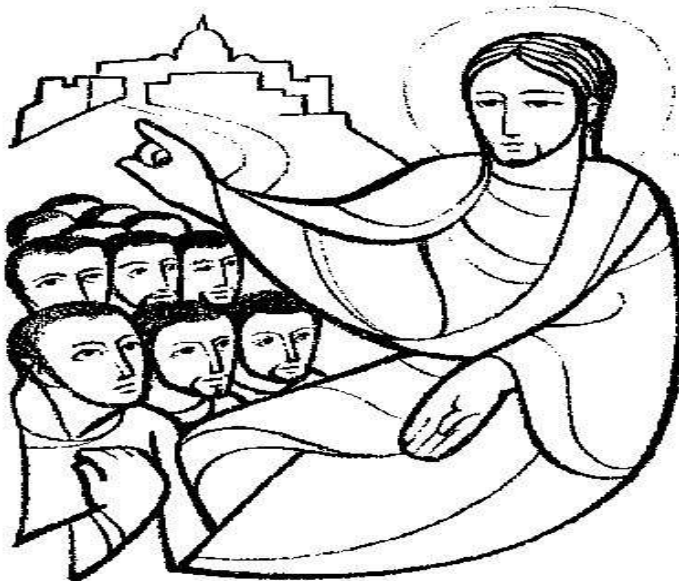


SUNDAY



Tamlaght
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Greenlough

Fifth Sunday of the Year



A Light in the Dark

Jesus said to his disciples: "You are the salt of the earth; you are the light of the world." These extraordinary words were said to very ordinary people, and they were meant! They are being said again today to us, the present disciples of Jesus, and they are still meant! Salt is used to season food. As the Church, our task is to give a good taste to the world in which we live. Light shows the way and also brings comfort and joy. These also are our tasks for the world in which we live, and how much our world needs these at present. We do all this first and foremost through the way we live in our homes, by making our relationships there ever more alive and joyful. We also respond to Christ in our faith community by developing the Church as a welcoming community where everyone is treasured and cared for; where everyone is helped to know how much they are loved by God and how precious they are in his sight.

Fr. Johnny Doherty, C.Ss.R.

Sunday 5th February 2017

5th Sunday of the Year

Monday- Thursday: 9.00am

Friday 10th February: 7.30pm

Month's Mind Mass for Willie Lagan, RIP

Saturday: 10am & 7.30pm

Sunday: 9am & 11am



NOVENA TO OUR LADY OF LOURDES

continues until **Saturday 11th February.**

Sunday 5th - Thursday 9th February - Novena Session at 7.00pm each evening with Scripture Reading,

Rosary, Novena Prayer, and Benediction

Friday 10th February - Mass at 7.30pm - Novena Prayer

Saturday 11th February - *Feast of Our Lady of Lourdes.*

Mass at 10.00am - Novena Prayer - *Closing of Novena*

Sick Visitation - Fr. Harkin will attend the Greenlough Sick & Housebound this Monday 6th February.



Lavey Parish Mass Times: 6th February - 12th February

Monday, Wednesday, Thursday: 9.15am

Friday: 9.15am (followed by Adoration until 9.00pm)

Saturday: 7.00pm Vigil; Sunday: 9.00am & 11.00am

SPECIAL DIOCESAN MASS: The Annual Diocesan Mass for those with special needs, and their families and friends, will take place in **St. Joseph's Church, Galliagh, Derry on Saturday 6th May at 2.00pm.** **Bishop McKeown** will celebrate the Mass. *If you have a child who wishes to receive the Sacrament of Confirmation or First Communion at this Mass please contact the Catechetical Centre on (028) 71264087.*

Rosary - The Bethany Bereavement Group will lead the Rosary this Sunday at 3pm in the Church.

All items in by **1.00pm on Wednesday.** Tel:

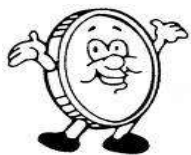
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Collections: 29/1/2017: Weekly: £893.77;
Building Fund: £375.25. Thank you for your generosity.
Lourdes Hospitalité Collection - There will be a special collection at all Masses next weekend.



Meeting of Overseas Volunteers & Lay Missionaries
Have you ever volunteered overseas in any kind of profession or have worked as a lay missionary in Africa, Asia or South America? Would you like to meet up with like-minded people? If so, You are invited to a special gathering this Wednesday 8th February at 7.30pm in Bishop McKeown's house, 21A Buncrana Rd, Derry, next to St Columb's College. Please contact Jim Farrell of AMRI (Association of Missionaries & Religious of Ireland). Email: jim.farrell@amri.ie or tel/text 00 353 83 8422468.



