

St Erganat's GAC: The Chaser event takes place on Fri 11th Oct in O'Neill Arms Hotel, 6 contestants have the chance to win up to £1500 facing our local chaser. A great nights fun for all the family. £50 for a ticket to admit 4 people. On sale in Clubrooms Tues 7.30pm to 9pm or by calling 07766650006.

Bellaghy GAC: Irish Dancing Class on Mondays 6pm—7.30pm.

St. John Bosco Dancing Class

6.45-7.30 for groups 1 and 2 and new beginners and
7.30-8.15 for groups 3 and 4.

Cumann Céilí Chondae Dhoire 50th Anniversary Céilí

Sat 5 Oct There will be a short video showing a selection of céilís over the years starting at 8.00 until 9.00pm with a cup of tea for anyone who wishes to join us. There will also be an opportunity to look through some old photographs; you never know who you might recognise. Céilí will commence at 9.30pm. Music by Raymond Loney Céilí Band. Admission £5 (including supper).

Anam Cara Donegal, the organisation that supports bereaved parents, is holding a Parent Evening on 10th Oct at 7:20pm in the Radisson Blu Hotel, Letterkenny, Co. Donegal. This event is free and open to all bereaved parents regardless of the age your child died, the circumstances of their death, or whether their death was recent or not.

Kilrea and Portglenone Hospice Support Group: a ladies night of fashion in the Wild Duck on Sat 12th Oct at 7.30pm. All proceeds to N I Hospice. Tickets can be bought through the Kilrea and Portglenone support group Facebook page or pay at the door. £10 per ticket.

Charity Art Sale and Coffee Morning 10:30am - 4:30pm in the **Lock Keepers Cottage Toomebridge** on Sun 13th Oct. Art by local artists Margaret O'Neill & Marcella McAuley. All proceeds to Friends of the Cancer Centre. Everyone welcome.

Flu Clinic for patients of Castledawson Surgery/Bellaghy Medical Centre (Dr Hinds practice) will be held on Sat 19th Oct 8.00am - 2.00pm (both sites) for all over 65years & those under 65 in any at risk category. Children to Year 8 will be sent for separately.

The next session of Bellaghy Women's Group's Pharmacy programme is on Wed 9th October. The speaker is Eunice Minford, "the soulful doctor", talking on how to look after yourself, be happy, fasting etc. The session lasts from 7pm to 9pm in the annex of the Heaney Homeplace. Everyone is welcome, and you can find out more about the other topics available throughout the rest of the programme.

Next Blood Donation Session: in Parochial Hall on Tues 22nd Oct 4pm—8pm.

Mid Ulster Volunteer Centre. Luncheon Club Volunteers needed
Tuesdays 10am-2pm. Contact 028 7930 1862 if interested.

Irish Pilgrimage Trust- Pilgrimage to Lourdes, Easter 2020: Applications invited from / for young people (11-30 years) with a medical condition, physical disability, illness, learning disability, social or emotional needs also for very seriously ill children under the age of 11, accompanied by a parent or close relative. Those over 11 years travel without their family but are accompanied by experienced adult carers. Those participating have the opportunity to make new friends, increase their social skills and confidence. The pilgrimage can also provide respite for parents/carers.

The IPT covers the cost of those young people selected to travel. Contact Maureen Devine after 5pm (00447717732550) or Mary Dunnion (0877962047) for details/ application form. **Closing date is 31 October.** www.irishpilgrimagestrust.ie Volunteers, particularly male, are also required; training will be offered.

6th October 2019.

Twenty-Seventh Sunday In Ordinary Time.

Day for Life.

St Mary's Bellaghy/St Joseph's Ballyscullion.



ANNIVERSARIES

Sat/Sun 5th/6th: Pat Cassidy, Kathleen McErlean, Sheila McCloy Alex Mawhinney, John Francis O'Neill, Jim McElwee, John Francis Pickering, Bob Milne, Willie McCallion, Bella Diamond,

Mon 7th: Michelle O'Neill, Mamie O'Neill,

Tues 8th: Willie McErlean,

Wed 9th: Pauline Toner,

Thurs 10th: Margaret Lennon,

Fri 11th: Rosemary Kearns

Sat/Sun 12th/13th: Harry McErlean, Margaret Gormley.

May they rest in peace.

Mass on Monday is @11.00 am.

Mass for late Thomas Walls who died in Canada. His Ashes will be buried in the Old Cemetery after the mass.

MASS INTENTIONS

St Mary's

Sat 5th Vigil: Private intentions

Sun 6th: Willie McCallion
(1st Anniversary)

Mon 7th 11am: Funeral Mass

Tues 8th 9.30am: No Mass

Thurs 10th 7.30pm: Private intentions

Fri 11th 9.30am: Private intentions

Sat 12th Vigil: Private intentions.

Sun 13th 10.30am: Margaret Gormley
(3rd Anniversary)

St Joseph's

Sun 6th 9am: Private intentions.

Sun 13th 9am: Private intentions

There will be no evening Mass on Monday 7th.

There will be no Mass on Tuesday 8th October.

Prayer Meeting

Wed @ 7.30pm.
All welcome.



