

The 'Carefully Yours' project provides support to over 55's in Magherafelt and the surrounding areas. Activities are open to all over 55's including those suffering from, or at risk of dementia; ill health; disability; or experiencing isolation or loneliness. Contact Mairead or Natalie on 028 7930 1862

Fitness Factor Bellaghy: 6 week Health & Fitness Challenge starting Tues 11th Sept at Bellaghy GAC Hall and delivered by Mid Ulster Strength & Conditioning. Entry is free but you must raise £300 for Cancer Focus NI. Prizes for person improving their health the most & biggest fundraiser. Tues & Thurs at 6.15pm and Sat 9am. Tel Emma 07731 375022 or Mattie 07899 303611

A Night of Music and Fun: To raise money to send pilgrims to Medjugorje. Glenavon Hotel—Adair Suite on Fri 14th Sept 9.30pm—1am. Tickets £5. Contact Niall 07850879690.

Bellaghy Classic Cars & Vintage Club: Annual Vintage Rally & Fun Day on Sun 26th Aug 12pm—5pm at Bellaghy GAA Grounds. Live Music, Swing Boats etc.

All proceeds in aid of Air Ambulance NI.

****SAVE THE DATE** St Ergnats Moneyglass** are celebrating 70 years of GAA. a Gala Ball has been organised for Fri 16th Nov in Tullyglass House Hotel, with a few special guests in attendance. If interested in reserving a full table or individual seats please contact Paddy (07731712314), Paula (07584328686) or Una (07813384148) by Fri 28 Sept. Also, if anyone has any memorabilia contact Ursula on 07708443562 .

Return To School

Saint Conor's College, Kilrea and Clady

3rd Sept – Years 8, 11, 13

4th Sept – Year 8, 9, 11, 13, 14. 5th Sept – All Year Groups

New Row PS:

Thurs 30th Aug: Y1 & Y7 pupils 9.15am – 12 noon

Fri 31st Aug: School open for all Y2-7 pupils (Early closing at 2pm for all pupils)

Normal school hours for Y2-7 from Mon 3rd Sept.

Contact office with any queries regarding Y1 intake arrangements.

No Parent & toddler group on 3rd Sept (will resume 10th Sept).

St Mary's Primary School:

Fri 31st Aug 9-11.30am for P1 Mon 3rd Sept for all classes P1-7

Nursery pupils should have received their start dates with first intake on Fri 31st Aug 9-11.30am.



PAROCHIAL HALL (PARISH COMMUNITY CENTRE)

Mon: Bingo at 8.30pm

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Page 10 Line £30 House £150

Book cost £7.00

Wed night : Whist

Thurs: Ceili Class 8-9.30pm

Fri: McErlean School of Irish Dancing.5.45pm—8pm.

26th August 2018

**Twenty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time
St Mary's Bellaghy/St Joseph's Ballyscullion.**



MASS INTENTIONS

St Mary's

Sat 25th Vigil: Paddy Joe Rea (month mind)

Sun 26th 10.30am: Frank Ferran
(2nd Anniversary)

Mon 27th 7.30pm:

Tues 28th 9.30am: The Sick.

Thurs 30th 7.30pm: Kathleen Cassidy (month mind)

Fri 31st 9.30am:

Sat 1st Vigil:

Sun 2nd 10.30am:

St Joseph's

Sun 26th 9am:

Sun 2nd 9am:

Death: Mrs Bridie McErlean R.I.P

We offer our prayerful sympathy to the family and wider family circle on the death of Bridie. May she rest in peace.

ANNIVERSARIES

Sat/Sun 25th/26th: James Diamond, Hugh Devlin, Margaret McErlean, Robert & Bridget Smith, Jim McGahey,

Mon 27th: Mary Anne O'Neill, Laurence Mulholland

Tues 28th: Michelle Bonner

Wed 29th: .

Thurs 30th: ,

Fri 31st: .

.Sat/Sun 1st/2nd: James O'Kane

The above people will be prayed for at mass on the days indicated.

May they rest in peace.

Church Island: The Annual Pilgrimage will take place on Sunday 2nd September, we will assemble by the roadside at 2pm for the Rosary.

OFFICIAL FAMILY PRAYER FOR WMOF2018

God, our Father, we are brothers and sisters in Jesus your Son, One family, in the Spirit of your love.

Bless us with the joy of love. Make us patient and kind, gentle and generous, welcoming to those in need.

Help us to live your forgiveness and peace.

Protect all families with your loving care,

Especially those for whom we now pray:

Pause to remember family members and others

Increase our faith, strengthen our hope,

Keep us safe in your love,

Make us always grateful for the gift of life that we share.

This we ask, through Christ our Lord. **Amen**

Papal Mass Sun 26th Aug:

We send our good wishes and prayers to the four representatives of our Folk Choir, Bronagh, Nicola, Kiera and Aileen, who will be singing for the Pope at the weekend.

