

ST FINLOUGH'S HALL Annual Christmas Draw: 1st Prize: £500 home heating oil; 2nd Prize: £200 Tesco voucher; 3rd Prize: £200 McAtamney's voucher; 4th Prize: £100 Tesco voucher. Tickets £5 or 5 for £20. Contact 07739596794 for tickets. Also available from Credit Union Ballykelly.

St Finlough's Annual Coffee Morning with Santa on Saturday 30 November from 10.00 am - 12.00 noon.

FESTIVAL OF CRIBS Friday 29 - Sunday 1 December in Limavady Methodist Church. Immerse yourself this year as we begin the Christmas festivities in the "Real Meaning of Christmas". Our creative displays retells the story of the Nativity, the Birth of Our Saviour Jesus, found asleep in the hay. Tea/Coffee and Christmas Treats served in the Hall. Donations in aid of Kitchen fund.

BALLYKELLY CEILI CLUB are hosting a Ceili in the Drummond Hotel on Sunday 10 November, (tonight), from 8.30 pm to 11.30 pm. Admission £6. Light supper provided. Please note change of time.

ANAM CARA Monthly Parent Support Evening on Thursday 14 November at 7.15 pm in the Radisson Blu Hotel, Letterkenny.

Online Workshop on Thursday 21 November for anyone that is interfacing with family members who are bereaved in traumatic circumstances.

Register as soon as possible on this link: Anam Cara Supporting Families through grief, loss and trauma. For further information, contact: info@anamcara.ie or call 028 95213120.

WORLD DIABETES DAY Limavady Multi-disciplinary GP practice encourage patients to attend a Pre-diabetes Information and Lifestyle Event on 14 November 2024 at Roe Valley Arts & Cultural Centre. Doors open at 5.30 pm. Speakers from 6 pm. Tickets for this event are available at your Limavady GP Practice or by Eventbrite. Pre-diabetes is on the increase. Join us for a chat and a cuppa to reduce your risk of diabetes.

ANSCOMBE CENTRE RESOURCES ON ASSISTED SUICIDE The House of Commons will vote on a Bill that is to be debated later this month that would legalise assisted suicide in this country. It is extremely important that concerned citizens write to their MP to make their voice known.

For more information visit <https://www.bioethics.org.uk/educational-resources/resources-on-eas/> or <https://www.cbcew.org.uk/opposing-assisted-suicide/>

WOMEN'S AID One Stop Shop First Thursday of every month (7 Nov, 5 Dec, 9 Jan) from 10 am - 12 noon in Newry City Library, 79 Hill Street, Newry BT34 1DG. No appointment needed.

GLENSHANE HOUSE, DUNGIVEN A talk with question and answer time will be given on Fetal Alcohol Spectrum Disorder. Time and date will be arranged once enough interest is registered. To register: Tel: 028 777 42494.

CARERS INFORMATION & SUPPORT Crisp is a face to face four-week programme for family, friends and carers of people with dementia. The Alzheimer's Society is running this programme on Tuesday 12, 19, 26 November from 2.30 pm - 4.00 pm in the Roe Valley Arts & Cultural Centre, Main Street, Limavady. To book contact Howard Clarke on 07902345229.

THE NET is available in parishes and also on the Diocesan website. For coverage of faith related stories just email: editorthenet15@gmail.com.

FOYLE HOSPICE SHOPS - VOLUNTEERS NEEDED If you have a few hours to spare a week please call: 028 71 351 010 or email: volunteers@foylehospice.com

THE PARISH DRAW The next draw takes place on Monday 25 November at 7.30 pm in Bethany Community Centre. Collection times from 6.00 pm - 7.30 pm.

DATES FOR THE DIARY

Parish Breakfast:	Friday 13 December from 7.30 am - 9.30 am in Bethany Community Centre.
Walking Carol Service:	Tuesday 17 December starting in St Mary's Church at 7.00 pm, then walking to The Methodist Church, Drumachose Presbyterian Church and concluding at Christ Church - Church of Ireland.

LIMAVADY PARISH BULLETIN

32nd Sunday in Ordinary Time

10 November 2024

LITURGICAL PROGRAMME FOR WEEK COMMENCING 11 NOVEMBER

Monday 11 - Friday 15 November	10.00 am	Mass: Christ the King Church (streamed)
Saturday 16 November	4.30 pm	Vigil Mass for 33rd Week in Ordinary Time Christ the King Church (streamed)
	6.00 pm	Vigil Mass for 33rd Week in Ordinary Time St Finlough's Church (streamed)
Sunday 17 November	9.00 am	Mass: Christ the King Church
	10.30 am	Mass: St Mary's Church (streamed)
	12.00 noon	Mass: Christ the King Church
Readings for 33rd Week in Ordinary Time		Dn 12:1-3. Ps 15:5, 8-11, R/ v 1. Heb 10:11-14, 18. Mk 13:24-32

Month's Mind Masses and Anniversary Masses

To arrange Anniversaries, Month's Mind Masses or First Anniversary Masses, please contact Janet. Tel: Parish Office - 028 777 62522 between 9.00 am - 1.00 pm Monday - Friday.

