



MISSION MONTH - OCTOBER 2017

SUNDAY 1ST OCT: DAY FOR LIFE

The message for us today is clear - talk is cheap, actions speak louder than words.

The phrase “Thy Kingdom Come” in the Our Father tells us we are all called to do what we can to build God’s Kingdom or as Pope Francis often says; we are called to be “missionary disciples.”

We can learn from St Thérèse of Lisieux, whose feast is celebrated on 1st Oct. St Thérèse died at the age of 24 as a nun in an enclosed convent in France; yet she is invoked as the patroness of the missionary work of the Church.

Through her prayers and her sufferings, in the mysterious ways of God’s providence, she brought many blessings to the work of the missionaries of her time. She can teach us that by offering our prayers and whatever suffering comes our way, we too can do our bit to build the Kingdom of God in ways we will never know this side of Heaven.

We pray that we may be builders of God’s Kingdom, not just by the prayers we say, but by the daily example of our lives.

(Fr. Aidan Ryan, Athlone)

Recent Baptisms



We welcome through Baptism:
Leah Grace Coleman

Recent Deaths



We pray for the family of:
Bridget O’Donnell, Old Mountfield Rd
May she rest in peace

Mountfield Youth Club

The Youth club will hold their Annual A.G.M Meeting on Wed 5th Oct at 7.30pm in St Brigid’s PS. Everyone is very welcome, especially new P1 parents and all existing parents.

Killiclogher Counters for October

Bridie Connolly, Anne McCusker & Lorna McGrath

Dancing in Knockmoyle Hall

Dancing to “Lands Country” on Fri 6th Oct from 10pm. Everyone Welcome!!

Christ the King Eucharistic Ministers

The Rota is now available to collect in the Sacristy.

Lost & Found

A ladies bracelet was found in Christ the King after 12 noon Mass a few weeks ago. Please contact Anthony in the Sacristy if it is yours.

Bingo

Every Monday night in the Parish Centre at 9pm.

GAA Weekly Lotto

Winning No’s: 6, 7, 13, 16, 23

1 won £100. Main jackpot remains at £5,000

Thank you for your Donation:

Weekly: £3,721 Emigrants Collection: £1,239

Do This In Memory Programme

REMINDER: Can all parents/guardians who wish their child to participate in this parish preparation programme - please **return the DTIM registration forms** to the School or Parish Office **by Tues 3rd Oct at the latest.** Only the names of the children registered will be announced at the Enrolment Mass on Sun 8th Oct at 12noon in Christ the King Church.

Mary: A Biblical Walk with the Blessed Mother

Mon 2nd Oct: Christ the King Church / 8pm

Tues 3rd Oct: Parish Centre, KC / 10.30am

Study books: £20 available at the first study class.

The Joy of Love in Marriage

A **Marriage Encounter Weekend** offers married couples (of all age ranges) private time to rediscover the joy of their love. The next residential weekend will be from 17th-19th Nov 2017 at The Lake Hotel, Killarney. For info and to book visit www.marriageencounter.ie or call (087) 784 0408.

Killiclogher Artisan Market - SAVE THE DATE!

The Artisan Market returns to the Parish Centre on Sunday 26th Nov 2017; with proceeds towards SVP and the Cappagh Development Fund. Come along to see a wide range of stalls, enjoy hot food & perhaps the man in red may also make a visit - Ho Ho Ho !!

St Marys PS 5K/10K Run or Walk

Sat 14th Oct at 11.30am. Registration forms are on the school website. Contact the school 8224 2313 if you can volunteer on the day. Registration/Number pickup at the Parish Centre on Fri 13th Oct 5-7pm. Refreshments in school after the race. All Welcome!

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...

*Lets grab the heart
of the world &
turn it to the light*

St Mary's Church, Killyclogher

Sunday Mass: Vigil: 7.30pm, 9am, 11am.
 Daily Mass: Mon-Sat 10am. Tues & Fri 7.30pm
 Confessions: Sat after 10am Mass
 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: Thurs 9.30am, Mon & Wed 7.30pm
 Confessions: Mon&Wed 7-7.20pm; Sat 5.45-6.20pm
 Rosary & Divine Mercy Chaplet: Wed 6.45pm
 Adoration: Thurs 7-8.30pm & Sun 3.30-6.30pm

Corpus Christi Church, Mountfield

Sunday Mass: 10am

Prayer for Priests

02nd Oct: Fr Roland Colhoun
03rd Oct: Fr Michael Collins
04th Oct: Fr Oliver Crilly
05th Oct: Fr Patrick Crilly
06th Oct: Fr Brendan Crowley
07th Oct: All Priests
08th Oct: Fr Peter Deeney

Feasts of the Week

The Guardian Angels
Bl Columba Marmion, priest
St Francis of Assisi
 26th Week in Ordinary Time
St Bruno, priest
Our Lady of the Rosary
 27th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Pope Francis Tweets

“Encountering Jesus can give a decisive direction to our life, filing it with meaning”



Consoling the Heart of Jesus - Morning Retreat

Sat 7th Oct/ Carton Hse Hotel, Maynooth. Cost:€49 includes 3 talks, featuring Fr Michael Gaity, author “33 days to Morning Glory.” register at www.timeofmercy.ie. (includes tea & lunch) Fr McFaul has organised a bus to go to this retreat: £30 return from Christ the King Car Park. If interested please contact the parish office: 8224 3375

“Reformation - The Challenge for Now”

Wed 8th Nov / 9.30am-1pm / Omagh Leisure Centre.
 Conference will examine the Reformation & its impact on us today.
 Register: pauline.clarke@fermanaghomagh.com / 0300 303 1777

CURSILLO Retreat

Cursillo in the Derry Diocese will hold two residential “3-day weekends” at the Carmelite Retreat Centre in Termonbacca, Derry. The men’s weekend will run from Thurs 12th until Sun 15th Oct. The woman’s weekend will run from Thurs 26th until 29th Oct. Contact 07708066939 or 07841100174 for further information.

5 Day Silent Spiritual Renewal & Healing Catholic Retreat

Knock Shrine, 31st Oct - 4th Nov. *Given by:* Fr Anthony Saji VC.
Details: Contact Maeve 0781 5319710

Vintage Tea in aid of Marie Curie on Sat 7th Oct

10.30am-1pm in The Village Inn, Killyclogher. This event is hosted by the family of the late Fran McGinn; your support would be most appreciated. Come along for a cuppa & a chat!



Anam Cara Parental Bereavement Support Information Evening

Thurs 12th Oct at 7.30pm in the Radisson Blu Hotel, Letterkenny. Free event, open to all bereaved parents. To facilitate refreshments, confirm attendance by 11th Oct: 085 2888 8888 / info:anamcara.ie

Glens Senior Citizens Club

Reopens on Tues 10th Oct and fortnightly thereafter from 2-4pm. New members are always welcome.

Irish Cultural Activities in The Strule Arts Centre

Wednesdays: 6-7pm: Sean-nos & Set Dancing, 7pm: Singing in Irish. 8-9.30pm Irish language classes for beginners, improvers & advanced.
 More info: kevin.goodwin@fermanaghomagh.com / 07747899249

Mass Intentions

Mon 2nd Oct: Dympna Friel, Belvior Pk / 7.30pm/CTK
Wed 4th Oct: 1st Anniv: Eamon Garrity, Drumlea / 7.30pm / CTK
Fri 6th Oct: *M.Mind:* Dr. Partha Mandal, Glencam Rd / 7.30pm / KC
Sat 7th Oct: Christina Gormley, Crocknacor Rd / 6.30pm / CTK
Sat 7th Oct: Charlie Ferris, Glenhordial / 7.30pm / KC

Praise for the Gift of Life

God of Love, we praise and thank you for the wonderful gift of life. Help us to cherish that gift in ourselves and in all whom we meet. Bless all children that they may know the joy of being alive and that we may help them towards a great future. Bless all young men and women, be with them through these years of change in their bodies, their priorities, their relationships, so that nothing may damage their joy and their hope.

Bless all couples preparing for marriage. Help them to cherish each other more every day; and give them the courage to put their love for each other first so that their lives may be full and happy. We ask this through Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

(taken from The Family Prayer Book)

Contact the parish office to book Mass Intentions, Weddings, Baptisms
(month’s minds and 1st 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

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