

CEMETERY SUNDAY

Christ the King
Roe Mill
St. Mary's
St. Finlough's

Saturday 6 June after 6.00 pm Mass
Sunday 7 June 6.00 pm
Sunday 14 June 6.00 pm
Sunday 28 June 3.00 pm

CARMELITE RETREAT CENTRE, TERMONBACCA Film Show: "Unplanned" will be shown on Sunday 26 January at 8.00 pm. "She Walks in Beauty" Day Retreat guided by Sr Colleen Mattingly on Saturday 1 February.

TERMONCANICE PRIMARY SCHOOL Parents/Guardians: You can now apply for pre-school and primary school admissions online. You have until 12 noon on Thursday 30 January to apply. Please apply through the following link: eani.org.uk/admissions.

CHURCHES RESTORATION FUND Next draw on **Monday 27 January** 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.

HOLY LAND PILGRIMAGE RETREAT 24 September - 8 October. Applications now available. Contact Thornhill Ministries 71 351233, or thornhillministries@derrydiocese.org or visit www.thornhillministries.co.uk.

MARRIAGE ENRICHMENT WEEKEND hosted by Catholic Marriage Encounter Ireland, offers married couples of all ages in a good relationship, private time to rekindle the joy of their love. The next (residential) Weekend (Friday 8 pm to Sunday 4.30 pm) will be held in Dromantine Retreat Centre, Newry, from 31 January - 2 February. For further information and to book, visit (new) website www.marriageencounter.ie or phone 07702812321.

PILGRIMAGE TO KNOCK SHRINE 24 February 2020. £399 per person sharing. Price includes return bus transfer, 4 nights in Knock House Hotel full board. All entertainment and excursions included. Single room supplement £40. Contact 01268762278 or 07740175557 or email knockpilgrimages@gmail.com. Knock Pilgrimages is a member of the Travel Trust Association and is fully protected by ATOL T7613.

ST MARY'S, LIMAVADY AT 60 As part of their 60th Anniversary Celebrations, St Mary's will be holding a Gala Dinner on Friday 13 March in Roe Park Resort. Tables of 10 = £600 or Tickets = £60 each. For tickets or further information please contact Mr S Mullan at school on 777 62360.

ARISE EVENT IN KNOCK FOR YOUNG ADULTS at Knock Shrine. Catholic Youth Ministry Ireland (CYMI) invites young adults aged 18+ to join them for a faith event in Knock on Saturday 7 March. If you are interested in hearing more details or would like to register your attendance, contact Yvonne in the Derry Diocesan Catechetical Centre: Yvonne.rooney@derrydiocese.org or Tel: 028 71264087.

A NIGHT OF HOPE Sunday 2 February at 7 pm in St Mary's Church, Bellaghy. Several artists and two mental health guest speakers on the night. Admission by voluntary donation. All monies go to S.T.E.P.S, Community Rescue Services and Mental Health Charities.

TRAINING OPPORTUNITY FOR ADULTS The Diocese are also offering a training course for adults interested in Parish Pastoral Ministry. This course will be a Level 2 Certificate in Youth Work Practice and it will run over 5 Saturdays and a few evenings beginning on Wednesday 4 March 6 pm - 9 pm in Maghera Pastoral Centre. If you are interested in this course, please contact Yvonne Rooney, the Diocesan Pastoral Youth Leader for more details or an application form. Email yvonne.rooney@derrydiocese.org or Tel: 0044 2871264087.

JIMMY O'HARA CCE ROE VALLEY are hosting Set Dancing classes in Culturlann (formerly St Pat's Hall) on Thursdays at 8 pm. All ages and abilities welcome. Tel: 07745673687 for information.

WOLFHOUSES UNDERAGE REGISTRATION NIGHT on Monday 27 January from 7 pm - 8.30 pm in Termoncanice Primary School.

