St Ergnat's GAC. Lotto No's: 11, 13, 14, 24. £30 each to Breige Marron and Michaeleen Bradley. Jackpot £3,300

St Malachy's GAC. Lotto No's: 2, 7, 11, 16. No Winner

£25 Prizes to Gary McMullan & Seamus Keenan. Jackpot next week £4000.

The Rise and Shine Trust Pilgrimage to Lourdes next Easter, (formerly The Irish Pilgrimage Trust), are now welcoming applicants for children/young people with additional needs social or emotionally disadvantaged 11-30.In addition children up to 11yrs with serious or terminal illnesses can travel with a parent or guardian. We are also looking for volunteers to assist with the pilgrimage next Easter.

For further information contact Maurice Diamond on 07711504821 or online https://www.riseandshine.ie

Castledawson/Bellaghy Surgery(Dr Woulahan Practice) flu/covid clinic: will be taking place in Christchurch Parish Hall on Saturday 18 October 2025 from 8am-12 noon. Please ring on 07858583835 to arrange an appointment.

Bellaghy Historical Society: Next meeting on Tues 14 Oct at 8pm in The Old School Centre. Topic: Scary Stories, Superstitions and Beliefs. Speaker: Dr David Hume MBE.

Mary's Meals—Good News: Mary's Meals is now reaching over 3 million children with daily school meals across 16 countries. We invite you to continue to pray for this work and to consider volunteering your time locally to help us raise awareness so we can keep the promise of a daily meal to the children we currently feed. Visit www.marysmeals.org.uk or contact Caoimhe on 07394564065 to find out more.

Youth 2000 Prayer Group at Lavey Parochial house every Fri at 7.30pm. For ages 16-35. For more information, please contact Gemma on 07934 791188.

Mass and Holy Hour for Vocations: The 7:30pm Mass on Tues 30 Sep, in St Columb's Church, Chapel Road, Waterside, will be offered for an increase in vocations to the Priesthood in the Diocese of Derry. All are welcome.

St Mary's, Bellaghy/St Joseph's, Ballyscullion. 28 September 2025. World Day Of Migrants And Refugees Twenty-Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time.

Everything we are is a gift from God.

It is our faith that gives us strength. It is our faith that enables us to see the light of Jesus Christ in our lives and to understand how important it is to live our faith. Not only on Sundays, not only during a pilgrimage, but each and every day so that we will be filled with the hope that only Jesus Christ can give us and that all of us together will continue to walk united as brothers and sisters to praise our God; to recognise that everything we have and everything we are is a gift from God, and to place those gifts at the service of others.

On the occasion of the Jubilee Pilgrimage for peace in Africa. Altar of the Chair of St Peter's Basilica. 26 May 2025

St Mary's, Bellaghy:

Mon 9.30am

Sat Vigil, 7pm Sun 5 Oct, 11am

Adoration, Friday from 10am—8pm (Rosary at 7.30pm).

St Oliver Plunkett, Clady: Fri, 9.30am

Tues, Rosary at 7.30pm *Adoration* 9am - 5pm Thursday.

Sat Vigil, 5.30pm Sun 5 Oct, 11am (Streamed from Bellaghy)

St Joseph's Ballyscullion: Sun, 9.45am.

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Last week's Offertory Collection amounted to

£2,030.00. Thank you for your generous contribution.

The Retired Priests Collection: £740.00

The Building and Maintenance Collection will be taken up at the

Masses next weekend. Please use the envelope provided.

Praying this weekend for our seminarians and the men discerning a vocation to the diocesan priesthood we echo the advice of St Paul to Timothy in the second reading: that they'll fight the good fight of the faith and speak up for the



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truth as witnesses to the presence of Jesus Christ in the Church and in the world today.

As we enter into **October, the month of the Rosary** we're invited to pray the Rosary for Peace; every day, if possible, and especially on 22 October, the Feast of Pope St John Paul II.

We could do this individually, with family, or with friends. Maybe the Rosary isn't a devotion you practise, but you might still offer a decade, or even just one Hail Mary (or more) for Peace.

Alternatively, you might fast for the much needed intention of Peace in our time.

Feast Days of the Week:

! Mon 29: SS Michael, Gabriel and Raphael, Archangels.

Tues 30: St Jerome, priest and doctor of the Church.

Wed 1: St Thérese of the Child Jesus, virgin and doctor of the Church.

Thurs 2: The Guardian Angels
Sat 4: St Francis of Assisi

Deaths: We offer our sympathy to the family and family circle of Lorcan Mulholland who died in Spain. Lorcan is a nephew of Adrian Mulholland.

ANNIVERSARIES

Sat/Sun 27/28: John Murray (Anniversary Mass at 9.45am), Patsy O'Neill (Anniversary Mass Mon 29 Sep at 9.30am), Martin McPeake, Esther Brown, Kathleen McErlean, Liam Horley, Anne Breslin, John Diamond, Hugh Heaney, Pauline Henry, Eileen Doherty, John Kearney, Hugh Kilpatrick, Elizabeth Speer.

Sat/Sun 4/5: Margaret McMullan (Month's Mind at 7pm), Damian Brown (Anniversary Mass at 11am), Michelle O'Neill, Dennis Law, William McCallion, Vincent McMullan, Alec Mawhinney. May they rest in peace.

October Schedules:

St Mary's:

Eucharistic Ministers: Weekdays: A Scullion.

Vigil: G Toner, C Kerr, C Gallagher, S Armstrong, M Larkin.

11am: K Doherty, L Harkin, R Donnelly, M Lennon, M Duffin.

Readers: Vigil: Marie Kilpatrick 11am: Michael Scullion

Weekdays: Mon: M Scullion Wed: A Scott

Church Cleaners: Ann McCann, Mary Scullion, Anne Marie Davey, Michelle Scullion.

Stewards: Vigil: Tommy Doherty, Martin McFaul. **11am:** Kevin Toner, Mark Scullion, Thomas Hughes.

Car Park: Aidan Diamond, Patrick McKenna.

Altar Society: Roisin Stewart.

St Joseph's:

Eucharistic Minister: Barbara Carey **Collector:** Terence Duffin

Reader: Helen & Grace Neeson Altar Society: Helen & Jenny Griffin