

PARISH ENVELOPES 2024/25

Parish Envelopes are in alphabetical order and can be collected as follows:

Christ the King Church
Saturday 9 / Sunday 10 March
&
Saturday 16 / Sunday 17 March

St Finlough's Church
Saturday 9 March, Saturday 16 March
&
Saturday 23 March

St Mary's Church
Sunday 24 March

NEW USERS: If you do not have a box of envelopes and require one, please call at the Parish Office between 9.00 am – 1.00 pm weekdays.

CHANGE OF DETAILS OR STATUS: If you have moved residence, got married or wish to add new members to your household, you can also call the Parish Office on 028 777 62522 so our records can be updated.

GIFT AID: If you are a current taxpayer, you are eligible to Gift Aid your contribution and if you have not previously done so you may also collect or complete a Gift Aid Form. This makes your contribution worth an extra 20% to the Parish at no extra cost to you.

PLEASE: Take envelopes for family and friends. Please ensure that you take the correct envelopes.

THANK YOU: for your continuing generous support.

PLEASE DO NOT USE YOUR NEW ENVELOPES UNTIL 7 APRIL

LIMAVADY PARISH BULLETIN

4th Sunday in Lent

10 March 2024

LITURGICAL PROGRAMME FOR THE COMING WEEK

Mon 11 - Thurs 14 March	7 am	Mass:	Christ the King
	10 am	Mass:	Christ the King (streamed)
Friday 15 March	7 am	Mass:	Christ the King
	10 am	Mass:	Christ the King (streamed)
	3 pm	Divine Mercy Chaplet: Christ the King	
Saturday 16 March	4.30 pm	Vigil Mass:	5th Sunday in Lent in Christ the King (streamed)
	6 pm	Vigil Mass:	5th Sunday in Lent in St Finlough's (streamed)
Sunday 17 March (St Patrick's Day)	9 am	Mass:	Christ the King
	10.30 am	Mass:	St Mary's (streamed)
	12.00 noon	Mass:	Christ the King
Readings for 5th Sunday in Lent:		Jer 31:31-34. Ps 50:3-4, 12-15, R/ v 12. Heb 5:7-9. Jn 12:20-30	

ROTA FOR 7 am MASS - LENT 2024

	<u>Readers</u>	<u>Ministers of Holy Communion</u>
Monday	Clare Dunne	Mary McDermott, Maureen Diamond
Tuesday	Mairead McNulty	Gregory Kearney, Angela Hamilton
Wednesday	John McCloskey	Bronagh Quigley, Patricia Somers
Thursday	Mary O'Hara	Leo McCloskey, Ann Newland
Friday	Mary McGowan	George O'Doherty, Agnes Diamond

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
	Facebook: facebook.com/limparish

Please collect your Trocaire Boxes from the church porches

Month's Mind Masses

The Month's Mind Mass for **Marie McGinnis** will be celebrated on Saturday 16 March at 4.30 pm in Christ the King Church.

The Month's Mind Mass for **Ann Logue** will be celebrated on Saturday 16 March at 6.00 pm in St Finlough's Church.

First Anniversary Masses

The First Anniversary Mass for **Bernard McErlean** will be celebrated on Sunday 10 March at 10.30 am Mass in St Mary's Church.

The First Anniversary Mass for **Adam Payne** will be celebrated on Wednesday 13 March at 10.00 am in Christ the King Church.

Anniversaries

John Tierney, Bernard McErlean, Susanne Carton, Patsy & Ann Forrest, Gertie Deeney, Mariah & Willie McCloskey, Anne McGurk, Bridie Newland, Mary Devine, Eileen Kermath, Margaret & Annie Harkin, James & Jean O'Hara, Gretta O'Kane, Margaret Harkin, Jim McCormick, Hugh Mullan, Kathleen O'Hara, John Doran, William John Bond, Elizabeth Moore, Geraldine McWilliams, Adam Payne, Harry McLaughlin, Mary & Paddy Hartin

MAY THEY REST IN PEACE

Baptisms

Eden-Fiadh McElmoyle Lamont, Isla-Rose Colhoun

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. Once again many thanks for your kindness and generosity.

WEEKLY COLLECTION Sunday 3 March: £4,675.00

DIVINE MERCY CHAPLET will take place in Christ the King Church on all the Fridays in Lent at 3.00 pm.

'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 second series of 'The Chosen' will continue in the Minor Hall in Bethany Community Centre on Monday nights at 7.30 pm. Tea and coffee served beforehand. All welcome.

VOCATIONS We pray God's blessing on all those involved in a Vocations Retreat in Larne this weekend. Anyone interested in serving the Church as a priest of the Diocese of Derry is asked to contact the diocesan Vocations Director, Fr Pat O'Hagan, at pgoh2111@gmail.com or at 028 7936259.