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

3rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

26 January 2020

MASS TIMES

ST MARY'S

Monday - Friday	-	10.00 am
Friday	-	7.30 pm
Sunday Morning	-	9.00 am, 11.00 am

CHRIST THE KING

Saturday Vigil	-	6.00 pm
Sunday	-	12.00 noon

ST FINLOUGH'S

Saturday Vigil	-	7.30 pm
Sunday Morning	-	10.00 am

CONFESSION TIMES

ST MARY'S	Friday	-	6.30 pm - 7.15 pm
CHRIST THE KING	Saturday	-	5.30 pm
ST FINLOUGH'S	Saturday	-	7.00 pm

Eucharistic Adoration

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

Prayer Group

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

Baptisms

St Finlough's Church Tel: 028 777 62522 **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.

Telephone Numbers

Mgr McCanny	028 777 29759
Fr Baker	028 777 62721
Parish Office	028 777 62522 (Mon - Fri: 9.00 am - 1.00 pm)
	Email: parishoflimavady@btinternet.com
	Website: www.limavadyparish.org
	Facebook: facebook.com/limparish

Deaths

We extend our sympathy to the family and friends of:
Margaret McCloskey, 41 Shanreagh Park, Limavady
John McCool, 77 Irish Green Street, Limavady
Gerald McWilliams, Kent, formerly Limavady
Carmel McQuade, American, formerly Ballykelly
who died recently.

MONTH'S MIND MASS

The Month's Mind Mass for **Monica Donaghy** will be celebrated on Friday 31 January at 7.30 pm in St Mary's Church.

Anniversaries

Fr Felix O'Neill, Fr Walter O'Neill, Mary Hunt, Susan O'Neill, Winifred Harrison, Fred O'Hara, E P McLaughlin, Noel McDermott, Joan Gallagher, Gerald O'Hara, Michael Timoney, Susie O'Hara, Ellen & Joseph Toner, Mary Canny, Ellen Anderson, Patrick Boyle, Lily O'Doherty, Margaret McFarland, Stewart Blunden, Jim McIntyre, Michael Toner, Abraham & Jacob Boucher, Dominic O'Connor, Darrell Duddy, Mary & Tommy Hunter, Terry McLaughlin, Barry McGuigan

MAY THEY REST IN PEACE

FEAST OF ST BRIGID AND CANDLEMAS DAY will be celebrated on Saturday 1 February and Sunday 2 February. Crosses and candles will be blessed at all Masses (Vigils and Sunday Masses).

EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION FOR FEBRUARY

St Mary's	9.00 am	Sarah Archibald, Ann Newland, Gerard McLaughlin
	11.00 am	Canice Forrest, Tony Glendinning, Elizabeth O'Brien
Christ the King	6.00 pm	Ann Gallagher, Ann Kearney, Anne McCambridge, Gerard McNicholl, Martin Rafferty
	12.00 noon	Kim Donaghy, Maria McQuillan, Cathal Mullin
St Finlough's	7.30 pm	Tracey McIvor
	10.00 am	Aine McSheffrey

WEEKDAY EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION FOR FEBRUARY

Monday	E Mullan	Wednesday	M Matthews	Friday	J McCloskey
Tuesday	A Hassan	Thursday	R Toner		M McDermott

READERS FOR FEBRUARY

St Mary's	9.00 am	Bernadette McClean, Declan McCloskey
	11.00 am	Roe Valley Integrated School
Christ the King	6.00 pm	Mary McCloskey, Lawrence McCreanor
	12.00 noon	Geraldine Compton, Seana McCutcheon
St Finlough's	7.30 pm	Marie McNicholl
	10.00 am	Sarah Jane Carten

WEEKDAY READERS FOR FEBRUARY

Monday	Anne Marie Holmes	Thursday	Mairead Peoples
Tuesday	Dinny Gleeson	Friday	Termoncanice Primary School
Wednesday	Ann Hasson		

ALTAR SOCIETY FOR DECEMBER

St Mary's - Isobel McKeown **Christ the King** - Jennifer McLaughlin
St Finlough's - Leslie McElhinney, Margaret Feeney

MEDJUGORJE IRISH CENTRE PILGRIMAGES April - October 2020 7 nights Stay and Airport Shuttle service from Dubrovnik or Split for 266 euros per person sharing. Book any flight, any time and we provide guaranteed airport shuttle service. Tel: 014434510 or email reservations@med-irishcentre.com.