Baptisms

To arrange a Baptism, you **MUST** complete a Baptism Card in the Parish Office. Call at the Parish Office between 9.00 am - 1.00 pm Monday - Friday.

Parish Bulletin

The bulletin is available online. Visit: Website: www.limavadyparish.org
All notices should be emailed to: parishoflimavady@btinternet.com
or left in the post box outside the parish office before Wednesday at 1 pm.

Telephone Numbers

Mgr McCanny	028 777 29759
Fr Harkin	028 777 64409
Parish Office	028 777 62522 (Monday - Friday: 9.00 am - 1.00 pm)
	Email: parishoflimavady@btinternet.com
	Website: www.limavadyparish.org

In these difficult times please remember the SVP Red Box Helpline 07512360388

Month's Mind Masses

The Month's Mind Mass for **Kathleen McLaughlin** will be celebrated on Sunday 10 November at 10.30 am in St Mary's Church.
The Month's Mind Mass for **Noel Leonard** will be celebrated on Sunday 10 November at 12.00 noon in Christ the King Church.
The Month's Mind Mass for **Elizabeth McGonigle** will be celebrated on Saturday 16 November at 6.00 pm in St Finlough's Church.

First Anniversary Masses

The First Anniversary Mass for **Marty Tierney** will be celebrated on Saturday 16 November at 4.30 pm in Christ the King Church.
The First Anniversary Mass for **Patsy Mullan** will be celebrated on Sunday 17 November at 12.00 noon in Christ the King Church.

Anniversaries

Beth Kavanagh, Annie McLaughlin, Eddie Magee, Martha Harkin, Brigid Murray, James Ferris, Roddy O'Kane, Naomi Giles, Matthew (Matha) Hassan, Peggy & Charlie Gallagher, Barney Coyle, Maura McClarey, James Donaghy, Carole & Hugh McLaughlin, Agatha O'Brien, Robert Mullan, James O'Kane, May O'Connell, Paula McLaughlin, Gerry Mullan

Derry Diocesan Society

Pray for all deceased members of the Derry Diocesan Society, especially for the following who have been recently enrolled:

Monica Cooke, Gertrude Mullan, John Devine, Michael Forrest, Lorna Butcher, Gertie Mullan, Lucinda Harkin, Mary T McDevitt, Lorraine Hassan, James Cottle, William Mullan, Mary Mescie, Rosaleen Mullan, Gerald Forrest, Mary Davies, Denise Fitzgerald, Terry Buttress, Eileen Bond, James McIvor, Willie Harkin, Francis Bond, Sean McGrotty, Roy Scott, Mary Jane Wilson, Peter Lawrence Mulgrew, William Anderson Bridie McGonigal, Therese Boyle, Dominic Allen, Theresa Logue, Damian McIntyre, Michael Roarty, Leo Canning, Josephine McCann, Kevin Clarke, Mary Thompson, Margaret Hogg

MAY THEY REST IN PEACE

BAPTISMS

Delilah Andrea Carmichael, Darragh James O'Hagan

WEEKLY ENVELOPE COLLECTION

If you wish to set up a Standing Order, please contact the parish office - 028 777 62522 between 9 am - 1 pm. Remember to write your name and envelope number on the Standing Order Form.

WEEKLY COLLECTION

Sunday 3 November: £4,925.00

DECEASED CHILDREN & YOUNG PEOPLE'S MASS

The Annual Mass for deceased children and young people will take place in St Eugene's Cathedral, Derry next Sunday 10 November at 7.00 pm. There will be an opportunity to write down the name of your deceased loved one before Mass. All are welcome to attend. You can also join this Mass live on the St Eugene's Cathedral webcam. If you are unable to attend this Mass in person but would like to have a child or young person remembered at it, please email the name to lizzie.rea@derrydiocese.org by Friday 8 November.

'THE CHOSEN' An historical drama based on the life of Jesus. This production allows us to see Him through the eyes of those who knew Him. The third series of 'The Chosen' will continue in the Minor Hall in Bethany Community Centre on Monday nights beginning at 7.30 pm. Tea and coffee served beforehand. All welcome.

