CHURCHES RESTORATION Next draw on Monday 30 September at 8.00 pm in St Mary's School. Collection times are: 10.30 am - 11.00 am in the Parish Office and 6.00 - 8.00 pm in St Mary's School.

ST FINLOUGH'S HALL COMMITTEE - FASHION SHOW with Hair & Make Up demos. Tickets £20 on sale now. Contact 07745661116 for further details.

MARRIAGE ENRICHMENT WEEKEND in Dromantine, Newry from 15 - 17 November in the Lake Hotel, Killarney. Take a special weekend break together to boost and refresh your relationship. For more information or to book, visit www.marriageencounter.ie or call 07702812321 or 00 353 87 784 0408. Weekends are presented by Catholic Marriage Encounter, Ireland.

STUDY PASTORAL LITURGY September - December 2019 The National Centre for Liturgy, St Patrick's College, Maynooth offers four Modules in the first semester of the academic year. Tel: 0035317083478, visit www.liturgyireland.ie or email liturgv@spcm.ie.

THE PRIORY INSTITUTE Master of Arts in Biblical Studies Distance Learning. A Two-year part time MA. Two onsite weekends per semester and supported online learning. Enrol now for September 2019. For more information contact: priorvinstitute.com or Tel: 00353 1 404 8124.

DERRY DIOCESAN CATECHETICAL CENTRE working in Partnership with St Mary's University, Twickenham offers the Masters in Catholic School Leadership. This is a post graduate degree. The next intake will be Autumn 2019. For more information contact: 028 71 264087 or email tferry@derrydiocese.org.

THANK YOU Conan McGonagle and his family would like to give heart-felt thanks to all his benefactors and parishioners who gave so generously towards a fund founded to help pay the annual fee for his formation and travel costs to the Fraternity of St Peter in Denton, Nabraska, USA, where he will continue in his training for the Catholic Priesthood. Conan asks for your prayers.

PART TIME HOSUEKEEPER - BANAGHER PARISH Temporary 6 months contract. 16 hours per week -Mon to Wed 3 pm - 7 pm and Saturday 10 am - 2 pm. For application pack please email: payroll@derrydiocese.org or Tel: 028 71 262302. Completed applications must be returned to Personnel. Bishop's House. St Eugene's Cathedral. Francis Street, Derry, BT48 9AP or via email no later than 12 noon on 25 September 2019. Interviews will be held on the week beginning 1 October 2019. Derry Diocesean Trust is an Equal Opportunities Employer.

YOGA SUTDIO IN BALLYKELLY Tues evening & Wed lunchtime. Tel: 07394466371, www.dnafitness.co.uk.

FAMILY CARE ADOPTION SERVICES is presently seeking adoptive family for babies, young children aged 2 years and older; and brothers and sisters. For more information contact us at: Tel 028 71 368592 or 028 90 691133 Monday - Friday 9 am - 5 pm. Email ann.ohagan@familycaresociety.org or visit www.familycaresociety.co.uk

ROE VALLEY COMMUNITY FOODBANK is very short of the following items: tinned meat, tinned fish, tinned fruit, custard and rice, jam, sugar, coffee, biscuits and toilet rolls. Anything you can give would be most appreciated. We also need strong shopping bags. Please leave items in the church porch or hand into the Salvation Army shop where the Foodbank operates from.

GAMBLERS ANONYMOUS Is gambling affecting your life? Perhaps we can help. Tel: 028 7135 1329.

FOYLE HOSPICE October is Hospice Awareness Month and is our official 'Coffee Morning Month'. Host a Coffee Morning or Afternoon Tea in aid of Foyle Hospice. Tel: 02871359888 and we will send you a free 'Cuppa Kit'.

PRECIOUS LIFE have launched 40 Days of Prayer and Fasting - beginning on Sunday 8 Sept to Thursday 17 Oct 2019 - to stop Westminster's cruel and extreme abortion law being forced on Northern Ireland. For more information Tel: 028 9027 8484 or email: info@preciouslife.com.

**IOSAS CENTRE** supports MacMillan Coffee Morning on 20 & 27 September. To help non drivers, a mini bus leaves St Mary's Oratoy, Buncrana at 10.30 am on 20 September and Columb's House, Derry at 10.30 am on 27 September. More details on @IosasCentre on Facebook.

REGISTERED CHILDMINDER 2 places available. Tel: 07841480597

BULLETIN NOTICES All notices MUST be either left at the Parish Office. Tel: 028 777 62522 or sent by email to: parishoflimavady@btinternet.com before a Wednesday at 1.00 pm.

