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Last weekend's collection amounted to: £1,690.00.

Thank you.



Derry Diocesan Youth Pilgrimage to Fatima: We are inviting young people aged 16+ to join us on pilgrimage to Fatima for 5 nights from 3rd to 8th August. This will be a unique experience for young people and an opportunity to engage with their peers from around the world in a faith context. Cost is £820 and there will be a budget plan to help with this. Names and deposit of £100 are required as soon as possible to secure a place. For more information or to book in please contact bethany.doherty@derrydiocese.org 00 44 2871264087

Anyone interested, please contact Fr Pat or the parish office. There will be time to organise fundraising.

Derry Diocesan Lourdes Pilgrimage 2026: All places on the pilgrimage are now filled. However, if places become available through cancellations these will offered to those on the waiting list. All pilgrims are asked to complete final payment as soon as possible. Please note that the Pilgrimage office will be closed to 11 April inclusive.

Weekly envelopes: Envelope Distributors, we appreciate your help in the past and hopefully you can help us again this year. **The new envelopes are ready for distribution and can be collected from the Parochial Hall.**
Please do not use these envelopes until Sunday 12 April.

Trocaire Boxes: Sunday 12 April has been set aside as the day for return of Trocaire Boxes. It would be of great help if small coins could be changed for notes or pound coins. Thank you for your support.



**St Mary's, Bellaghy
St Joseph's, Ballyscullion.
5 April 2026
Easter Sunday.**

Lent is over! Alleluia! But, more importantly, Easter is here! Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia! For just over six weeks we have been preparing ourselves through prayer, fasting, and almsgiving, for the celebration of Jesus' Resurrection from the dead.

Easter is central to our faith. Without Easter there is no hope for us of resurrection and life after death.

Over the next fifty days we will hear accounts of the appearances of the Risen Jesus to His disciples, and we will be invited to feel and share in the joy of His friends and followers, and in the renewed faith and hope they experienced after the Crucifixion and Death of Jesus.

He had kept the promise He had made.

He came back from the dead to give them, and us, the hope of everlasting life.

We are an Easter people, and our song is "Alleluia!"

Happy Easter.

Beannachtai na Cásca.

**There will be no bulletin on weekend 11/12 April.
The Parish Office will be closed until Monday 13 April.**

April Schedules:

St Mary's:

Eucharistic Ministers: Weekdays: Betty Campbell

Vigil: TBC

11.00am: K Doherty, L Harkin, R Donnelly, M Lennon, M Duffin.

Readers: 11.00am: Selina McErlean

Weekdays: Mon: M Scullion **Wed:** A Scott

Church Cleaners: Margaret Diamond, Donna Donnelly, Susan Carey.

Stewards: 11am: Tom O'Kane, Francis Higgins.

Altar Society: Paula McErlean, Dolores Mulholland, Sarah Mullan.

St Joseph's: Eucharistic Minister: Helen Duffin **Reader:** Barbara Carey

Collector: Fionnbar Duffin **Altar Society:** Dolores McErlean & Mary Weir

Volunteers needed: If anyone is willing to help with Church cleaning, please contact Sally-Ann in the Parish Office (02879386259).

Deaths: We offer our sympathy to the family and family circle of **Yvonne Henry née O'Neill (Mullaghyboy Crescent)** who died recently.

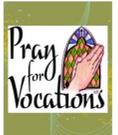
Anniversaries:

Sat/Sun 4/5: Claire McGuigan & Gerard McErlean (Anniversary Mass at 9.45am), John Gribbon (Anniversary Mass at 11am), Pat Joe Scullion, John & Tilly Toner, Mary Ann McKenna, Jim Loughrey, Martina McLernon, Dolores Birt, Denis Quinn, Ray O'Neill, Tommy Gallagher, Sarah Kearns, Cyril Molloy, Betty McKeown, Ellen McErlean, Pat McPeake.

Sat/Sun 11/12: Ethel & Willie McNally (Anniversary Mass at 11am), Declan Mawhinney (Anniversary Mass at 11am), Peter McErlean, Maggie McKee, Gary Sharpe, Breige Callan, Eamon Diamond, Susan McCloy, Anne McNally, Stephen Pollard,

Sat/Sun 18/19: Joe Heaney, Dylan Craig, Ann Scullion, Mary Kearney, John McErlean, Patsy O'Boyle, Joe Kearney. **May they rest in peace.**

We pray for an increase in vocations to the diocesan priesthood, that the men called to be priests will preach and live by the gospel, the Good News of Jesus, our Lord and Saviour, risen from the dead, our hope of resurrection and everlasting life.



Fr Pat hopes to attend the Sick and Housebound as follows:

Tuesday 7 - Bellaghy A & Ballyscullion

Wednesday 8 - Bellaghy B

Friday 10 - Greenlough A (10 - 11:30; 1:30 - 3)

Monday 20 - Bellaghy C

Tuesday 21 - Greenlough B

St. Mary's, Bellaghy:

Mon 6 Apr, 11.00am Wed 8 Apr, 9.30am

Sat 11 Apr, 5.30pm (Streamed from Greenlough)

Sun 12 Apr, 11am (Streamed to Greenlough)

St. Oliver Plunkett, Clady:

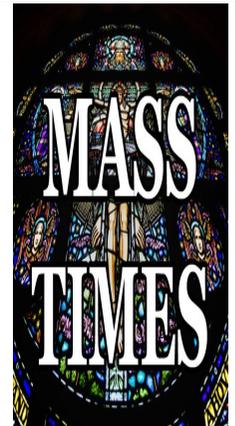
Tues & Fri 7&10 April, 9.30am

Sat 11 Apr, Vigil, 5.30pm (Streamed to Bellaghy)

Sun 12 Apr, 11am (Streamed from Bellaghy)

St. Joseph's, Ballyscullion:

Sun 12 Apr, 9.45am.



Congratulations to

Maria McTaggart & Aodhán Brown who were married recently.



We welcome into God's family through Baptism:

Shauna Brigid Keenan, Deerpark Road.