THE DEEP END

Jesus Begins His Ministry in Galilee

In today's Gospel we hear that Jesus withdrew to Galilee and made his home in Capernaum by the lake. Anyone who has been to the Holy Land will have visited Capernaum and will know that it is a beautiful place. In Jesus' time this was a thriving fishing town.

To 'repent' literally means 'to turn around'. We are called to transformation, to turn away from what is not life giving and embrace a full life.

It's hard to imagine behaving in the same way as Simon Peter and Andrew, leaving everything behind them and following Jesus. There must have been something very attractive about Jesus. The account in Matthew is quite short but one wonders if they had heard him speak many times before this moment. It takes courage to drop everything and follow something new. Obviously, they were ready for it, it was the right moment and their hearts said 'Yes!'

These accounts are the beginning of Jesus' public ministry. Today perhaps you can reflect on moments you were called to something new and even though it meant leaving something behind, you knew it was the right choice. You were at peace with your decision despite the challenges it might bring. This process never ends, we are constantly called to 'repent', renew, rediscover, seek out.

Jane Mellett mellettj@gmail.com

COLLECTION FOR SUNDAY 12 JANUARY Town Churches £3,433.40 Ballykelly £578.50

MASS IN HONOUR OF BLESSED ALEXANDRINA will be held in Termonbacca on Sunday 26 January at 7.30 pm. Everyone welcome.

MASS FOR THE SICK in the Carmelite Retreat Centre, Termonbacca on Tuesday 28 January at 7.30 pm.

THORNHILL MINISTRIES - PILGRIMAGE/RETREAT TO THE HOLY LAND There are a few places remaining on our pilgrimage/retreat (24 Sept - 2 Oct 2020). Anyone wishing to travel, please return all application forms in the next few weeks. For information contact 028 7135 1233 or thornhillministries@derydioocese.org. Website: www.thornhillministries.co.uk.

DERRY DIOCESAN PILGRIMAGE TO LOURDES led by Bishop Donal McKeown, from Thursday 2 July to Tuesday 7 July 2020, cost £679 (deposit £100 - non refundable) including full board and transfers in Lourdes. For enquiries or bookings contact The Pilgrimage Office, 164 Bishop Street, Derry each Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday, 11.00 am to 1.00 pm. Tel: 028 71 260293 or email: derrypilgrim@outlook.com.

A LETTER OF THANKS FROM ST ELISABETH CONVENT, BELARUS 'We would like to express our sincere gratitude and appreciation to everyone for their hospitality and precious help during the visit of our Sisters. We do appreciate all your efforts, concern, assistance and kind heartedness greatly. Our Sisters are incredibly grateful for the donation collected in your parish which will allow us to continue our outreach services and programs for orphanage children with psychophysical deficiencies, for people who were led astray by the rough and tumble of life (the homeless, drug and alcohol addicts, ex prisoners and the less able) including food, shelter and clothing distributions. Let us assure that You are always welcome here at St Elisabeth Convent.'

IMPORTANT DATES

Confirmation	Saturday 25 April 2020	Christ the King Church
First Holy Communion (Termoncanice)	Saturday 16 May 2020	Christ the King Church
First Holy Communion (Irish)	Saturday 23 May 2020	Christ the King Church
First Holy Communion (Ballykelly)	Saturday 30 May 2020	St Finlough's Church
First Holy Communion (St Finlough's)	Saturday 30 May 2020	St Finlough's Church
First Holy Communion (Integrated)	Saturday 6 June 2020	Christ the King Church

PLEASE REMEMBER ST VINCENT DE PAUL RED BOX Helpline No: 07512360388