Tamlaght O'Crilly Greenlough



Christ makes us his Disciples

'Jesus said to Simon: "Do not be afraid; from now on it is people you will catch." Then, bringing their boats back to land, they left everything and followed him.' The image that Jesus uses has a very special relevance for those he was talking to. They were fishermen. But it continues to be relevant for us today because it simply means that our task is to make Christ attractive to and available for the people of our world. This is done first of all in our homes where the faith is handed on by parents in the ways they make their home a place of joy and gladness. This involves giving up their time and their own preoccupations for the sake of each other and their children. It also determines how a faith community is developed. The most important thing about any faith community should be that it is attractive for others. This will mean giving up our own comfort zones so that others can find a home among us.

Fr. Johnny Doherty, C.Ss.R.

Fifth Sunday of the Year

Monday & Tuesday: Mass at 9.00am; Wednesday 10th - Ash Wednesday Thursday: 9.00am; Friday: 7.30pm

> Saturday: 10am & 7.30pm Sunday: 9am & 11am

Rosary: this Sunday at 3pm in the Church.

NOVENA TO OUR LADY OF LOURDES

Sunday 7th, Monday 8th & Tuesday 9th February

Novena Session at 7.00pm - Scripture Reading,

Rosary, Novena Prayer, and Benediction.

Wednesday 10th February: Ash Wednesday - Mass at 7.30pm Novena Prayer & Distribution of Ashes.

Thursday 11th February - Novena Session at 7.00pm - Feast of Our Lady of Lourdes Scripture Reading, Rosary, Novena Prayer and Adoration

LENT starts this week with Ash Wednesday.

7th February

Sunday

Ash Wednesday

It is a day of fast & abstinence.

Mass Times: 9.00am & 7.30pm

Ashes will be distributed after each Mass

Ashes will also be distributed in the

Church at 10.15am for St Mary's PS and

at 11.15am for St. Mary's College.



Sick Visitation

Fr. Hasson will visit the sick & housebound this Monday 8th February.



The Net Newspaper - The February edition is now available on the tables - Cost £1.50.

Trócaire Boxes are now available at the back of the Church.

Please take one per family.



COLLECTIONS

31/1: Weekly: £1201.15. B/Fund: £171.00 Thank you for your generosity.

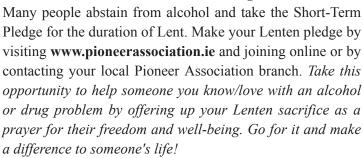
Please note that there will be a collection taken up at all Masses on Ash Wednesday in aid of 'Sacred Places'

Lourdes Hospitalité Collection - There will be a special collection at all Masses next weekend.



Children in Crossfire would like to thank the parishioners of the Greenlough Parish for their amazing contribution of £400.00 to the Advent Campaign 2015. The money raised will help some of the most vulnerable children access vital healthcare, nutrition programmes and education in Tanzania If you would like to find out more feel free to call into our office at 2 St Joseph's Avenue, or call us on 02871269898.

Pioneer Lenten Challenge!





I AM Alive, Christian ROCKS Concert: Easter Sunday, 27th March, St Columb's Hall, Derry, 8pm-10pm. Join in a musical celebration of our love for Jesus and his love for us. A 14 piece band will deliver music in a fresh new way aimed at lifting your soul and inspiring your faith.

Tickets: Adult £10, Students £7 - available @ Veritas.



Nicola O'Neill - Violin lessons for beginners. Tel: 07706747989; Email: nicolaoneill12@outlook.com

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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Fundraising Ceili for World Youth Day - There will be a Ceili in Cockhill National School Buncrana on Friday 12th February. Music provided by Cottage Ceili Band with Dancing from 9pm to Midnight. Admission €5 includes Supper. Proceeds in aid of the Diocesan Pilgrimage to World Youth Day and Radio Maria Ireland. For more info Tel: the Catechetical Centre 7126 4087.

St Columba's Camogie Club

Senior Players!! - There is a meeting in the pavilion on Sunday 7th Feb at 11.45am **for all senior players**. It is crucial that all players attend and we welcome any new or past players. Your club depends on you.



St Columba's Camogie Quiz -Friday 5th

Feb @ 8.30pm in Clady Bar. Get your thinking caps on -Sure to be a good night!

U14 INDOOR CAMOGIE BLITZ - SUNDAY 7th FEB

Venue has changed from Cookstown to Owenbeg. Girls are playing 2pm - 3pm. All players bring their own helmets, sticks & snack/lunch. Meeting Place - Clady Hall for 12.45pm sharp. Please confirm attendance to: Louise Downey 07521877077.

Indoor Camogie Training - Indoor Camogie will continue to be in the Hall every Tuesday evening until further notice. Session 1 - 6.30pm - 7.30pm Playschool - P4 (U6-U8); Session 2 - 7.45pm - 9.00pm P5 - 1st Year (U10 - U12).

Greenlough GAC Lotto Results: 1/2: 7, 17, 20, 24 - No Winner. £25: James Gordon Innisrush; Sinead Diamond, Ballymacpeake. Jackpot next week £5000; 2nd Jackpot: £1650.

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