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15th April 2024

Dear Parent/Guardian,

St Anne's Primary 7 children will receive the sacrament of Confirmation with the children of St Patrick's Loughguile on Thursday 18th April 2024 at 11.00am in St Patrick's Church, Loughguile. We are honoured to have Bishop Alan McGuckian confirm the children of our parish this year.

St Anne's will be open as usual on 18th April. Attendance arrangements are detailed below:

- **P7 pupils should not attend school** on 18th April; they should **meet in St Patrick's Church at 10.30am wearing full school uniform** (including black footwear, black trousers/skirts and tights). The attendance register will show they are attending a school function.
- **Siblings of P7 pupils should not attend school** on 18th April so they can celebrate with their families. The attendance register will show they are attending a school function.
- **All P1 to P6 children who do not have a sibling being Confirmed should attend school** on 18th April as usual. This includes the choir.
- Our school choir will be transported by bus to the ceremony, returning in time for lunch. Should the children return to school later than anticipated, we will arrange for them to have their meal and playtime on their return. All choir members should wear full school uniform (including black footwear, black trousers/skirts and tights)

Refreshments will be served for all children making their Confirmation and their families in St Patrick's Primary School immediately after the ceremony. There will be an opportunity for photographs and PTA gifts will be presented at this time.

Many thanks for your continued support.

Kind regards,

Henry Duffin (Principal)