

## THE EASTER JOURNEY

### *Being Hopeful On Our Journey*

Easter ...reminds us that there is for all of us the real possibility of a fresh start and a different outcome to the challenging perplexity of our lives. The forty days of Lent are behind us. The fifty days of Easter stretch out before us. As we have died with Christ so now shall we live with Him. Such is the meaning and promise of our Baptism. Our old life is at an end. There is a new beginning.

We should not understand this too naively, of course. Easter is a genuine possibility for all of us but we need to make it our own if anything is to come of it.

The journey through Lent to Easter is the journey of a lifetime.

As to where we might be in that journey ... for many of us it is, perhaps, still very early on the first day of the week and quite dark in the first glimmer of dawn.


But that is enough to nourish our hope.

*Fr James O'Kane*

*(Homilies for 2017/2018/ Part1: Advent to Pentecost)*



### Recent Deaths

*We pray for the families of:*  
 Mary Alice Byrne, Strabane / Aghyaran  
 Shiela McGaughey, Main St, Mountfield  
*May they rest in peace*

### Parish Office Closed for Easter

The office will be closed on Easter Mon & Tues.  
 In an emergency, phone: 07561838455.

### Eucharistic Minister Rota : CTK

Available now to collect in the Sacristy.

### Knockmoyle Hall

A Dance will be held in the Hall on Friday 6th April. Dancing from 9.30pm to Country Cousins!

### Killyclogher Senior Citizens Club

Hosting a Coffee Morning in the parish centre on Sun 22nd April. Everyone welcome.

### Trócaire

Please return your donations/Trócaire boxes to the Church sacristy's or parish office.

### KCYC Donation to Trócaire

Well done to the boys & girls of Killyclogher Youth Club who raised a fantastic £200 for Trócaire with their sponsored Skip-a-thon!!

### Could you be an ACCORD Marriage Facilitator?

If you are interested contact: 82242439 or omagh@accordni.com. Full training provided.

### GAA Weekly Lotto:

Winning No's: 7, 11, 12, 14, 26 / 11 winners: £10

### Bingo

Every Monday night in the parish centre at 9pm

### Thank you for your Donation

Stipend: £5,430




*May the Blessings of Easter fill your heart and home with Peace, Joy & Love*  
 Fr's Kevin, Daniel & Stephen

### Changes to Mass Schedule for Easter:

During Easter Week (2<sup>nd</sup>-6<sup>th</sup>Apr) there will be No Evening Masses, only 10am Daily Mass in St Mary's Church, Killyclogher.

### Divine Mercy Sunday 8<sup>th</sup> April

 Divine Mercy Chaplet will be celebrated in St Mary's Church, Killyclogher at 3pm. Chaplet of Divine Mercy, Scripture reading, Homily, Solemn Blessing of Picture, Benediction, Healing of Blessed Sacrament and Veneration of Picture.

*All are invited to this special day of graces.*

Refreshments will be served after in the Parish Centre; with all donations towards Marys Meals.

### 9 Day Novena of Chaplet of Divine Mercy

The Novena and daily reading of St Faustina's Diary commenced on Good Friday. It will continue after each morning after 10am Mass in Killyclogher, with the exception of Easter Sunday. Come and join in this community Novena of Prayer.

### 2018/2019 Parish Draw

The first draw will take place on Monday 9<sup>th</sup> April 2018. If you would like to **join the draw** (£5/month) or would like to **be a promoter** (chance to win the prompters prize £100/month) : Contact the Parish Office:028 8224 3375. If you're not in .....you can't win!

Safeguarding Children Contact Details for Relevant Agencies and Services

PSNI 0845 600 8000 | Gateway Services 028 8283 5043

Alternatively, if you or anyone you know has a child safeguarding concern in relation to any member of church personnel and wishes to report it to church authorities please contact one of the diocesan designated persons, who will, in turn, report this concern to the relevant statutory authorities.

Noel O'Donnell 075 9650 0793 | Celine McKenna 077 0731 1358

*Thought for the week....*

*"We are the Easter people  
and Alleluia is our song"*

*Pope John Paul II*

**St Mary's Church, Killiclogher**

Sunday Mass: Vigil: 7.30pm, 9am, 11am.  
 Daily Mass: Mon-Sat 10am. Tues & Fri 7.30pm  
 Confessions: Sat after 10am Mass & 6.45-7.20pm  
 Rosary: Mon-Sat 9.10am  
 Adoration: Fri 3pm-7.20pm  
 Legion of Mary: Mon 8.15pm  
 Our Lady of Perpetual Help Novena: Tues 10am  
 Divine Mercy Chaplet: Sun 3pm

**St Mary's Church, Knockmoyle**

Sunday Mass: 10am  
 Weekdays: Mon & Wed 10am

**Christ the King Church, Strathroy**

Sunday Mass: Vigil 6.30pm, 12noon  
 Daily Mass: Mon & Wed 7.30pm  
 Thurs morning as announced  
 Confessions: Mon & Wed 7-7.20pm; Sat 5.45-6.20pm  
 Rosary & Divine Mercy Chaplet: Wed 6.45pm  
 Adoration: Mon 6-7pm, Thurs 7-8pm &  
 Sun 3.30-6.30pm

