10:35-45.**

Monday 22nd ~ Guard against greed. **Lk.12:13-21.**

Tuesday 23rd ~ St. John of Capistrano, Pr. ~ Be prepared to greet Jesus.
Lk.12:35-38.

Wednesday 24th ~ St. Anthony Mary Caret, B. ~ Use your gifts wisely.
Lk.12:39-48.

Thursday 25th ~ Forty Martyrs of England and Wales ~ Pray for the Church in Great Britain. **Lk.12:49-53.**

Friday 26th ~ Discern before making decisions. **Lk.12:54-59.**

Saturday 27th ~ St. Otteran, Monk ~ God’s mercy is unconditional. **Lk.13:1-9.**

PILGRIMAGE TO DOON WELL & ARDS ON SUNDAY 4TH NOVEMBER leaving Brendan’s Shop, Drung @ 11.00 a.m. Bus will collect at Quigley’s Point, Muff, Burt Chapel and Letterkenny. **Bus & dinner €31. Telephone Christine on 074 9385576 or Ann Marie on 074 9382526.**

A SPECIAL ENRICHING WEEKEND for married couples in a stable relationship will be held in Dromantine Retreat Centre, Newry from 30th November - 2nd December. This weekend is designed to help deepen your commitment to one another and enrich the joys you share together, whether you are recently or many years married. **For details visit: www.marriageencounter.ie or phone 00353 64-6644319 & 00353 87-6670418 or 028 90626503.**



COFFEE MORNING IN COSY COTTAGE MOVILLE

THURSDAY 25TH OCTOBER. 10 AM TO 1 PM.

Fund Raising for Nurse Rose Mc Daid going to work in Sierra Leone Africa. Raffle for ticket lines will also take place.

Moville Presbyterian Church is holding their Harvest Thanksgiving Services on Sunday 21st October at 10.30 a.m and 7.30 p.m. At the evening Service the praise will be led by The North West Gospel Singers and the special speaker will be Rev Dr Rbt Buick. **Greenbank Presbyterian Church** is holding their Harvest Thanksgiving Services on Sunday 4th November at 12.00 noon and 7.30 p.m. Supper served afterwards. Everyone welcome.