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) at 07596 500 793,

or at the Safeguarding Office, Diocesan Pastoral Centre, 164 Bishop Street, Derry BT48 6UJ, 028 713 62475

or PSNI (Police Service of Northern Ireland) 101

or Social Services Western HSC Trust 028 7131 4090.

Safeguarding Policy can be accessed on the Diocese of Derry website:

https://www.derrydiocese.org

PRIVACY NOTICE

The Diocese of Derry complies with GDRP regulations.

A privacy notice is available on the Parish website or by contacting the Parish Office.

Live steam and recordings of Mass and Services in Christ the King Church, St Mary's Church and St Finlough's Church are available online.

Parishioners should note that the first two rows of seats are visible online in Christ the King Church, St Mary's Church and St Finlough's Church.

ST FINLOUGH'S ANNUAL DRAW is now live. Tickets £5 each or 5 for £20. 1st: £500 heating oil. 2nd: £200 Tesco voucher. 3rd: £200 McAtamney's voucher. 4th: £100 Tesco voucher. Tickets available from committee members or Tel: 07739596794.

ST FINLOUGH'S COFFEE MORNING will take place on Saturday 25 November from 10.00 am -12.00 noon. Santa will be there. All proceeds to St Finlough's Refurbishment Programme.

ST VINCENT DE PAUL CLOTHING BANKS New clothing banks have been installed in the carparks at Christ the King and St Finlough's. These banks are for clothing, bedding etc to be sold by weight. 'Good' clothes should be left in SVP shops in Dungiven or Derry, or given to another Charity of vour choice.

<u>LIMAVADY DRAMA CLUB - SLEEPING BEAUTY</u> will run from 29 November - 2 December. Tickets online from: https://ticketsource.co.uk/limavadydramaclub.

ARTHRITIS SUPPORT GROUP in Roe Valley Arts & Cultural Centre on 1st & 3rd Thursday each month from 12 noon - 2 pm. Tel: 028 9078 2940 or s.gilchrist@versusarthritis.org for more information.

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

MAGILLIGAN COMMUNITY ASSOCIATION An evening of stories and songs with George Murphy & Friends on Sat 4 Nov at 7 pm in Magilligan Community Centre. £5 entry includes light supper.

LITTLE RASCALS COMMUNITY PLAYGROUP, DRUMSURN Spaces available for our Junior Club which is funded by the Pathway Fund and is for children in their pre pre school year (children are eligible to start when they reach the age of 2 years and 10 months. No sessions fees apply. The sessions are on a Monday and Tuesday from 12.15 pm to 2.00 pm. For more information please call: 777 67501 or email: little.rascals2@vahoo.com.

MARY'S MEALS We currently provide nutritious daily school meals to 2.4 million children in 18 of the world's poorest countries. These meals bring children into the classroom, where they can gain an education and hope of a better future. Make a lasting difference with your gifts. Find the perfect gift in our online shop.

THE NET available in parishes as well as on the Diocesan website. Email: editorthenet15@gmail.com.

CONNECTIONS & COFFEE each Friday from 11 am - 2 pm at RVRA Community Hub, 33 Catherine Street.

ANAM CARA DONEGAL Monthly meeting on Thursday 9 November at 7.15 pm in the Raddison Blu Hotel, Letterkenny. For more information call 00 353 1 4045378. This event is free.

LIMAVADY PARISH BULLETIN

31st Sunday in Ordinary Time

5 November 2023

LITURGICAL PROGRAMME FOR THE COMING WEEK

Sunday 5 November 3 pm - 5 pm Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament in Christ the King (with Confessions)

Mon 6 - Fri 10 November 10.00 am Mass: **Christ the King (streamed)**

Saturday 11 November 32nd Sunday in Ordinary Time 4.30 pm Vigil Mass: in Christ the King (streamed)

> 6.00 pm Vigil Mass: **32nd Sunday in Ordinary Time**

> > in St Finlough's (streamed)

Sunday 12 November 9.00 am Mass: **Christ the King**

> 10.30 am Mass: **Christ the King (streamed)**

12.00 noon Mass: **Christ the King**

Readings for 32nd Sunday in Ordinary Time: Wis 6:12-16. Ps 62:2-8, R/ v 2.

1 Th 4:13-18. Mt 25:1-13.

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.

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 Facebook: facebook.com/limparish

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

Deaths

We extend our sympathy to the family and friends of Kathleen Newsome, 6 Roemill Gardens, Limavady Diarmuid Mullan, Dungiven Dermot O'Reilly, Belfast Gerard Kealey, Germany, formerly Limavady who died recently.

Month's Mind Mass

The Month's Mind Mass for **Margaret McVeigh** will be celebrated on Saturday 4 November at 4.30 pm in Christ the King Church.

First Anniversary Masses

The First Anniversary Mass for **Brian McGurk** will be celebrated on Sunday 5 November at 12.00 noon in Christ the King Church. The First Anniversary Mass for **Lizzie Canning** will be celebrated on Saturday 11 November at 6.00 pm in St Finlough's Church.

