



**Job Opportunity**

Derry Diocesan Trust seeks to recruit a Youth Co-ordinator for the Parish of Templemore (*St Eugene's Cathedral and St Columba's, Long Tower*). Part-Time (20 hours), Fixed Term One-Year Contract (with possibility of extension). The employee will facilitate the growth of the faith of all youth within the parish, which currently has five primary schools and three post-primary schools. For application packs please email [office@derrydiocese.org](mailto:office@derrydiocese.org) or telephone 028 7126 2302. Completed applications must be returned to Derry Diocesan Trust, Bishop's House, St Eugene's Cathedral, Francis Street, Derry, BT48 9AP, or via email, to be received no later than 5.00pm on Thursday 22nd August 2019.

*Derry Diocesan Trust is an Equal Opportunities Employer.*

**Parish Contact Details**

**Mass & Confession Times**

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**Sacred Heart Church (Sacristy)** 8225 2152

**Mass Times**  
**Sacred Heart Church**  
**Vigil** : Saturday at 6.00 pm  
**Sunday** : 9 am, 11 am & 12.30 pm  
**Monday - Friday**: 10 am & 7.30 pm  
**Saturday**: 10 am Mass  
**St Mary's Drumragh**: Sunday at 10 am  
**Eucharistic Adoration in Sacred Heart**:  
Wednesday @ 10.30 am - 7.15 pm  
**Rosary**: 9.30 am & 7 pm  
**Confession Times**  
**Friday**: 6.30 - 7.15 pm  
**Saturday**: 10.30 am - 12.30 pm & After  
Vigil Mass

### Feasts of the Week

**Week Beginning Sunday 18<sup>th</sup> August 2019**

**Monday 19** – St John Eudes, priest

**Tuesday 20** – St Bernard, abbot and doctor of the Church

**Wednesday 21** – St Pius X, pope

**Thursday 22** – The Queenship of the Blessed Virgin Mary

**Friday 23** – St Rose of Lima, virgin; St Eugene (Eoghan), bishop

**Saturday 24** – St Bartholomew, Apostle

### Baptisms

We welcome into our Christian Community:

**Noah Gerald Doherty**

### Recent Weddings

We congratulate the following couple who were married here recently:

**Emma Cosheril & Patrick Hughes**

May the grace of the sacrament remain with them all their lives.

### Recent Deaths

We pray for the family of the following who died recently:

**Jean Jardine**

May she rest in peace.

### Prayer for Priests

**We pray for the following priests this week:**

**Sunday 18<sup>th</sup> August** – Fr Gerard Mongan

**Monday 19<sup>th</sup> August** – Fr Colm Morris

**Tuesday 20<sup>th</sup> August** – For All Priests

**Wednesday 21<sup>st</sup> August** – Fr Aidan Mullan

**Thursday 22<sup>nd</sup> August** – Fr Kevin Mullan

**Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> August** – Fr Michael F Mullan

**Saturday 24<sup>th</sup> August** – Fr Patrick J Mullan

### Order of Malta Pilgrimage to Knock

Leaving Omagh Bus Depot at 8.45 am on Sunday 25<sup>th</sup> August. Stops for Tea, Coffee & Scones on way and for 1 hour in Bundoran on the way home. Price is £10 pp including morning tea. Contact Laura on 0792 845 6806 or Angela on 0759 337 1441 to book.

### Holy Communion to Sick & Housebound

The Eucharistic Ministers will bring Holy Communion to the sick and housebound who have requested it, today (Sunday) after 9 am Mass and 11 am Mass and after 10 am Mass in Drumragh.



### Parish Office Closure

The Parish Office will be closed for holidays from Thursday 22<sup>nd</sup> August to Thursday 5<sup>th</sup> September (inclusive). It will reopen on Friday 6<sup>th</sup> September at 9 am.

There will be a newsletter printed for the weekend of 24<sup>th</sup>/25<sup>th</sup> August. If you have an article you wish to be included for the period during which the office is closed, please forward it to the Office by 12 pm on Tuesday 20<sup>th</sup> August. The next newsletter will be printed on the weekend of 7<sup>th</sup>/8<sup>th</sup> September.

### Diocesan Religious Education Conference

*'The Path I Walk Christ Walks It'*: The Diocese of Derry is hosting its inaugural Education Conference for Schools in Saint Columb's College, Derry on Wednesday 28<sup>th</sup> and Thursday 29<sup>th</sup> August. As part of this event, there will be two public sessions, beginning each evening at 7 pm. On 28<sup>th</sup> August, Fr Adrian Porter, SJ, Director of the Jesuit Institute of Education, London, will speak about, 'Trusting God - Promoting Positive Mental Health in a Catholic School' and, on 29<sup>th</sup> August, Professor Francis Campbell, Vice Chancellor of Saint Mary's University, Twickenham, will address the topic, 'Why Choose a Catholic School?' Everyone is welcome to attend.



**Dates for Your Diary**

Are you worried about the environment? As Christians, we have a responsibility within creation and towards nature. This is an essential part of our faith. What practical part must we, as individuals and collectively, play in this area? Pope Francis addressed this in his recent encyclical Laudato Si.

In a series of weekly talks in the Sacred Heart Church, commencing on Wednesday 18<sup>th</sup> September, we will be addressed by specialists in this area, including:

- Fr Sean McDonagh - a Columban priest and eco-theologian who advised on the first draft of the Pope's encyclical Laudato Si
- Dympna Mallon - responsible for identification and development of new opportunities for engagement with the SMA mission.

