



# Parish of Murhaun

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Saturday	Jan 12th	7.00 p.m.	Packie Kelly
Sunday	Jan 13th	9.00 a.m.	Chriss McManus (Months Memory).
Sunday	Jan 13th	11.30 a.m.	Celsus McGarry & Patrick Frances McGarry.

## Baptism of the Lord.

Masses: Monday 14th January to Sunday 20th Jan 2019

Monday	8.00 a.m.	Mass for Holy Souls.
Tuesday	7.00 p.m.	Hubert & Bridie McPartland.
Wednesday	7.00 p.m.	Anne Mulvey.
Thursday	7.00 p.m.	
Friday	8.00 a.m.	Pro Populo.
Saturday	10.00 a.m.	Enda, Margaret & Nicholas Moore.
Saturday	7.00 p.m.	Ann McManus (Murhaun).
Sunday	9.00 a.m.	Michael McManus (Months Memory).
Sunday	11.30 a.m.	Willie Moran.

**Ministers of the Word: Vigil.** Sarah McLoughlin, Aidan Dowler, Leah McLoughlin, Lauryn McKeon.

**1.30 a.m.:** Teresa Mahon & John O'Connor.

**Convent :** B

**Eucharistic Ministers:** Group C **Altar Society:** Month of Jan: Group G

**Offertory collection:** € 1535.00 Thank You.

**Prayer Meeting:** Monday 7th January @ 8.00 P.m. in Aras Phádraig. All welcome.

**Enrolment for pupils to St. Patrick's N.S for Sept 2019** until Thursday 31st Jan.

Forms available from school, Bo Peep Childcare or Little Wonders Montessori. You can also download a copy from our website. contact 9641755

**St. Vincent DePaul Society:** thank all who generously contributed to our Christmas appeal. € 4,327 collected. Without your help we cant help, again thanks to all of you.

**New 6 week block of Pilates :** starting in Allen Gaels clubhouse Wed. January 16th. Beginners 7.30, intermediate 8.30 p.m. Cost €50. Contact Cabrini to book 086-3803426

**Boyle Family Resource Centre:** Provides Counselling and Psychotherapy for: Adolescent, Bereavement, Child, Couple and Relationship, Individual, Family Therapy, Crisis Support, Suicide Prevention, Suicide Bereavement Liaison Service, Support Groups and Services. Call 0719663000 / 0719663841

## The Precious Gift of Every Child.

Today is the day of Baptism. We remember today the 14 boys and 15 girls whom we welcomed into our parish family this past year 2018. This is and I hope always will be a second home of peace and prayer for all of them. The hand of Jesus so beautifully etched in our stain glass is always outstretched to welcome them. The door is always open. "Never be a stranger".

In seven years time they will gather to celebrate the day of First Communion, a day of innocence and wonder. 12 years and Bishop Francis will confirm them with the power of the Holy Spirit as they face into adolescence and the journey into life. Parents, grandparents thank you for sharing the joy of your new born baby with us. Thank you for the weeks and years of love and sacrifice you will "squander" generously for your child. Each child is a unique, precious and wonderful gift from God through you for our parish and for our world. Thank you.

I pray today for these 29 boys and girls. I pray they will be protected from hurt and harm, from serious illness and accident. I pray they will discover their unique gifts and they will know great joy. I pray they will make beautiful friends and that they will always know that they are cherished by your love and God's love; a God who has every hair of their head counted; a God who forever has their names written on the palm of His hand.

Réalta McEvoy.  
 Sadhbh Gilgunn  
 James Gunning  
 Madison Dolan  
 Cian Friel  
 Deirbhile McManus  
 Emma Logan  
 Katherine Juwin  
 Letitia Lavin  
 Charlie Kodl

Kian McCormack.  
 Anna King  
 Caoimhe Farrell  
 Noah McTiernan  
 Zoe Kelly  
 Bonnie Dixon  
 Isla Wren Treacy  
 Oliver Bohan—O'Hagan  
 Emily McLoughlin  
 Orla Bourke

Gareth Gilroy  
 Oscar Kavanagh  
 Tommy Stokes  
 Aidan Whitton  
 Dáire McGovern  
 Daniel Mulvey.  
 Ruairí Higgins.  
 Esme O'Dwyer  
 Jack Whyte