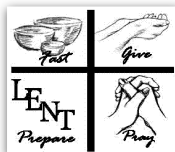


St Mary's Bellaghy/St Joseph's Ballyscullion.

6th March 2022.

First Sunday of Lent



Mass Times during the week ahead.

Monday & Thursday @ 9.30am (On Monday mornings mass is offered for the sick)

Tuesday No Mass

Wednesday and Friday at 7.00pm

Sat Vigil at 6.30pm Sun 10.30am

St Joseph's Ballyscullion Sun 9.00am.

Outdoor Stations of the Cross in New Cemetery each Wednesday during

Lent, @ 6.30 pm, prior to evening mass @ 7.00

Each Friday evening in the chapel @ 6.30 pm prior to evening mass

HOLY HOUR FOR VOCATIONS will take place in St Mary's Church, Creggan, on Friday 11 March, from 8 - 9pm, led by Fr Patrick Lagan. Everyone is welcome to attend, or to follow the Holy Hour on the Creggan parish webcam at www.cregganparish.com

Deaths: Eithna McGuckin RIP.

We offer our prayerful sympathy to the McGuckin family circle on the death of Eithna. May she rest in peace.

ANNIVERSARIES Sat/Sun 5th/6th: Tom Boorman, Thomas McErlean, Mary Jane

Milne, Tommy McErlean, John Joe Brennan

Mon 7th: Joseph McErlean,,

Tues 8th: ,

Wed 9th: Fiona McGlinchey (1st Anniversary Mass at 7pm),

Thurs 10th:

Fri 11th: Mick Cassidy (month mind at 7pm)

Sat/Sun 12th/13th:

May they rest in peace.

We ask that all Anniversary and Month Mind Masses be booked through the Parish Office.

Going forward we will try to include anniversary intentions for those who have died in the last 10 years. If you have a family member or friend who died before this date that you wish to be remembered please contact the Parish Office.

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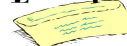
0808 808 8000

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Offering Envelopes



Trocaire: Trocaire Boxes are now available in the Church

Porch. The 2022 Lenten campaign highlights how Covid-19 has impacted communities in Zimbabwe who were already facing significant challenges due to climate change and food insecurity.

Lent isn't just about what you give up...it's about what you give back as well.

Derry Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes will resume this year, from 3 - 8 July 2022. Cost: £689 per person sharing, with single room supplement £150. Price includes flights, transfers and full board. ***The pilgrimage will be suitable for pilgrims who do not require medical, nursing or personal assistance as, unfortunately, this cannot be provided this year.*** The intentions of the sick of the diocese can be taken to Lourdes. The Pilgrimage Office, will be open for enquires and application forms on Thursdays and Saturdays, 11.00am – 1.00pm, from 3 March. 028 71 260293 or derrypilgrim@outlook.com

We welcome into God's family through Baptism:

Fínn Liam McNally, Culbann Rd

Eoghan Gerard Graham, Ballynease Rd



The Offertory Collection for the past week

amounted to £2,670.00 Envelopes can be dropped into letterbox at Parish Office.

All contributions are much appreciated.

Notice for Parents of Children being Confirmed this year:

We would like to invite parents and their child being Confirmed to participate in the Liturgy of the Word during Mass. Please contact the Parish Office as soon as possible to express your interest.

Children's Liturgy: We are delighted to announce that the Children's Liturgy programme will resume (in the Prayer Room) at the Masses this weekend 5th/6th March. Sessions are aimed for children P1-P4 however those in P5/6 may also attend.

St. Malachy's GAC Castledawson- Lotto numbers on Monday 28th February were 5, 7, 10 & 21. NO JACKPOT WINNER. £25 lucky dips to Niall Gribbin & Catherine & Benny McKay. Jackpot next week £800. Thanks to all who support this club fundraiser. Anyone not currently playing and who would like to, please contact Brendan Keenan (M: 07810871370).

March Schedules:

St Mary's :

Readers:

Saturday Vigil: Ciara & Aoibheann Rea - 10.30am Siobhan Scullion

Church Cleaners: Patricia Larkin, Erin Mullan, Sorcha Mullan

Church Stewards:

Vigil: Manus og McShane, Pius Diamond

10.30am: Noel O'Sullivan, Seamus O'Sullivan

Altar Society: Laura Rea

St Joseph's :

Reader: Sunday 9.00 am Brenda Mullen

Altar Society: Helen, Laura & Sarah Louise Duffin

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New Weekly Envelopes.

The weekly envelopes will be distributed at the end of March.

Please let us know if any of the following apply to you:

You are not receiving envelopes and would like a box.

Change of details e.g. name, address etc

Standing Order—if you prefer to pay your envelope directly.

Are you new to the Parish?

Gift Aid: If you are part of the Gift Aid scheme and no longer pay tax please let us know.

Please contact the Parish Office to update details 02879 386259 or email info@bellaghyparish.com



February 2022 edition of 'The Net' is now available on the Diocesan website – <https://www.derrydiocese.org/publications/the-net/the-net-february-2022.pdf>

Pope John Paul II Award Youth Pilgrimage To Knock Shrine on Tues, 22 March:

Aged between of 16 and 18? You Are Invited To Join youth from all over Ireland in a day of prayer, talks and music. **Guest speaker will be Fr Peter McVerry of the Peter McVerry Trust.** The pilgrimage will start at 11:00am and conclude after 2:30pm Mass, celebrated by Award patron, Bishop Donal McKeown.

For transport information contact your local secondary school or the Derry Youth Ministry office on 00 44 (0)28 7126 4087 or [email lizzie.rea@derrydiocese.org](mailto:lizzie.rea@derrydiocese.org).

Synod "Walking together"

This Synod of the Universal Church will include every parish worldwide including Ballyscullion, it takes place over the coming two years and will examine what life is like in the Church at this moment in time.

How do we make decisions? How do we create community?

How welcoming are we? Do we provide opportunities for people to participate

and further the mission of the Church to bring the love of Christ into every corner of the world?

We as a parish are part of this process. **You are all invited to these meetings to have your say.** Your answers to the questions posed will be collated into a diocesan report that will inform the meeting of Bishops from all over the world in Rome in 2023.

Invitation to Public Meeting:

