

# Cappagh PARISH NEWS

8<sup>th</sup> June 2025

Pentecost Sunday

St Mary's Killyclogher, St Mary's Knockmoyle, Corpus Christi Mountfield, Christ The King Strathroy

## MASS SCHEDULE

### **St. Mary's Church, Killyclogher**

**Sunday Mass:** 9am & 11am  
**Daily Mass:** Mon-Sat: 10am  
**Rosary:** Mon-Sat: 9.15am  
**Confessions:** Saturday: after 10am Mass  
**Legion of Mary:** Monday: after 10am Mass

### **St. Marys Church, Knockmoyle**

**Sunday Mass:** June: 8<sup>th</sup> & 22<sup>nd</sup>  
July: 6<sup>th</sup> & 20<sup>th</sup>

### **Christ the King Church, Strathroy**

**Sunday Mass:** 12noon.  
**Vigil:** 6.30pm  
**Polish Mass:** 1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday's at 10am  
**Daily Mass:** Tues, Wed & Thurs: 7.30pm  
**Confessions:** Saturday: 5.45-6.20pm

### **Corpus Christi, Mountfield**

**Sunday Mass:** June: 1<sup>st</sup>, 15<sup>th</sup> & 29<sup>th</sup>  
July: 13<sup>th</sup> & 27<sup>th</sup>  
**Rosary:** Thursday: 8pm



## Pentecost SUNDAY

## REFLECTIONS

- The Feast of Pentecost reminds us that there is an important connection between the gifts of peace and forgiveness and the action of the Holy Spirit. We are reminded that the Church is called to be God's reconciling presence in the world. This reconciling presence is also to be a way of life for Christians in situations of conflict, we are to be agents of peace and harmony among all people.
- Jesus greets his disciples with the gift of peace "Peace be with you," he says. Jesus then commissions his disciples to continue the work that he has begun: "As the Father has sent me, so I send you." He breathes the Holy Spirit upon the disciples and sends them to continue his work of reconciliation through the forgiveness of sins. Both the Greek and Hebrew words for "spirit" can also be translated as "breath."
- As we celebrate this great feast of the Church's fifty days after the resurrection of Jesus, how have we been a sign of reconciliation in our families, in our world, and among people of faith everywhere? Have we been an instrument of God's peace to everyone we meet?

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**PARISH OFFICE OPENING HOURS: MONDAY –THURSDAY: 9AM-5PM (closed 1-1.30pm)**

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**Anniversary Mass Bookings:** Please note that Requiem Mass, Month's Minds and 1<sup>st</sup> Anniversaries take precedence and therefore your booking is subject to change.

**WATCH MASS LIVE ON THE PARISH WEBCAM:** [www.cappaghparish.com](http://www.cappaghparish.com)

Webcam live streams only. The recording of services broadcast on the webcam ***must be requested in advance*** by contacting the parish office on 028 8224 3375 or speaking with the priest (outside of office opening hours)

## MASS INTENTIONS

Wednesday	11 June	KC	10am	<i>Anniversary</i>	Eugene McGinn, McIvor Villas
Wednesday	11 June	CTK	7.30pm	<i>Anniversary</i>	Kathleen & Joseph McClenaghan
Thursday	12 June	CTK	7.30pm	<i>1<sup>st</sup> Anniversary</i>	Davia Jankieve, Knockmoyle Grove
Saturday	14 June	KC	10am	<i>Months Mind</i>	Paddy Quinn, St. Mary's Road
Sunday	15 June	KC	11am	<i>Months Mind</i>	Bridie Connolly, Arleston Road



**RECENT BAPTISMS:** *We welcome:* Oisín O'Neill

**RECENT DEATHS:** *We pray for:* Kathleen Strain of Knockmoyle Road. *May she rest in peace.*

## PRAY FOR VOCATIONS



As we celebrate Pentecost Sunday we ask the Holy Spirit to fill the hearts of the men being called to serve the Church in this diocese as priests, to guide them in their discernment, and help them to choose the path the Lord wishes them to follow.

**LEGION OF MARY: WELCOME THE PILGRIM STATUETTE OF OUR LADY INTO YOUR HOME & PRAY THE ROSARY**  
Contact Rosaleen on 07917421119 to make arrangements with the Legion of Mary, Cappagh Group.

