



10th March 2019. First Sunday of Lent.
St Mary's Bellaghy/St Joseph's Ballyscullion.



Bellaghy GAC: Irish Dancing Class on Mondays 6pm—7.30pm.
The Annual Irish Language Collection will be taken up on
16th & 17th March.

Stress Control Project: A Free 6 week Stress Management Programme in
Meadowbank Sports Arena, Magherafelt on Wed 6.30pm—8pm 6th
March—10th April 2019. email stress.control@northerntrust.hscni.net

Bellaghy Women's Group

Tues 5 and 12 March Kathleen McWilliams will be joining us to show us
some **hand massage techniques and some Tai Chi**. These sessions will be
in the Heaney Homeplace Annex from 7pm to 9pm.

Bellaghy Historical Society: Next meeting on Tues 12th March at 8pm in
the Old School Centre. Dr Ann McVeigh "As true as I'm standing here."

"Newbridge CCE Monthly Session, Thurs 7th March The Elk @7.15pm.

Night of Hope 2019: A big thank you to all who supported our night on
Sun 3rd Feb. The night raised £6,037 all of which is being donated to mental
health charities. A DVD is on sale from the Church Sacristy priced at £10.

Lenten Scratch Cards: We have a limited number of Lenten cards, they
are available from the Sacristy and cost £1.

"Newbridge CCE holding their annual '**Big Trad Breakfast**' this St. Patrick's
Day morning between 9am - 12 noon in The Elk's Creagh Suite. All welcome

Baptism Dates:

Sunday 7th April after 10.30am Mass.

Holy Saturday & Easter Sunday: during Mass

Sunday 5th May & Sunday 19th May after 10.30 Mass.

Dates for the Diary

First Holy Communion: Sat 18th May.

11am: St Mary's PS.

2pm: St John Bosco PS.

Cemetery Sunday 30th June 6pm.

PAROCHIAL HALL (PARISH COMMUNITY CENTRE)

Mon: Bingo at 8.30pm

Page 1 to 4— Lines £20 Houses £30

Page 5— Line £20 House £50

Page 7-9 - Lines £20 Houses £30

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—7.30pm.

ANNIVERSARIES

Sat/Sun 9th/10th: Maggie McDonald,
Paddy Diamond, Thomas McErlean, Jim
Scullion, Mary Kearney .

Mon 11th: John Larkin.

Tues 12th: Frances O'Neill, Felix O'Neill

Wed 13th:

Thurs 14th: .

Fri 15th: Bridget McKernan

Sat Sun 16th/17th: Maura Wade, Minnie
McCallion, Annie O'Kane, Patrick &
Peggy Gilmore

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

May they rest in peace.

trocaire "How your love can
conquer fear for families
in need worldwide."

Trocaire Boxes are
available in the Church

from this weekend. You may want to take
one for a neighbour.

*In filling your Trocaire Box you know
that Lent isn't just about what you give
up It's about what you give back as
well.*

Church Bulletin: All notices including
Anniversaries should be submitted to the
Parish Office before 1pm on Thursday.

*The Family of the late
Fr Colm Rafferty would like to
express their thanks to
Msgnr Dolan and the parishioners
for the lovely Mass on Saturday,
also the warm hospitality
afterwards in the Parochial Hall.*

MASS INTENTIONS

St Mary's

Sat 9th Vigil: Dolores Mulholland
(month mind)

Sun 10th 10.30am: Parishioners

Mon 11th 7.30pm: Private

Tues 12th 9.30am: sick

Wed 13th 9.30am: private.

Thurs 14th 7.30pm: Patsy Fullerton
(month mind)

Fri 15th 9.30am: Private

Sat 16th Vigil: Patsy Murphy
(1st Anniversary)

Sun 17th 9.30am:

*There will be Mass on Wednesday
mornings during Lent.*

St Joseph's

Sun 10th 9am: private

Friday 15th 7.00pm Benny Duffin
Month Mind Mass

Sun 17th 9am: Private

**Normal Sunday Masses on
St Patrick's weekend.**

Youth Chosen Program:

All 10-12 year olds are invited to
the parochial hall from 6.30pm -
7.30pm for the Youth Chosen
Program - G1(God First) group.
This program will run on the
8 and 22 March 2018 and we look
forward to a few nights of fun,
friendship and faith discussions.

Designated Safeguarding Officer

Noel O'Donnell

Tel: 0759 6500793

Dep. Designated Liaison Person.

