

## **ENNISKILLEN**

The County Fermanagh Twelfth of July demonstration will take place in Enniskillen this year.

Large crowds are expected to be in attendance, including many tourists and visitors to the Lakeland county, for what promises to be a wonderful Twelfth of July celebration.

The Fermanagh parade traditionally encompasses the entire county with Brethren taking part from Newtownbutler, Lisbellaw, Brookeborough, Lisnaskea, Enniskillen, Ballinamallard, Kinawley, Glenawley, Lisnarick, Pettigo, Magheraboy, Church Hill, Maguiresbridge, Garrison and Tempo districts.

The Sisters of Women's Districts 1, 2 and 3, Junior Lodges from South Fermanagh, Brookeborough, Maguiresbridge, Ballinamallard and South Fermanagh Junior Girls Lodge will also be on parade.

Enniskillen will also play host to visiting lodges from the Republic of Ireland, representing Donegal, Leitrim, Cavan and Monaghan and their bands.

The parade, which will be led by Maguiresbridge District Officers and Maguiresbridge Silver Band, will form up in the Royal British Legion Car Park before leaving at 12noon and following a route along Wellington Road, Belmore Street, East Bridge Street, Townhall Street, High Street, Church Street, Darling Street, Castle Street, Wellington Road to Castle Car Park.

County Grand Chaplain Rev. Rodney Beacom will lead the religious service in the field before the parade at approximately 3.30pm.

There are a number of important anniversaries for participating bands. Derryclavin Pipe Band celebrates 100 years on the road this year as does Lisnaskea Silver Band since last year's Twelfth.

New Banners on parade will include Garvary LOL 448 in Enniskillen District which was unfurled and dedicated on Friday 10<sup>th</sup> June 2022.

A new Arch was erected last year at Enniskillen District Orange Hall for the Centennial year and another new Arch is being erected at Lisbellaw District Orange Hall this June for the Platinum Jubilee. This adds to the ones already erected annually at Kesh and Florencecourt Districts.