## PARISH DANCE

Dance will be held in Parish Centre, Killyclogher on Friday 13<sup>th</sup> June. Dancing from 9.30pm to "Lakelanders"

## "IN CHRIST WE ARE ONE: POPE LEO XIV AT THE SERVICE OF HUMANITY"

A book by Michael Kelly - drawing on the early days of Pope Leo's papacy, his background as an Augustinian friar and missionary; and explores the themes that Leo has indicated will be at the heart of his papacy. Includes a foreword by Archbishop Eamon Martin. Now Available to buy: Telephone 00353 17270003 or order online at [www.acnchurchresources.ie](http://www.acnchurchresources.ie)



## CONCERT FOR GAZA

St. Joseph's Hall, Omagh / Wednesday 18<sup>th</sup> June 2025 / 7pm

Featuring performance by local choirs, soloists and ensembles. Join us for an evening of music, solidarity and hope. All proceeds to MAP (*Medical Aid for Palestinians*) - supporting humanitarian aid in Gaza.

*Admission:* Pay at the door: Adult:£7 / Child:£5 / All donations welcomed

## "VULNERABLE TO DELIGHT" -SEAMUS HEANEY: POET OF CHILDHOOD

A lecture presented by Dr. Gary Wade (Adjunct Lecturer, University of Notre Dame, Sydney, Australia) will take place at St. Columb's College, Wednesday 18<sup>th</sup> June at 4:15pm. To book please phone: 02871285000 or email: [info@stcolumbs.derry.ni.sch.uk](mailto:info@stcolumbs.derry.ni.sch.uk). Light refreshments served afterwards. All welcome!

## DIOCESE OF DERRY THREE-DAY PILGRIMAGE TO LOUGH DERG 2025 / 25<sup>TH</sup>-27<sup>TH</sup> JULY

Pre-booking is required. Please contact Tony Brennan on [tony.brennan@derrydiocese.org](mailto:tony.brennan@derrydiocese.org) or phone the Diocesan Office on 02871262302 for a booking form. For those wishing to avail of transport, a bus will depart after 10am Mass in St. Eugene's Cathedral, Derry on the Friday. Total cost £95 (including transport).

## DERRY DIOCESAN PILGRIMAGE 2025 TO KNOCK SHRINE / SUNDAY 15<sup>TH</sup> JUNE

Commencing with Rosary at 2pm, followed by Anointing of the Sick at 2.30pm. Concluding with Mass and Eucharistic Procession at 3pm. Confessions available throughout the day.

## JOB OPPORTUNITY WITH DERRY DIOCESAN TRUST

**Administrative & Financial Officer / Greenlough Parish Office, Greenlough, Co. Derry**

Permanent post. 10 hours per week (working each Friday with remaining hours worked another day/s to be agreed with the successful candidate). Reporting to the Parish Priest, the role entails provision of administrative and financial support. For application pack, email [recruitment@derrydiocese.org](mailto:recruitment@derrydiocese.org) or telephone 028 7126 2302. Completed applications must be returned to Personnel, Bishop's House, St. Eugene's Cathedral, Francis Street, Derry, BT48 9AP or via email to [recruitment@derrydiocese.org](mailto:recruitment@derrydiocese.org) no later than 12noon on Thursday 12<sup>th</sup> June 2025. *Derry Diocesan Trust is an Equal Opportunities Employer.*

## 9<sup>TH</sup> JUNE: FEAST OF ST. COLUMBA

Also known as Colum Cillie, he founded monasteries in Derry, Durrow, Iona and possible Kells. Columba is noted for his great love for people and for all living creatures.

*A Blessing of St. Columba*

See that you be at peace among yourselves, my children, and love one another.

Follow the example of good people of old, and God will comfort and help you,

**both in this world and in the world which is to come. Amen.**



## Safeguarding Notice

If you have any concerns with regard to Safeguarding children or adults in need of protection within the Church, please contact Marie Gormley, the Diocesan Designated Liaison Person (DLP) on 075 9650 0793 | [marie.gormley@derrydiocese.org](mailto:marie.gormley@derrydiocese.org)