Limavady Parish Bulletin

MASS TIMES

24th Sunday in Ordinary Time

15 September 2019

ST MARY'S Monday - Friday Fridav Sunday Morning

CHRIST THE KING Saturday Vigil Sunday

ST FINLOUGH'S

Saturday Vigil Sunday Morning 9.00 am. 11.00 am

10.00 am

7.30 pm

6.00 pm

12.00 noon

Friday

Saturday

Saturday

#### 7.30 pm 10.00 am

## **CONFESSION TIMES**

ST MARY'S CHRIST THE KING **ST FINLOUGH'S** 

6.30 pm - 7.15 pm 5.30 pm \_ 7.00 pm

## **Eucharistic Adoration**

Every Thursday after the 10.00 am Mass - 8.00 pm in St Mary's Church.

### Praver Group

Every Tuesday at 7.30 pm in St Mary's Chapter Room. New members welcome.

### Baptisms

Tel: 028 777 62522 St Finlough's Church St Mary's Church All Baptisms will take place on Saturday afternoons by arrangement with the Parish Secretary

### Weddings, Month's Mind Masses and Anniversary Masses

To book Weddings, Month's Mind Masses, Anniversary Masses, contact Janet at the Parish Office. Tel: 028 777 62522. Any forms to be signed by the Priest can be left at the Parish Office and collected the next day.

Mgr McCanny Fr Baker Parish Office

# **Telephone Numbers**

028 777 29759 028 777 62721 028 777 62522 (Mon - Fri: 9.00 am - 1.00 pm) Email: parishoflimavadv@btinternet.com Website: www.limavadyparish.org Facebook: facebook.com/limparish

### Deaths

We extend our sympathy to the family and friends of: Brendan Mullan, formerly Polly's Brae Road, Limavady Jessie Gilloway, 13 Glenview Drive, Limavady Vincent Magee, 46 Glenmore Gardens, Limavady Kathleen McElhinney, Cornfield Nursing Home, formerly Ballykelly who died recently.

### Month's Mind Mass

The Month's Mind Mass for **Mary McQuiston** will be celebrated on Saturday 21 September at 6.00 pm in Christ the King Church.

### **Anniversaries**

Binny Hartin, Nellie McGillion, Patrick Canning, Geraldine Payne, Julie Harkin, John Alexander Moore, Anna Burke, Ann Boyd, James Mullan, Ann Hogan, Gerald Kerr, Michael & Nora Gleeson, Bridie Gleeson McDermott, Seamus Stewart, Hugh McCormick, Gerard Hegarty, Joe Doherty, Susan McKinney, Michael Mullan, Sally Turpin, John Collins

## MAY THEY REST IN PEACE

**<u>READERS OF THE WORD</u>** Our apologies for giving 2 different dates for the meeting! We met on Tuesday past but if you didn't attend and still wish to become a reader, please contact Jim on 07762767324 or Jim on 07897338233.

**HOLY HOUR** Fr Declan McGeehan, will lead a Holy Hour to pray for the increase in vocations to the Priesthood and Religious life in the Diocese of Derry on Thursday 19 September at 8.00 pm in St Eugene's Cathedral. All welcome.

**ST MARIA GORETTI PRAYER MOVEMENT HOLY HOUR** Tues 17 Sept 8.15 pm in the Immaculate Conception Church, Trench Road, Derry and Thurs 19 Sept at 6 pm (Mass at 7 pm) in St Brigid's Church, Carnhill, Derry. Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament and Prayer for healing for victims of abuse and reparation for the church. Veneration of the relic of St Maria Goretti afterwards. Everyone welcome.

**<u>ST JOSEPH'S YOUNG PRIESTS SOCIETY</u>** Limavady Branch will recommence after the summer break, on Tues 17 Sept after 10 am Mass. The Holy Hour is at 8 pm on Mon 16 Sept in St Joseph's Oratory, Drummond Hotel. We look forward to welcoming you all back, as well as any new members.

**SEPTEMBER ON LOUGH DERG** Standard One Day Retreats in September: Sat 21, Sun 22 & Sun 29 September. Special Living With Suicide Day Retreat on Saturday 28 September. Advance booking is essential for any of these dates. Tel: 00353 71 9861518 or email: info@loughderg.org.

**<u>OMAGH CHARISMATIC PRAYER GROUP</u>** Prayer & Renewal Day in the Mellon Hotel, Omagh on Sunday 10 November Registration from 9.00 am. Mass at 3.30 pm. Speaker: Fr Brendan Walsh. Booking essential. Tel: 07876411435 / 07596 609041 or email evelynheaney@hotmail.com.

**COASTAL ROSARY FOR LIFE, FAITH AND LOVE** Join in with thousands of people all around Ireland, as we gather on our coasts to pray the Rosary for Life, Faith and Love on Sunday 13 October at 2.30 pm. Visit www.coastalrosaryireland.ie or call 00353 87 278 6552.

**DERRY DIOCESAN PILGRIMAGE TO KNOCK SHRINE** on Saturday 28 September led by Bishop Donal McKeown. Stations of the Cross 2 pm. Mass 3 pm, with Sacrament of the Sick. Contact: Fr Patrick Lagan at: steugenes@btconnect.com or Tel: 028 71 26 2894.