Well Done!

SCHEDULES.

Mass Times

ST MARY'S

Sundays

Vigil (Sat) 6.30pm

Sun 10.30am

Weekdays

Mon & Thurs

7.30pm

Tues & Fri 9.30am

Confessions

Sat 6pm-6.20pm

**1st Thurs 7pm—
7.20pm.**

ST JOSEPH'S

Sun: 9.00am

Telephone No's

Msgnr. Dolan

02879 386259

Fr. Graham

02879 642458

Fr. Harkin

02825 821190

Parish Office:

02879 386259

SVP Society:

Bellaghy

07508549588

Lifeline

0808 808 8000

Samaritans 08457

909090 or

02871265511

ALTAR SERVERS

Weekdays 27th –31st Aug: Team 2

Sat 1st Vigil: Team 3 **Sun 2nd 10.30am:** Team 5

ST MARY'S

E/Ministers 1st & 2nd September

Vigil: B Quigley, C O'Neill, P McGoldrick, M Larkin.

10.30am: M Lennon, C Scullion, J McGinn, L Boyle,

B McMenamin.

Weekdays from 26th August:

Morning Mass: E Davidson

Evening Mass: R Devine

SEPTEMBER SCHEDULES

Readers Vigil: Gerry Kelly **10.30am:** Madeline Scullion

Daily Readers: Mon: Roma Boyle **Tues:** Madeline Scullion

Thurs: Marie Kilpatrick **Fri:** Tom Scullion

Church Cleaners P McAfee, Caroline Lynn, Maria McMullan

Altar Society: Marie Glancy & Mary Diamond

Car Park Attendants: Patsy O'Neill (B'nease) &
Francis Diamond.

Collectors/Doors

Vigil: Rory Craig & Paddy Oliver Scullion.

10.30am: Bernard McKenna, Patrick McKenna, John Hanson.

ST JOSEPH'S

Eucharistic Ministers Weekend of 2nd September

9.00am: H Duffin & G Trainor.

SEPTEMBER SCHEDULES

Reader: Barbara Carey

Collectors: Kevin Duffin & Fergal Duffin.

Altar Society: Barbara Carey

Schedule of Events at Knock for Visit of Pope Francis

8.30am Sun Aug 26th 'Gathering Event' until the arrival of the Holy Father Upon arrival, the Holy Father will move through the assembly in the Pope Mobile arriving at the Apparition Chapel at 10am for private prayer. Afterwards His Holiness will deliver a short address and lead pilgrims in the Angelus Prayer. After the departure of the Holy Father, there will be a concelebrated open-air Mass with Fr Richard Gibbons as the main celebrant. **This is part of the official ticketed event.**

Practical Information. Visit of Pope Francis to Knock Shrine, Sun 26 August.

Those who have tickets to attend the visit of His Holiness Pope Francis to Knock Shrine on Sunday 26 August as part of the WMOF 2018 celebrations are advised to read the information available on the Knock Shrine website regarding travel, parking and other practical information. The official Traffic Plan is also available and can also be viewed at www.garda.ie. Pilgrims are advised to study the plan in advance of travelling to the Shrine. Angelus text, a hymn sheet and general guidance/information on the liturgical events will be available for download/printing in the days prior to the event This information, including the full Spiritual Programme is available at www.knockshrine.ie/wmof2018

Catholic Grandparents Association Annual National Pilgrimage, Knock Shrine, 9 September 2018, 2.30pm.

Chief Celebrant Archbishop Jude Thaddeus Okolo, Apostolic Nuncio. Children are asked to write a prayer for their grandparent(s) and all prayers brought / sent to Knock Shrine will be blessed on the day. www.catholicgrandparentsassociation.org

Pre-Baptism Reflection for Parents:

Will be on Tues 28th August at 7.30pm in the Prayer Room.

Anyone who is wishing to have a child baptised in the near future are expected to attend.

Please contact the Parish Office to book a place.

We welcome into God's family through Baptism:

Jake Conor Scullion, Glenvale Road

Emily Anne Scullion, Glenvale Road.

Fianna Rose McCready, Ballynease Road.

Cara Elizabeth Keenan, Deerpark Road.

Lacie Philomena Ethne Vermanen, Beatrice Villas.



Congratulations to

Noleen McErlean &

John Young

who were recently married.



The Offertory Collection last Sunday was £1,935.00
(298 envelopes returned). **Bingo** £300 **Thank you.**

Coach to Pope's Mass in Phoenix Park Sunday 26th August:

The coach will be leaving from the Church Car Park at 6.30am.

It is expected that people will have to walk a long distance from the coach drop to the Mass site therefore it is advisable to wear comfortable shoes and bring a waterproof jacket. This is not a seated event however a light fold up chair (without arms) is permitted.

You will need to bring sufficient food, water and any medication you may be on as it will be a long day. **Please bring photographic ID.**

Cost approx £30 this includes breakfast and dinner.