We are privileged to be the first parish in the diocese to be addressed by these speakers and on such a critical topic at this time. Watch this space for more information in future weeks.

**Grandparents' Pilgrimage**

The Catholic Grandparents Association Annual National Grandparents Pilgrimage takes place on 8<sup>th</sup> September 2019 at Knock Shrine at 2.30 pm. Everybody is welcome to honour and thank Grandparents for all they have done for us down through the ages. Chief Celebrant will be Bishop Kevin Doran, Bishop of Elphin – with music from the Combined Choirs of Knock Parish and Dana sings 'Our Lady of Knock'.



**Sacred Heart College Post 16**

*Where Your Future Matters*

Applications from students at other schools/colleges are welcome.

Wide range of subject choices available.

Contact Mrs S Rodgers, Head of Post 16 at Sacred Heart College, telephone 028 8224 2717 or email [info@shc.omagh.ni.sch.uk](mailto:info@shc.omagh.ni.sch.uk)

**Prayer for those Receiving Results**

*Lord*

*I lay before you all the hopes and fears I have about the outcome of my exams. May you place a peace within me now as I rest and await the results. Thank you that I am safely held in your love. I ask you that whatever happens in the future I will live in your goodness and walk with you always.*

*Amen*



**Masters in Catholic School Leadership**

The Derry Diocesan Catechetical Centre, working in Partnership with Saint Mary's University, Twickenham, offers the Masters in Catholic School Leadership. This is a post graduate degree dedicated to the professional development and spiritual formation of Catholic school leaders. It is a great opportunity for those currently in leadership roles and those who aspire to, or have an interest in, leadership roles within the Catholic School system. The next intake will be Autumn 2019. If you require further information, please call 028 7126 4087 or email [tferry@derrydiocese.org](mailto:tferry@derrydiocese.org).



**Killyclogher & Knockmoyle:  
Annual Blessing of the  
Graves  
St Mary's Church,  
Killyclogher**



Sunday 1<sup>st</sup> September: Mass will be celebrated at 11am, followed by the Blessing of the Graves. Mass will be celebrated in the Church and relayed outside, weather permitting.

**St Mary's Church, Knockmoyle**

Sunday 8<sup>th</sup> September: Mass will be celebrated at 10 am in the Church and relayed outside, weather permitting.

### St Joseph's Hall Dance

Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> August

Music by Sprig of Heather

Starting @ 9.30 pm

Admission £5 – Supper Served



### Lough Derg 2019

Last day to begin the Three Day Pilgrimage is Tuesday 13<sup>th</sup> August. One Day Retreats resume on Saturday 17<sup>th</sup> August and continue on specific days until Sunday 29<sup>th</sup> September. For bookings or further information, telephone Maureen or Lorraine on 00353 71 9861518 or email: [info@loughderg.org](mailto:info@loughderg.org).

### Diocesan Pilgrimage to Knock Shrine

Pilgrimage to Knock on Saturday 28<sup>th</sup> September, led by Bishop Donal McKeown. Stations of the Cross 2pm, Mass 3pm, with Sacrament of the Sick. Buses will travel, with a variety of pick-up points. Contact Fr Patrick Lagan for details, email: [steugenes@btconnect.com](mailto:steugenes@btconnect.com) or 028 7126 2894.

### Partners in Mission

We need you! A Listening Event will take place on Saturday 14<sup>th</sup> September 2019 from 10.30 am to 3.00 pm in St Joseph's Parish Hall, Omagh. This will provide an opportunity for dialogue and sharing with those who have worked in pastoral and missionary work overseas and in our local parish. Tea & refreshments provided. All are welcome. Please contact Bernie on 0777 636 6764 for more information.

### Schola

If any singer is interested in being part of a schola for the pleasure of singing sacred music, and for the occasional liturgical celebration, please contact Sr Perpetua at Thornhill Ministries on 028 7135 1233. Rehearsals will be once every third Sunday afternoon 3:00 pm – 4:15 pm. First rehearsal will be on Sunday 25<sup>th</sup> August at Thornhill House, 121 Culmore Road Derry.

### St Joseph's Hall

**Mon** 7.30 pm Zumba with Roberta

**Tues** 10 am - Weightwatchers

9 pm - Bingo - Jackpot £1000

All other activities have now ceased for the Summer. The Committee would like to thank all the patrons of the Hall for their support and look forward to welcoming them back in September.



**For all enquiries about booking and access to St Joseph's Hall, please call the Parish Office on 028 8224 2092 during office hours.**

### Useful Telephone Numbers

<b>ACCORD</b>	8224 2439
<b>AL-ANON FAMILY</b>	9068 2368
<b>ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS</b>	9043 4848
<b>AWARE</b>	7126 0602
<b>CARE FOR CANCER</b>	8224 6599
<b>CRUSE</b>	8224 4414
<b>DRUG AWARENESS</b>	0800 776600
<b>GAMBLERS</b>	7135 1329
<b>THE SAMARITANS</b>	8224 4944
<b>WOMEN'S AID</b>	0800 9171414
<b>SVDP THRIFT SHOP</b>	8225 2000
<b>SVDP HELPLINE</b>	07738837991