**LEGION OF MARY** Would anyone wishing to donate to Alive, please give to any member of the Legion or the Parish Office. Thank you.

COLLECTION FOR SUNDAY 8 SEPTEMBER Town Churches £3,641.49 Ballykelly £638.00

### POPE JOHN PAUL II AWARD NATIONAL PILGRIMAGE TO KNOCK SHRINE will take place on Friday

27 September for young people aged 16 and 18, starting at 11 am and concluding after 3.00pm Over 1,200 young people from across the country attended this youth pilgrimage last year. The theme is 'Life To The Full' - Positive friendships - Your Parish Needs You Now! Guest speaker will be Elma Walsh. Mass will be celebrated by Award Patron, Bishop Donal McKeown. Transport will be provided. For more information contact The Catechetical Centre at ddcc@derrydiocese.org or 028 71264087. Closing date for bookings is Monday 23 September.

**IRISH PILGRIMAGE TRUST - PILGRIMAGE TO LOURDES, Easter 2020** Applications are invited from / for young people (11 - 30 years) with a medical condition, physical disability, illness, learning disability, social or emotional need. Applications also invited for very seriously ill children under the age of 11, accompanied by a parent or a close relative. Those over 11 years travel without their family but are accompanied by experienced adult carers. Those participating have the opportunity to make new friends, increase their social skills and confidence. The Pilgrimage can also provide respite for parents / carers. The IPT covers the cost of those young people selected to travel. Contact Maureen Devine after 5.00 pm (00447717732550) or Mary Dunnion (0877962047) for further details and an application form. Closing date for applications is 31 October. More details can be found on www.irishpilgrimagetrust.ie. Volunteers, particularly male, are also required; training will be offered.

FAITH AND LIFE CONVENTION 2019 offered by the Living Church Office, Down & Connor Diocese. Online bookings are now open. Join us on Saturday 28 September in Our Lady and St Patrick's College in Belfast. This year's theme is 'Faith in a Better World' and the keynote speaker will be Michel Camdessus. To book visit www.faithandlifeconvention.org or call 02890690920.

**PRO-LIFE POSTCARD CAMPAIGN** aimed at this area's MLAs begins this week. Please take a pack of 5 postcards and send one to each of this area's five MLAs as soon as you can. Cards at the back of the Churches. This is the final push to save our unborn children and their mothers from the evils and horrors of abortion. Why not take some extra packs for pro-life family and friends too.

KNIGHTS OF ST COLUMBA AND SPUC PRO-LIFE ROSARY The intention for September is 'For political leaders, that they uphold the sanctity of life through just laws'. Please include this in your daily Rosary. Details in the small leaflets in the Church porches.

**NET MINISTRIES IRELAND'S COMMISSIONING MASS** on 21 September at St Eunan's Cathedral, Letterkenny at 4.00 pm. If you live too far away or are unable to join us, you can watch it live streamed on our Facebook page NET Ministries Ireland.

KNOCK PILGRIMAGE SEASON 28 April - 13 Oct. 140 years continuing our journey. For details of Masses, Confessions, Exposition etc visit www.knockshrine.ie, email info@knockshrine.ie or telephone 00353 94 93 88100.

**SMA RETREAT & CONFERENCE CENTRE, DROMANTINE, NEWRY** Days of Prayer / Workshops (9.30 am - 5.00 pm). Saturday 28 September. - 'Lectio Divina', led by Fr Joseph Ralph OP - £25; Saturday 19 October - 'The Green Platform', led by Mr Declan Coyle - £45; Saturday 9 November - 'Finding God in the Mass', led by Fr B McManus SJ & Jim Deeds - £30.

MARION CARROLL WEEKEND Friday 1 - Sunday 3 November at Knock House Hotel. Cost 145 euros pps. To book: Tel: 00353 94 9388088 or info@knockhousehotel.ie.

**IOSAS CENTRE CELTIC PRAYER GARDEN** Any students / members of the parish considering completing the JPII Gold Award are invited to consider working with the IOSAS Centre as a way to fulfil their Parish/Social Awareness activities for this award. Please contact your JPII parish coordinator, teacher in charge or the IOSAS Centre via Facebook.

SILENT RETREAT 14 - 20 October at Ards Retreat Centre, Letterkenny. Theme: "If you but knew the gift of God ..." preached by Fr Kilian Byrne. Cost 390 euros full board. Contact Helen - Tel: 00 353 86 1678027, email: hellywilliams@gmail.com or visit www.foyerofcharity.ie

THORNHILL MINISTRIES Spiritual Reading Book Club on Tuesdays, 24 September, 22 October and 19 November from 10.30 am - .45 am. Suggested offering £5. All welcome. For more information: Tel: 028 7135 1233, email thomhillministries@derrydiocese.org or visit www.thomhillministries.co.uk

PLEASE REMEMBER ST VINCENT DE PAUL RED BOX Helpline No: 07578960388