Tamlaght O'Crilly Greenlough



30th Sunday of the Year Christian Hope

Jesus asked: 'What do you want me to do for you?' This question, asked in the Gospel of a blind man, is addressed to each one of us by Jesus. The man who was born blind had no hesitation in asking for his sight to be given him. That was the single most important thing for him in his life. We should ask ourselves what our single most important need and desire is for our own lives. In what ways are we blind and need our sight restored? Maybe it is in relation to what our real priorities are. Or maybe it is in our close relationships of marriage and family life where we can easily fail to see the hurt or distress or loneliness of one another. Or we may be blind to our responsibility to care for those around us in our parish or wider community who are in need. This week is a call to look into our hearts and open ourselves up to the power of Christ to heal us and set us free.

Fr. Johnny Doherty, C.Ss.R.

30th Sunday in Ordinary Time

GREENLOUGH MASS TIMES

Monday - Thursday: 9.00am.

Friday: 7.30pm.

Saturday: 10.00am; Vigil: 7.30pm.

Sunday: 9.00am; 11.00am.

Children's Liturgy - Sunday 11am Mass.



Lavey Parish Mass Times - Monday - Friday: 9.15am

Monthly Rosary - Due to ongoing renovations at the Old Church the Rosary will be held in Greenlough Church next Sunday November 1st at 3.00pm.

October



Continuous Prayer Movement for Marriage & Family Life Our Parish day of Prayer takes place this Thursday 29th October.



Service for Our Deceased Family & Friends
We will have a special service on Sunday 15th November
at 5.00pm in the Church. Everyone Welcome.

Book of Remembrance

A book will be available in the Church during November for anyone to write in names of deceased loved ones. This book will be carried up to the altar during the Bereaved Service.

VISIT OF ARCHBISHOP MARTIN

Archbishop Eamon Martin, a native of Derry, is making his first official visit to Derry since his installation as Archbishop of Armagh and Metropolitan of the province of Armagh, which includes Derry. To mark this occasion, Archbishop Martin will celebrate Mass in St. Eugene's Cathedral, Derry on Thursday 5th November at 7.30pm. This is a diocesan event and you are warmly invited to attend the Mass, to welcome Archbishop Martin.

MONEY COUNTERS

Greenlough Parish Collections

18th October: Weekly: £964.92; B/fund: £97.10. **Missions:** £1332.66. Thank you for your generosity.

ENVELOPE COUNTERS - Thanks to Una McPeake, Carmel McPeake, Bridget Rose McPeake, Mary Ann McPeake & Patsy McPeake who have been counting during October.

November Counters: Declan Maguire; Pauline McAteer; Liam McAteer; Eamon McAteer; Rosemarie McAllister

November - Month of the Holy Souls

Many people choose to abstain from alcohol for the month of November and offer this prayerful act in honour of their deceased loved ones and for someone they know or love with an addiction. You can do likewise!

Take the **SHORT-TERM PLEDGE**.

If you would like to take up a Short-Term Pledge, tel (003531) 874 9464. or visit www.pioneerassociation.ie

Dates for your Diary

The Sacrament of Confirmation will take place next year on Sunday 17th April 2016 at 11.00am.

Listen to women, say auditors to Synod Fathers

Sr Maureen Kelleher - USA, called upon the Church, "my family", to "live up to the challenge to instil in our family the Church a sense of 'we', to encourage each person - male or female - to develop their skills to serve the Kingdom of God". She added, "I ask our Church leaders to recognise how many women who feel called to be in service of the Kingdom of God but cannot find a place in our Church. Gifted though some may be, they cannot bring their talents to the tables of decision making and pastoral planning."

Parish Newsletter - Notices to be in by Wednesday @ 1.00pm. Tel: 2582 1190; E: greenloughparish@gmail.com







Synod 2015



MASS TIMES SUNDAYS:

*Vigil:7.30*pm Morning: 9.00am & 11am **Holydays:**

Vigil: 7.30pm During the day: 9.00am & 11am **WEEKDAYS:**

> Mon - Thurs: 9.00am

Friday: 7.30pm Saturday: 10am

First Fridays: 7.30pm

CONFESSIONS

Saturdays: After Vigil Mass

> **Eves of First** Fridays & **Holydays:**

After evening Mass

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New MUMS AND TOTS group starting in Clady Hall Monday 9th Nov 10am – 12pm. Cost is £1 per child*

*(This covers hire of hall and light refreshments for parents/carers and little ones). This is a non-profit group any extra money made will go back into the playgroup.

To get started WE NEED YOUR HELP, we need toy donations of all sizes big and small and catering for all preschool ages! If you have anything that you would like to donate please call/text Danielle on 07715211397 and we will collect. Your help would be much appreciated!!!

Greenlough GAC

Lotto: 2, 15, 16 & 20. Jackpot not won:

Next Week Jackpot: £5000. Second

Jackpot: £900. £25: Bernard Henry, Online & Martin Henry, Online. Remember you can do the lotto ONLINE.

NWRC OCN Level 2 Certificate in Youth Work Practice

Are you currently working or wish to work in the youth work sector and are looking for that qualified accreditation? North West Regional College, Strand Road Campus, Derry is now offering an exciting part-time course in Youth Work Practice, beginning in November. Get along to the Course information and Induction session on Thursday 5th November at 9.30am, C612 Tower Building, Strand Road Campus or email brenda.mckeag@nwrc.ac.uk for more information. Everyone welcome!

Living the Sunday Liturgy - Prayer Focus

Strengthen our faith, hope and love. How would you like this prayer answered?



Do you know someone who has lost hope at this time? Can you bring hope to that person this week?