St. Malachy's G.A.C. – Lotto Numbers: 1,10, 12 & 19 £25 each to Fergal Gribbin and Bill Watson; Jackpot next week £1500.

Bellaghy Historical Society: Meeting on Tuesday 12 November at 8pm in The Old School House. Topic: Earl Bishop Hervey and Ballyscullion House. Speaker: Stephen Price

The Annual Mass for deceased children and young people will take place in St Eugene's Cathedral, Derry, on Sunday, 10 November, at 7:00pm. There will be an opportunity to write down the name of your deceased loved one before Mass. All are welcome to attend. You can also join this Mass live on the St Eugene's Cathedral webcam.

**Trócaire School Volunteers:** Are you a retired teacher or someone who has experience presenting to groups of school children? Do you have a passion for making this world a better place, especially for the most vulnerable? Trócaire is looking for volunteers to support their 2025 Lent Appeal in the Derry Diocese. If you think you have the right skills and experience and will be available to help during school hours over Lent, then they would love to hear from you. Full training and ongoing support will be provided. For more information, please call Naomi Purnell on 028 9080 8033 or email naomi.purnell@trocaire.org.

#### Sacramental Schedule for 2025:

First Confession:

Bellaghy, Tuesday 25 March at 7pm Greenlough, Thursday 10 April at 6pm.



Confirmation:

Bellaghy, Friday 28 March at 11am **Greenlough,** Friday 28 March at 3pm.



Communion

**First Holy Communion:** 

Bellaghy, Saturday 10 May at 11am Greenlough, Saturday 10 May at 1.30pm.



# St Mary's, Bellaghy/St Joseph's, Ballyscullion. Thirty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time. 10 November 2024.



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# St Mary's, Bellaghy

Mon. Wed & Fri 9.30am Tues, 7pm (Everyone Matters Mass) Sat Vigil, 7pm Sun, 11am Adoration every Friday from 10am (Please see new Rota)

### St Oliver Plunkett, Clady

Tues, 9.30am Thurs, 7.30pm **Adoration** 9am - 5pm Thursday. Sat Vigil, 5.30pm Sun, 9am

St Joseph's Ballyscullion Sun, 10am

**DEATHS:** We offer our sympathy to the family and friends of **Eileen McKeagney** (Swatragh), Artie Cassidy (Newbridge), Sean McKenna (Leicester), and

Philomena Tohill (Clady) who died recently.

#### **ANNIVERSARIES**

Sat/Sun 9/10: Siobhan McErlean (Anniversary Mass at 7pm), Bernie McIvor (Anniversary Mass at 7pm), Peter Kealey (Anniversary Mass at 11am), Susanna Molloy, Fintan Mulholland, Frank McAllister, John Lee, Paddy McNicholl, Jim McTeague, Rose Agnew, Mary Toner,

Sat/Sun 16/17: Damien Quinn, Jeannie McNally, Barney McCallion,

May they rest in peace.



Pioneer Pledge for the month of the Holy Souls: A short-term pledge gives spiritual support and encouragement to people and their families who are living under a shadow of addiction. Contact the Pioneer Total Abstinence Association on 003531 805 4226 or via www.pioneers.ie/pray

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The Blessing and Commissioning of Readers and Eucharistic Ministers will take place at all Masses next weekend, 16/17 November. The Blessing will take place after the Gospel. All those to



receive the Blessing will be asked to come forward together, as far as the step of the sanctuary. After the Blessing they will return to their seats. We pray for them all as they prepare to begin or continue their ministry on behalf of the parish.

We ask that all **Readers and Eucharistic Ministers** send in your **contact details** to the Parish Office to help with organising schedules.

If anyone would be willing to act as co-ordinator for either or both of the groups of Readers or Eucharistic Ministers, please get in touch with the Parish Office.

That those called to serve as priests of the diocese of Derry will have the generosity of the widow in today's gospel.



The Offertory Collection Thank you!

Last week's collection: £2,590.00



The Irish Pilgrimage Trust are having a Church Door Collection next weekend 16/17 November at all Masses. The Trust organises an Annual Pilgrimage to Lourdes each Easter to take young people with additional needs for a week. There will be a speaker to explain more about the Charity at each Mass. Thank you for your support of this cause.

Please note: there will be some work going on in our churches over the next week or so, in order to upgrade our webcam systems.

#### Preparing for Holy Year 2025—Pilgrims of Hope.

The Creed is our opportunity to stand up and profess our faith in God who is Father, Son, and Holy Spirit. It reminds us also of the role of Mary, the Mother of Jesus in the story of Salvation, and it invites us to cherish the fact that we are part of the universal Church, and that we share the same faith with more than a billion people around the world.

The Intercessions are the expression of some of our needs as a Church, as a diocese, and as a parish community. There should, as least occasionally, be a time of quiet prayer for us to express our own thoughts and prayers at this time.

The Eucharistic Prayer is the time when the bread and wine that have been offered become the Body and Blood of Jesus Christ, our Lord and Saviour. It's a time for active listening to the words spoken by the priest as he calls on the Holy Spirit to make Jesus present to us and for us. The "Mystery of Faith" is an acclamation we should make fervently and enthusiastically as it professes something very important about our belief in who Jesus is, in what He has done, and continues to do for us.

# November Schedules: St Mary's:

**Eucharistic Ministers: Weekdays:** Gertrude Toner **Vigil:** B Quigley, A Scullion, R Craig, P McGoldrick. **11am:** N O'Sullivan, L Boyle, J McGinn, M Lennon.

**Readers: Vigil:** Marietta Duffin **11am:** Paul McKenna & family

Weekdays: Mon: M Scullion Wed: A Scott Fri: M Kilpatrick

**Church Cleaners:** The McGoldrick family (Edenreagh)

Stewards: Vigil: John McGoldrick (M'boy Rd) & Manus Óg McShane

**11am: Tommy McGoldrick,** John Francis O'Neill, Kevin Doherty.

Car Park: Michael Larkin, Ian Milne. Altar Society: Rosemary McMullan

St Joseph's:

Eucharistic Minister: Claire Quinn. Collector: Joe McLaughlin

**Reader:** Barbara Carey **Altar Society:** Pamela McLaughlin