Anam Cara, the national organisation that supports bereaved parents, is holding a **Bereavement Information Evening on Thursday 9th February from 19:30 to 21:30 in the Mount Errigal Hotel, Letterkenny, Co. Donegal.** This is a free event open to all bereaved parents. As Anam Cara need to confirm numbers for this event, **please RSVP to info@anamcara.ie before Wednesday 8th February or telephone: 01 4045378; NI 02895213120.**



A COFFEE MORNING will be held in Christina Carey's (84 Innisrush Rd) on Saturday 11th February from 10am- 2pm. **Christina is doing a Trek in Sapa, Vietnam in April, to raise funds for Children in Crossfire. Please come along and support her.**



ROSIE'S WRITINGS (Rosie O' Neill)

OPEN BOOK LAUNCH

You are all invited to this special event in the **Clady Hall** on **Thursday 16th February at 8.00pm.**

Everyone welcome.



Website:

www.greenlough.com

MASS TIMES

SUNDAYS:

Vigil: 7.30pm

Morning:

9.00am & 11am

WEEKDAYS:

Mon - Thurs:

9.00am

Friday: 7.30pm

Saturday: 10am

First Fridays:

7.30pm

CONFESSIONS

As Announced

BAPTISMS

After 11.00am

Sunday Mass

Telephone No's

Fr. Graham

028 7964 2458

Fr. Harkin

028 2582 1190

Parish Office:

028 2582 1190

St. Mary's PS:

028 2582 1066

St. Mary's

College:

028 2582 1370

Neighbouring

Parishes

Bellaghy

Mgr. Dolan

028 7938 6259

Pro-Life Information Meeting: Precious Life will be hosting an information evening on **Wednesday 8th February at 7:30pm** in **The City Hotel**, Queens Quay, Derry, regarding the upcoming elections with advice on candidates and their stance on abortion. **All welcome.** For more information contact Precious Life on 02890278484 or email info@preciouslife.com

St. Oliver Plunkett Greenlough GAC **Lotto**
Results: 30/1/2017: 5, 8, 18 & 26. No Winner. £25: Roisin Madden, Online & Imelda Marron, Clady. Jackpot next week £4250.

St Columba's Camogie Club - BBL STARTS MONDAY 6TH FEB @ THE PAVILION. BBL is a 10 week health & wellbeing programme suited to everyone regardless of age, gender or ability. BBL is a fun exercise based programme with educational workshops included to teach you how to look after your physical, mental & social health. It is open to everyone to come along and enjoy.

Yoga with Brenda: Thursday 6.30pm in Clady Hall. Session: 4 weeks £25 or Weekly drop in £8 per class. Everyone Welcome! Contact Brenda on 07549 838283.



The February edition of The Net (£1.50) is now available. For coverage of parish/school faith activities send an email to editorthenet15@gmail.com or ring/text 07809292852.



St Columba's College Past Pupils Union present **'AN EVENING WITH PHIL COULTER'** in the College, on **Friday 17th February at 8.00pm; Pre-concert reception at 7.00pm.** Tickets £30, tel: 7128 5000/7137 2310. Proceeds in aid of St Columba's College Sports Hall.



Greenlough Parish

Novena to Our Lady of Lourdes

*The Novena will run from **Friday 3rd February to Saturday 11th February 2017** (Feast of Our Lady of Lourdes) each Evening with Scripture Reading, Rosary, Novena Prayer, and Benediction/Adoration.*

Friday 3rd February - Mass at 7.30pm

Opening of Novena - Novena Prayer to be recited

Feast of St. Blaise - Blessing of Throats

Saturday 4th February - Mass at 7.30pm - Novena Prayer

Sunday 5th February - Novena Session at 7.00pm

Scripture Reading, Rosary, Novena Prayer, and Benediction.

Monday 6th February - Novena Session at 7.00pm

Scripture Reading, Rosary, Novena Prayer, and Benediction.

Tuesday 7th February - Novena Session at 7.00pm

Scripture Reading, Rosary, Novena Prayer, and Benediction.

Wednesday 8th February - Novena Session at 7.00pm

Scripture Reading, Rosary, Novena Prayer, and Benediction.

Thursday 9th February - Novena Session at 7.00pm

Scripture Reading, Rosary, Novena Prayer, and Benediction.

Friday 10th February - Mass at 7.30pm - Novena Prayer

Saturday 11th February - Mass at 10.00am - Novena Prayer

Feast of Our Lady of Lourdes - Closing of Novena