LIMAVADY PARISH PILGRIMAGE TO FATIMA

7 nights from 19 June 2025. Spiritual Directors: Mgr Bryan McCanny, Fr Sean O'Donnell and Fr Malachy Gallagher. £849 per person sharing. Early booking offer: £100 off if paid in full by 15 November 2024. For further details Tel: Patricia 07743936548 or Anne 07784953408.

HOLY HOUR VOCATIONS There will be a Holy Hour for Vocations to the Priesthood in the Diocese of Derry in St Columb's Church, Chapel Road, Derry on Wednesday 13 November at 8.00 pm. All are welcome to come and pray for this special intention. May the Lord inspire many more men to answer His call to serve the people of this diocese as priest.

PIONEER PLEDGE FOR THE MONTH OF THE HOLY SOULS A short-term pledge gives spiritual support and encouragement to people and their families who are living under a shadow of addiction. Contact the Pioneer Total Abstinence Association on 003531 805 4226 or via www.pioneers.ie/pray.

"Dilexit nos - He loved us" - Encyclical of Pope Francis Prayers and Reflections based on "the Human the Divine Love of the Heart of Jesus Christ" are available on www.pioneers.ie. They have been prepared for Pioneers, Parish groups, Families, AA/NA groups.

SYCAMORE - Faith Discovery Programme is an informal course about our Catholic faith and its relevance for life today. Each Sycamore session involves a short film and time for quiet reflection and discussion. In preparation for the Jubilee year 2025 the focus will be on the gift of prayer. The course will be run by Fr Peter O'Kane, Derry Diocesan Adult Faith Formator on the following dates: Monday 11, 18, 25 Nov & 1 Dec at Muff, Co Donegal; Tuesday 5, 12, 19, 26 Nov & 2 December at Dungiven, Co Derry. To help facilitate venue please, register at derrydiocese.org/sycamore. Refreshments will be provided. Everyone is welcome.

ABIDE IN HIS LOVE WOMEN'S CONFERENCE 15 - 17 November 2024 in The Great Northern Hotel, Bundoran. This Conference will celebrate the beauty and dignity of women in the Church and the world today. To register, visit Eventbrite.ie and search for "Abide in Love".

IRISH PILGRIMAGE TRUST: EASTER 2025 PILGRIMAGE Applications are invited from young people with additional social, emotional, physical and learning needs aged 11 - 30 years who are interested in travelling as guests to Lourdes with the Irish Pilgrimage Trust. Applications are also sought for carers aged 18+ who would be interested in accompanying guests on the trip. The trip is free for guests as volunteers complete fundraising and carers pay their own fare. Guests complete online application at <https://form.jotform.com/212932685135054>. Carers applications at <https://form.jotform.com/211793062891056>. For more information, visit <https://www.irishpilgrimagestrust.com> or contact Sian at 00353 7960211352.

TERMONBACCA CARMELITE RETREAT CENTRE, DERRY will hold a Sr Clare Crockett Advent Retreat from Friday 29 November - Sunday 1 December in preparation for Christmas. The weekend is open to both women and men. Cost £100 residential / £70 non-residential. For further details and bookings, contact 71 262512 or email: termonbaccaderry@gmail.com

ACCORD DERRY Marriage Preparation Course in Everglades Hotel on 15/16 November 2024. These courses are now online for booking at www.accordni.com. Please note that these courses are in person and not virtual.

ADVENT REFLECTIONS on Monday 2, 9 & 16 December from 11.00 am - 12.00 noon at The Big House, 142 Drumsum Road, Limavady. Visit www.thebighouse.org.uk retreats and training.

TROCAIRE SCHOOL VOLUNTEERS Are you a retired teacher or someone who has experience presenting to groups of school children? Trocaire is looking for volunteers to support our 2025 Lent Appeal in the Derry Diocese. If you think you have the right skills and experience and will be available to help during school hours over Lent please call Naomi Purnell on 028 9080 8033 or email naoimi.purnell@trocaire.org.

TROCAIRE is looking for people to join our team of Christmas fundraisers to help respond to the urgent need of poor communities around the world. For more information email Mark McMahon at infoni@trocaire.org or call 028 9080 8030

TROCAIRE CHRISTMAS GIFTS If you want to give a gift that can transform lives this Christmas buy a Trocaire Gift of Change. Visit: www.trocaire.org/gifts or Tel: : 0800 912 1200.

ARDS FRIARY RETREAT Walking with the Franciscan Mystics Retreat on Friday 22 - Sunday 24 November. Cost 240 euro. For more details email: info@ardsfriary.ie or visit www.ardsfriary.ie.