Anniversaries

Elizabeth Guy, Tony O'Neill, Mark Holmes, Beth Kavanagh, Lorraine Meehan, Eileen Crilly, Willie John McCorriston, Michael Mullan, Barbara Kelly, Elizabeth McClarey, John McAtamney, Philomena Doran, Roddy O'Kane, Carole & Hugh McLaughlin, James Guy, Pat Hunt, Annie McLaughlin, Agatha O'Brien, Robert Mullan, James Donaghy, Martha Harkin, Rosemary Doherty, Margaret Barr, Fred McCallef, Brigid Murray

Derry Diocesan Society

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

Brendan Canning, Evelyn (Lyn) Smith, Clare Henry, Sarah Tierney, Aine Donaghy, Jane Kealey, Rosemary Kelly, Rosemary Duffy, Ryan Moore, Aidan McKinney, Natasha Commins, Patricia McCorriston, Leo Kealey, Brian Quinn, Teresa McGonigle

MAY THEY REST IN PEACE

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 29 October: £3,920.00

'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 Chosen' will be shown in the Minor Hall on Monday nights at 7.30 pm beginning Monday 9 October and finishing on Monday 20 November (7 Monday nights). Tea and coffee served before hand. All welcome.

EUCHARISTIC ADORATION will take place in St Mary's Church on Thursday 9 November and Thursday 14 December. Sheets will be available in each Church for those who wish to commit to one hour each month.

ROSARY ON THE COAST on Sunday 5 November at 3.00 pm on Lisfannon Strand, Buncrana and Sunday 19 November on Benone Strand, Magilligan, also 3.00 pm.

MASS FOR DECEASED CHILDREN AND YOUNG PEOPLE will take place on Sunday 12 November at 7.00 pm in St Eugene's Cathedral. The Mass will be celebrated by Bishop McKeown.

ANNUAL SOLEMN NOVENA IN HONOUR OF OUR LADY OF PERPETUAL HELP takes place in St Columba's, Long Tower, Derry for the nine Sundays before Christmas beginning Sunday 22 October at 6 pm. This year's theme: 'Year of Vocations to Diocesan Priesthood'.

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. Further information from the Pioneers on 00353 1 80 5 4226 or via www.pioneers.ie/pray.

A DAY RETREAT OF PRAYER FOR THE RELIEF OF THE HOLY SOULS IN PURGATORY

will take place in the Carmelite Retreat Centre, Termonbacca on Friday 17 November from 10.00 am - 3.00 pm. Cost including light lunch: £15. For bookings, telephone 71 262512.

MEMORY'S GIFTING both gratitude, longing and the acceptance of the unfinished' on Saturday 11 November from 10.00 am - 1.30 pm in An Grianan Hotel.

For details / to register contact Erin at thornhillministries@derrydiocese.org.

<u>PREPARING FOR CHRISTMAS</u> - <u>WEEKEND RETREAT</u> at Ards Friary 8 - 10 December. Led by Philip McParland. To book Tel: 00353 74 91 38909 or email: info@ardsfriary.ie.

AN EVENING OF SONGS OF FAITH, HOPE AND LOVE AT KNOCK BASILICA on Friday 1 December. Tickets from Ticketmaster.ie Tickets also available from head office. Tel: 00353 94 9000 251 / 00353 86 3938871 or email: support@victimassistance.ie.

<u>ACCORD - PRE MARRIAGE COURSES</u> Zoom 6.30 pm - 9.30 pm - 27/28 November, 11/12 December. Couples should book online at www.accordni.com.

MARRIAGE AND RELATIONSHIP COUNSELLING WITH ACCORD NI Help us help you support your marriage and relationship. If you feel your relationship is in crisis or you need a little guidance and help, either face to face or online, contact your local ACCORD centre. ACCORD NI counsellors are professionally trained in the specialism of couples and relationships counselling. Every year ACCORD help thousands of couples rebuild and sustain healthy relationships. For support, call: 028 9023 3002 or visit accordni.com.

POPE JOHN PAUL II AWARD CEREMONY will take place on Wednesday 7 February at 2.00 pm in St Eugene's Cathedral. This Ceremony is for all those who have completed the Award.

TROCAIRE is looking for people to join its team of Christmas fundraisers to help respond to the urgent need of poor communities around the world, including the millions of children and families caught in conflict across Ethiopia, South Sudan and Ukraine. You can take action and make a difference through a range of activities, including the promotion of its *Gifts of Change* – training and support will be provided. If you would like to find out more about what you can do to help now or over the Advent and Christmas period, please email Mark McMahon on infoni@trocaire.org or call 028 9080 8030.

PARISH DRAW - OCTOBER WINNERS

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£1,000	Martine McDevitt, c/o M O'Hara
£100	Philomena McQuillan, c/o R Cowdry
£100	Geraldine Carlin, c/o G Carlin
£100	Ann McLaughlin, c/o B McNickle
£100	Brian McWilliams, c/o B McWilliams
£100	Angela Jeffers c/o A Hassan

Collector's Prize Gerard Mullan

The next draw will take place on Monday 27 November in Bethany Community Centre at 7.30 pm. Collection from 6.00 - 7.30 pm.

<u>DAY FOR LIFE</u> - Support Organisations Have you or someone you know been affected by abortion? There are some wonderful organisations that can help you. Here are three:

Rachel's Vineyard: rachelsvineyard.ie rachelsvineyard.org.uk

Rachel's Vineyard is a safe place to renew and rebuild your life after experiencing the trauma of abortion. Their healing weekends offer a supportive, confidential and non-judgmental environment where women and men can deal with painful post-abortive emotions.

Gianna Care: giannacare.ie

Gianna Care's goal is to help people in any way they can. Whether you are experiencing an unexpected pregnancy, or need help following an abortion, their trained client advocates, counsellors, nurses and doctors are here to help.

Abortion Recover Care and Helpline (ARCH) archtrust.org.uk

ARCH is dedicated to promoting the emotional, psychological and spiritual well-being of clients, by the provision of real understanding, counselling and supportive help to women, men and families after an abortion.