Tamlaght O'Crilly

Greenlough



The Body & Blood of Christ

"They all ate as much as they wanted, and when the scraps remaining were collected they filled twelve baskets." The miracle of the five loaves and two fish distributed among so many people is given to us as a symbol of the greatest gift and miracle of all, the Eucharist. As God's people we are so privileged to be fed with the Body and Blood of Christ week after week, so much so that we can even take it for granted. We have a responsibility to keep the wonder of this gift alive in us. We also have the responsibility to live this miracle through our love for one another in our homes and communities. Through the power of Christ there was more left over after thousands of people had been fed than when they started. That is what the same Jesus wants to happen among us today as a result of the Eucharist we celebrate. Fr. Johnny Doherty, C.Ss.R.

CORPUS CHRISTI

Masses during the week Monday - Thursday: 9.00am.

Friday: 7.30pm.

Saturday: 10.00am; 7.30pm. **Sunday:** 9.00am & 11.00am.

Sunday 29th May Devotions at 7.00pm in the Church.

Anniversary Masses during the Week Friday 3rd June at 7.30pm for Eugene McDonnell, RIP. Saturday 4th June at 7.30pm for W. J. Downey, RIP.

First Holy Communion

Congratulations to all the boys and girls who made their First Holy Communion on Saturday and also thanks to their parents, families, teachers and School Principals.



Greenlough Church Restoration Fund - Donation

The Priests and Parishioners would like to acknowledge and thank Mr John C. Marron for his generous donation of £300 towards the Greenlough Church Restoration Fund, following sponsorship on completing "The Great North Run", Newcastle upon Tyne. Thank You!!

Parish Collections - 22nd May 2016 Wkly/Mthly/Cash: £946.39. Diocesan Admin: £6; Clerical Ed: £5. Building

Fund: £434.80. Thanks for your generosity.



9th WORLD MEETING OF FAMILIES

The Bishop's have asked for the **first of three collections** to support this international event to be taken up in every parish in Ireland. **There will be a collection taken up after Communion next weekend at all Masses.**



Sick/Housebound - Please note Fr. Hasson will visit the sick & housebound on Monday 6th June.

Year of Mercy Pilgrimage - Next Sunday, June 5th the Co. Derry Deanery will celebrate the Year of Mercy Pilgrimage. Dungiven Parish is the host parish and we as the parish of Greenlough are encouraged to go along and celebrate this unique event in the deanery. The Pilgrimage will begin with a Service of Reconciliation and Confessions at 2.00pm in St. Patrick's Church, Dungiven.

Following confessions a **procession** will take place from the church to the site of the Old Priory where Mass will be concelebrated with Bishop McKeown as chief celebrant.

9th WORLD MEETING OF FAMILIES

Pope Francis has decided that the Dublin World Meeting of Families will be held from 22nd to 26th August 2018, and has chosen the theme: "The Gospel of the Family: Joy for the World." The World Meeting of Families will be organised jointly by the Pontifical Council for the Family and by Archbishop Diarmuid Martin, as bishop of the host diocese. The planning will involve teams of women and men, clergy, religious and lay, from all over Ireland. A Committee of the Irish Bishops' Conference has been set up to oversee fundraising for the event. In preparation for the meeting a programme of pastoral preparation centered on the family will take place across Ireland, especially during 2017. It hoped that alongside the events gestures of solidarity will be fostered, such as for example a Pope Francis Fund for Homelessness.

Marriage & Family Life - This Sunday, May 29th is Our Parish Day of Prayer for Marriage & Family Life.

GREENLOUGH CEMETERY SUNDAY

Sunday 12th June at 3.00pm.



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

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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The (Church of Ireland) Parish of Tamlaght O'Crilly Lower is holding a Wedding Dress Festival in St Nossonus' Church. Innisrush. Friday 3rd June: 10.30am - 7pm. Opening Service, 8.00pm. Saturday 4th June: 10am -8.pm. Sunday 5th June: 2pm -



7.30pm. Refreshments served during the day in Innisrush Parish Church Hall. Everyone welcome.

Family Care Adoption Society is presently seeking to recruit adoptive families for babies and young children. For more information please visit www.familycaresociety.co.uk or Telephone: 028 7136 8592/028 90 691133, Monday to Friday 9am - 1pm, or email: email@familycaresociety.org.

Greenlough GAC - Lotto - 23/5 - 4, 5, 12 & 23. Jackpot: £5000 not won. £25 winners: Larry Madden, Moyagoney Rd & Aine McPeake, Glenone. Jackpot next week £5,000. 2nd Jackpot: £2450.



Census Forms. Please complete your forms and return to the person who delivered them in your area or place them in the box in the Church by Sunday June 5th.

PRAYER FOCUS

Help us to experience the salvation you won for us. Pray that the Eucharist may bring us salvation and peace.

Do you know someone who is very ill at present? How could you bring comfort to them this week?