Folk Choir

Sun 13th Oct @ 10.30am Mass



Church Leaders of Ireland have called for next weekend 12th/13th Oct to be dedicated to prayer for the protection of the unborn in our society and for women facing difficult and challenging pregnancies and their families. The "Choose Life Prayer" is available in the church porch.

Also the Bishops urge people to contact their MLA and ask them to take action to stop the introduction of unregulated abortion to Northern Ireland.

IMPORTANT DATES

Mass for Parish Dead : Friday 1st November (All Saints Day)

Confirmation : Tuesday 31 March 2020 @ 5.00pm

First Holy Communion : Saturday 16 May 2020.

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 7th—11th Oct: Niamh Diamond

Sat 12th Vigil: Ciara Donnelly

Sun 13th 10.30am: Shea Lee

ST MARY'S

E/Ministers 12th/13th October.

Vigil: G Toner, T McGoldrick, C Gallagher, S McCann, P Diamond.

10.30am: P Diamond, M Lennon, R Donnelly, P Brennan, K O'Neill.

Weekdays from 6th October:

Morning Mass: A Scullion

Evening Mass: K O'Neill

OCTOBER SCHEDULES

Readers Vigil: Marie Kilpatrick

10.30am: Michael Scullion

Daily Readers Mon: Teresa O'Hagan **Tues:** Seamus Davey

Thurs: Marie Kilpatrick **Frid:** Moira Kearney

Church Cleaners Celine McCann, Rois Gribbin,

Angela Boorman.

Altar Society: Sheena Scullion & Margaret Kearney

Car Park Attendants: Ian Milne & Paddy Oliver Scullion.

Collectors/Doors

Vigil: Tommy Doherty & Martin McFaul.

10.30am: Kevin Toner, Mark Scullion, Thomas Hughes.

St Joseph's

Eucharistic Ministers Weekend of 13th October.

Dolores McErlean & Barbara Carey

OCTOBER SCHEDULES

Reader: Rosemary Heaney.

Collectors: Joseph Scullion & Terence Duffin

Altar Society: Helen Griffin & Jenny Griffin.

The Offertory Collection last Sunday was
£2,335.00 (331 envelopes ret'd) Thank you!

The Building and Maintenance Fund Collection
will be taken up after Communion at all Masses this weekend.
Please use the yellow envelope provided.



Spiritual Reading Book Club

Oct - 'Heart Speaks to Heart' by Dermot Mansfield (The story of John Henry Newman). Copies of books available for purchase. Tues 22 Oct & 19 Nov 10:30 am - 11:45 am. Suggested Offering £5.00.

'She Inspires Me' A series of meditative mornings will be held in Thornhill House, 121 Culmore Road, Derry. Time: 10:30 am -12:00 noon Dates: Mondays 7, 14, 21 & 28 Oct. Suggested Offering £7.50. For more information, please phone 028 7135 1233, email thornhillministries@derrydiocese.org or visit www.thornhillministries.co.uk.

Coastal Rosary for Life, Faith and Love: Join in with thousands of people all around Ireland, as we gather on our coasts, near rivers, in our churches, at grottos etc. to pray the Rosary for Life, Faith and Love on Sunday October 13th at 2.30pm. We will join in with many countries around the world. To register a location please visit www.coastalrosaryireland.ie or text/call 087 278 6552.

SMA Retreat & Conference Centre, Dromantine, Newry:

Sat. 19th Oct. **'The Green Platform'**, led by Mr Declan Coyle - £45;

Sat. 9th Nov. **'Finding God in the Mess'** Fr B.Mc Manus SJ & Jim Deeds - £30

An evening in celebration of John Henry Newman: To mark the forthcoming canonisation of John Henry Newman, the Catholic Chaplaincy at Queen's invites you to an evening of celebration on his feast day, Wed 9th Oct. Mass will be celebrated in the Chaplaincy, 28 Elmwood Avenue, Belfast, at 7pm followed by a talk **Newman's Idea of a University** to be given by Dr Andrew Meszaros, Maynooth.

The Net. The October edition of The Net is now available; coverage includes:

New NYC member shares faith story, Maghera pilgrims on Lough Derg,

Aghyaran Blessing of Graves, Bishop Seamus Hegarty laid to rest.

Derry Diocesan Trust, Three Patrons Parish, Pastoral Youth Ministry

Co-ordinator. required: 10 month contract to cover maternity leave (possibility of extension). 30 hours per week. For an application pack please email: payroll@derrydiocese.org or telephone 048/(028) 7126 2302. Closing date for applications: Wed 16th Oct at 5.00pm. Send to Personnel, Bishop's House, St Eugene's Cathedral, Francis Street, Derry (or email payroll@derrydiocese.org)
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GIFT Programme - Reminder to All Year 8'S

The GIFT Programme will run on the Following Dates:

17th October, 24th October, 7th November and

14th November.

In St Mary's Parochial Hall From 6.30pm to 8.00pm.

If you have not Signed Up already please leave your name and Parents contact Number into the Parish Office.

All Years 8's From the Parish are Welcome.

The Values of GIFT are faith, Fun and Friendships.

Parish email: info@bellaghyparish.com

Children's Liturgy Teams—October.

Vigil: Team A....Fiona Crozier.

10.30am: Team B....Noel O'Sullivan

