## St. Brendan's Church by the Lake Annaghdown

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Saturday / Sunday 1st - 2nd February 2020.

Mass Intentions from: 1st - 9th February.

Sat 1st 7.00pm Mary Divilly, Muckrush. (Feast of St. Brigid).

Sun 2<sup>nd</sup> 11.00am Special Intention. (Candlemas Day).

Mon

NO MASS.

Tue 4th 7.00pm Special Intention.

Wed - Thurs

NO MASS

Fri 7th 7.00pm Joe & Deceased Members of Flaherty

Family, Wood Village. (First Friday).

Sat 8th 7.00pm John Newell, Baranna, Anniversary. Sun 9th 11.00am Hugh & Mary Ellen McHugh.

Eucharistic Ministers for February:

Sat	1 <sup>st</sup>	Francis Divilly	- Sun	2nd	Dermot Buckley
Sat	8 <sup>th</sup>	Aine Farragher	Sun	9 <sup>th</sup>	Brid Greaney
Sat	15 <sup>th</sup>	Mary Hoade	Sun	16th	Mary O'Malley
Sat	22 <sup>nd</sup>	Olivia Divilly	Sun	23 <sup>rd</sup>	Marguerite Fitzpatrick
Sat	29 <sup>th</sup>	Mai Delaney	Sun	1 <sup>st</sup>	Kieran Duggan
Read	ers for H	ebruary:			
Sat	1 <sup>st</sup>	Maria Curran	Sun	2 <sup>nd</sup>	Adrian O'Meara
Sat	8 <sup>th</sup>	Jane Bowman	Sun	9 <sup>th</sup>	Anita Newell
Sat	15 <sup>th</sup>	<b>Brid Greaney</b>	Sun	16th	Susie Goodbody
Sat	22 <sup>nd</sup>	Sally Farragher	Sun	23rd	Felicity McCormick
Sat	29th	Nono Duggan	Sun	1st	Myles Meehan

Eucharistic Adoration: Adoration will resume next Tuesday 4th Feb. after 7pm mass will be attended to on the day.

Parish Envelopes: Parishioners are strongly encouraged to join the envelope box system for making weekly contributions to the parish. The system makes it possible for the parish, as a registered charity, to claim a contribution from Revenue on overall contributions over €250 a year. This contribution from Revenue does not cost the contributor anything, and does not have any implications for the person's tax affairs. New envelopes are now available in the Church for 2020. Please contact the Parish Office if you have not previously been

using the envelope system. Thanks to all for their contributions and to those who recently signed the consent forms to apply to Revenue.

Church Windows: Sincere thanks to all who contributed to the envelope collection for the windows, which to date has raised €8040. The first three windows have been installed after extensive restoration, and we hope to restore three more in the New Year. The overall cost of restoring these six windows is in the region of €30,000, so further fundraising will be necessary to continue the project.

Fundraising Concert for Annaghdown Church Window Restoration: A fundraising concert is to take place on March 5<sup>th</sup> in the Claregalway Hotel, hosted by Máirtin O'Connor, featuring Sean Keane, Don Stiffe, Cathal Hayden, Jimmy Higgins, Seamie O'Dowd & other well known musicians to raise much needed funds for the ongoing window project.

The evening starts at 8pm and promises to be a gala night with special musical talent on show. Tickets will be on sale door to door shortly @ €25 each. This will be a seated concert and doors open at 7:30pm.

Ireland Lights Up - Annaghdown Operation Transformation: As part of our Club Wellbeing Programme we're coming on board with Operation Transformation and the GAA for Ireland Lights Up. Every Thursday at 7.30pm and Sunday mornings at 10am from 9th January - 23rd February 2020 our new walkway will be open and lit up for you, your family and friends to come and walk.

Annaghdown GAA: This weeks Lotto numbers were 6, 20, 23 & 32. No winner & no match 3's 4 Lucky Dips; Willie O'Brien, Shane Newell, Eddie O'Toole &Tom Creaven. Next week's jackpot €4,750

Confirmation: Archbishop Neary will administer the Sacrament of Confirmation in Annaghdown on Tuesday 11th February at 2.30pm. If anyone has a papal flag they can display outside their house for the occasion, it would be appreciated.

Ciorcal comhrá: has finished until September. Mile buiochas do gach duine a ghlac pairt ann. Oral grinds available for Junior & Leaving Cert students. Contact Fiona 086-3820856. The other Ciorcal Comhra still goes ahead in Regans on the first Monday of every month. On Monday next Feb 3<sup>rd</sup> at 8pm. All welcome

Annaghdown Handball Club: Success for our Ladies who competed in the She's Ace competition. Ella Sweeney & Annabelle Kenny won U-11 4 wall & 1 wall. Ava First Friday: Next Friday is the First Friday of the month. The sick and the housebound Sweeney was runner-up in She's Ace final. Niamh Kavanagh & Nikki Sweeney were runner-up in shield final. Ellen Curran & Hannah Grace won U-15 plate. Well done to Cathal Curran who won the County Minor Championship

RIP Please pray for the repose of the soul of Padraic Hardiman, Clonboo who was laid to rest in Annaghdown Cemetery on Tuesday last. We offer our prayers and sympathies to his family and friends.

Open Day; in Castlehackett School on Tuesday Feb 18th from 10 am