Celine McKenna

Tel: 0759 6667773

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

Parish

Mobile

(Emergency only)

07935296843

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

Parish Office

Opening Hours:

Mon: 9am—1pm

and 6pm—8pm

Tues/Wed/Thurs:

9am—3pm

Fri: 9am—12noon

ALTAR SERVERS

Weekdays 11th—15th Mar: Team 5

Sat 16th Vigil: Team 4 **Sun 17th 10.30am:** Team 1

ST MARY'S

E/Ministers 16th & 17th March.

Vigil: V Scullion, J O'Hagan, C Gallagher, G Toner, T McGoldrick.

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

Weekdays from 10th March:

Morning Mass: M Scullion.

Evening Mass: G Diamond.

MARCH SCHEDULES

Readers Vigil: Gerardine Brown **10.30am:** Sheila Fullerton

Daily Readers Mon: Noel O'Sullivan

Tues: Madeline Scullion **Wed:** Seamus Davey

Thurs: Anne Scott **Fri:** Tom Scullion

Church Cleaners Erin Mullan, Sorcha Mullan, Patricia Larkin.

Altar Society: Kathleen McGahey & Marian Diamond.

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

Collectors/Doors

Vigil: Manus og McShane, Pius Diamond.

10.30am: James McCann & Eddie McCamphill.

St Joseph's

Eucharistic Ministers Weekend of 17th March.

9.00am: H Duffin & G Trainor.

MARCH SCHEDULES

Reader: Eimear Duffin.

Collectors: Lizzie O'Donnell & Dolores McErlean.

Altar Society: Helen, Laura & Sarah Louise Duffin .

Children's Liturgy Teams—March.

Vigil: Kathleen O'Neill, Patricia Convery Karen Wholihan.

10.30am: Anne Scullion, Noel O'Sullivan,

P Donnelly, C Glackin..



Choir Dates for March.

Senior Choir 16th/30th

Youth Choir 9th/23rd

Folk Group 24th.

Diocesan Lourdes Pilgrimage, 4 – 9 July. We welcome all pilgrims, especially pilgrims in need of care. We welcome doctors, nurses and youth (aged 17years+) to assist with those in need. Application Forms now available. Tel 028 7126 0293, Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays, 11am-1pm or email derrypilgrim@outlook.com at any time.

Mass For Those With Special Needs: The Annual Diocesan Mass for those with special needs, and their families and friends, will take place in Our Lady of Lourdes Church, Steelstown, Derry on Sat 13th April 2019 at 2.00pm. Bishop Mc Keown will celebrate the Mass. If you have a child who wishes to receive the Sacrament of Confirmation or First Holy Communion at this Mass please contact the Catechetical Centre on 71264087 or email ddcc@derrydiocese.org

The Net, March edition of The Net is now available. Coverage includes: World Youth Day celebrations, Catholic Schools Week celebrated JPPI Awards, New Diocesan Pastoral Council.

Youth Alpha for Lent: We are inviting young people aged 16-18 years to consider taking part in Youth Alpha this Lent, beginning on Wed 13th March in Maghera Pastoral Centre 7-8:30pm and will run for six Wednesdays. This course can count towards the Pope John Paul II Award but is open to all young people aged 16-18. If you'd like to sign up please email yvonne.rooney@derrydiocese.org or for more information call 02871264087. Parental Consents are required and can be accessed from the parish office or at www.derrydiocese.org

Divine Mercy Sunday: at Knock Shrine on 28th April 12.45pm—5pm. See poster in Church Porch for further details.

Annual Youth Pilgrimage To Croagh Patrick takes place on Fri 5th April, for young people aged between 16 and 25. The price of the trip is £30, which includes dinner and transport. Buses will be leaving from Derry and Strabane. The Registration Form can be found on the Diocesan website, www.derrydiocese.org. Completed Registration Forms should be returned to the Catechetical Centre, 2 Francis Street, Derry, BT48 7DS by Friday 29th March. For more information please email padraig.delargy@derrydiocese.org or telephone Padraig on 028 7126 4087.

We welcome into God's family through Baptism:

Anna Rose O'Neill, Oldtown Road.

Laura Maeve Clarke, Ballyscullion Road



The Offertory Collection last Sunday was £2,830.00 Thank You.

If anyone wishes to pay their weekly envelope by Standing Order, forms are available in the sacristy and can be returned to Parish Office or Sacristy when completed.

Parish Bingo £200.00.