**Corpus Christi Church, Mountfield**

Sunday Mass: 10am

**Prayer for Priests**

**02<sup>nd</sup> Mar:** Fr Con McLaughlin  
**03<sup>rd</sup> Mar:** Fr George McLaughlin  
**04<sup>th</sup> Mar:** All Priests  
**05<sup>th</sup> Mar:** Fr Peter McLaughlin  
**06<sup>th</sup> Mar:** All Priests  
**07<sup>th</sup> Mar:** Fr Ignatius McQuillan  
**08<sup>th</sup> April :** Fr Peter Madden

**Feasts of the Week**

Easter Monday  
 Easter Tuesday  
 Easter Wednesday  
 Easter Thursday  
 Easter Friday  
 Easter Saturday  
 Second Sunday of Easter

**Pope Francis Tweets**

"Anyone who turns away from the Cross, turns away from the Resurrection."



**Adoration for Pro-Life**

Adoration in Christ the King, every Monday from 6-7pm is offered for the protection of families & life.

**Mountfield Notes.....**

St Brigid's PS & Play School, Mountfield Host a Golf Classic In Omagh Golf Club on Fri 6<sup>th</sup> Apr 2018. Teams of 4, £120 fee per team, with meal included. Contact Roisin for info: 07760185374  
 Easter Egg Hunt in the Play Park: Sun 1<sup>st</sup> April, starts 11am.  
 Vintage Motor Show: Sun 8<sup>th</sup> April from 1pm. Hard standing for all cars, refreshments available, entry is donation only.  
 Ladies Night in Hughie Ruadh's: Fri 13<sup>th</sup> April at 8pm. Admin: £5

**Join the Derry Youth Community (DYC) Adventure**

If you are between the ages of 18 and 27 and considering a Gap Year experience, why not consider one with a difference? The DYC are a community of faith and service located in the heart of Derry City and serving the young people of the Diocese of Derry. If faith is important in your life, and you are attracted to the ideal of service, you can find out more information at: [dyc@derrydiocese.org](mailto:dyc@derrydiocese.org) or visit: [www.derryyouthcommunity.com](http://www.derryyouthcommunity.com)

**Run for Enda 5K**

Takes place on Sat 7<sup>th</sup> April at 11am from Omagh Leisure Centre (OLC). Register online: [www.athleticsni.org](http://www.athleticsni.org) or at OLC on Thurs 5<sup>th</sup> & Fri 6<sup>th</sup> April from 5.30pm - 8pm.

**"45 Card Drive"**

Friday 6<sup>th</sup> April in The Glens Cottage, commencing at 8pm. Winners will qualify for 1 years subscription in the Cappagh Parish Draw. Tickets: £10. All Welcome to attend.

**Clogher Diocese seek to appoint : Youth Ministry Director**

Post full time for 1yr initially, subject to review. Application details and information: 00353 4772784 or email: [info@clogherdonoige.com](mailto:info@clogherdonoige.com)

**Anam Cara Donegal : Bereaved Parents Support Evening**

Thurs 12<sup>th</sup> April / 7.30-9pm / Radisson Blu Hotel, Letterkenny

**Care for Cancer Coffee Morning**

Wed 11<sup>th</sup> April / from 10.30am / 1 Campsie Place, Omagh

**MASS INTENTIONS**

**Sat 7<sup>th</sup> Apr:** El Mekki Berrabah, Berkley Heights / 7.30pm / KC  
**Sun 8<sup>th</sup> Apr:** Gina Carrigan, Glenderg Rd / 9am / KC  
**Sun 8<sup>th</sup> Apr:** Paddy & Maureen McCallion, Knockmoyle / 10am / KM  
**Sun 8<sup>th</sup> Apr:** Martin Carlin, Mulnafey Rd, Mountfield / 10am / MF

**World Meeting of Families : Dublin**

22<sup>nd</sup>-26<sup>th</sup> Aug 2018

**REGISTER NOW!**

**Registration for WMOF2018**

Visit: [www.worldmeeting2018.ie](http://www.worldmeeting2018.ie)  
 Individual pilgrims and families can register for the main three-day congress from 22<sup>nd</sup>-24<sup>th</sup> Aug, for the Festival of Families on Sat 25<sup>th</sup> Aug and for the Closing Mass on Sunday 26<sup>th</sup> Aug.

**Volunteer for WMOF2018.....**

WMOF2018 will attract thousands of pilgrims and organising at and seeing it through will only be possible with the help of volunteers. 16 & 17 yr olds can volunteers as part of a parish group. 18 + can volunteers individually. *To date there are two people from Cappagh registered as volunteers.* For full details about volunteering contact [www.worldmeeting2018.ie](http://www.worldmeeting2018.ie)

Contact the parish office to book Mass Intentions, Weddings, Baptisms

(month's minds and 1<sup>st</sup> anniversaries take precedence over other anniversaries - booking is subject to change)

Notices for CPN by 12noon / Wed. Parish office opening times: Mon-Fri: 9.15am-3.45pm | Lunch 1-1.30pm

**Parish Office** 8224 3375  
**Fr Kevin McElhennon PP** 8225 8108  
**Fr Stephen Kearney** 8225 2643

**Emergency mobile** 07561838455  
**Fr Daniel McFaul CC** 8225 1055  
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