SCRIPTURE STUDY ON GENESIS for one hour every week for the 6 weeks of Lent starting Tuesday 20 February in St Mary's chapter room at 6.30 pm. For more information ring 07729355068.

DAY RETREAT IN HONOUR OF ST CHARBEL Fr Terence O'Connell will conduct a Day Retreat in the Carmelite Retreat Centre, Termonbacca from 10 am - 3 pm on Thursday 14 March. Cost for the day including light lunch £20. A First Class Relic and Blessed Oil of St Charbel will also be available on the day. For bookings telephone: 028 71 262512.

PALM SUNDAY RETREAT Join with the Columba Community for a Day of Healing Prayer at St Anthony's Retreat Centre, Dundrean, Burnfoot, which will include Scripture meditations, Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament, Teaching and Celebration of Eucharist as we enter Holy Week together. Sunday 24 March, 11 am - 4 pm. Mass celebrated at 3 pm. Light lunch included. Suggested donation £20. Email: columbacomunity@hotmail.com to book or call: 028 71 262407

LIFE IN THE SPIRIT SEMINARS 2024 Omagh Charismatic Prayer Group invite you to Life in the Holy Spirit Seminars on Thursdays in conjunction with 7.30 pm Mass in Christ The King Church, Strathroy beginning 15 February - 21 March. Visit <https://www.churchservices.tv/strathroy>

Baptisms

To arrange a Baptism, you **MUST** complete a Baptism Card in the Parish Office
Tel: Parish Office - 028 777 62522 between 9.00 am - 1.00 pm.

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.
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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.**

CARMELITE RETREAT CENTRE, TERMONBACCA Sleeping St Joseph Novena: 11 - 19 March. Mass each evening at 7.30 pm.

Day Retreat for Men: Saturday 16 March 10.00 am - 4.00 pm. Cost including light lunch £15.

Weekend Retreat for Ladies: Friday 22 - Sunday 24 March. Conducted by the Apostles of the Sacred Heart of Jesus. Cost £90 residential. £70 non residential.
For bookings: email termonbaccaderry@gmail.com or call 71 262512.

DERRY DIOCESAN YOUTH SYNOD GATHERING Diocese of Derry Youth Team are inviting all young people or those who work with young people in parishes and schools to an evening of sharing faith along with tea, chat and prayer on Tuesday 12 March from 6.30 pm - 8.00 pm in St Eugene's Cathedral and on Wednesday 20 March from 6.30 pm - 8.00 pm in Maghera Pastoral Centre. To register email: lizzie.rea@derrydiocese.org or phone 02871264087.

MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER IRELAND invite married couples to their next Marriage Enrichment Weekend in the Focolare Centre, Prosperous, Co Kildare from Friday 26 - Sunday 28 April. Register online: www.marriageencounter.ie.

ST PATRICK'S WAY PILGRIMAGE EXPERIENCE in Downpatrick on 16 March, led by pilgrim guides Martina Purdy and Elaine Kelly. Visit the St Patrick Centre, see IMAX film and receive passport to walk with guides to Inch Abbey, Saul Church & St Patrick's grave. Lunch and bus transfers inc £35 pp. 9 am - 3 pm. For more information contact 02844 619000. (Walk is approx. 6 miles).

DAY RETREAT FOR READERS AND EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS on Saturday 9 March 10.30 am - 4.00 pm at Ards Friary, Creeslough, Co Donegal. Contact Ards Friary on 00353 74 9138909 or email: info@ardsfriary.ie for information.

ACCORD - MARRIAGE PREPARATION COURSES 19 & 20 April, 27 & 28 May, 14 & 15 June. Please note that these courses are now in person and **NOT** virtual. Courses can be booked online at: www.accordni.com.

FATIMA PILGRIMAGE 9 - 14 August ex Dublin. Mass in Santarem where bleeding host took place, visit visionaries homes, Hungarian Stations of the Cross, Lisbon with Church of Saint Anthony where he was born and baptised, seaside excursion. Payments can be made by instalments. Contact: James Treacy on 061921470 or email: jamestreacyphotography@gmail.com

MARCH OF WITNESS leaving The Salvation Hall at 3.30 pm on Good Friday. (Hot Cross Buns and tea afterwards).

CEMETERY SUNDAYS 2024

Roemill	6 pm	Sunday 2 June 2024
Christ the King	6 pm	Sunday 9 June 2024
St Mary's	6 pm	Sunday 23 June 2024
St Finlough's	3 pm	Sunday 30 June 2024

Please bring Holy Water to sprinkle on your graves