

# SUNDAY



Tamlaght  
O'Crilly  
Greenlough



### *Through Death to Life*

*The week ahead, known to us as Holy Week, is the most important time of the whole year for us as Christians to grow in our knowledge of what our faith is about. Unfortunately it has increasingly become a time of heading to the sun for so many people. During this week we are put in touch with the reality of Christ's death on the Cross for us and the wonderful knowledge of his Resurrection from the dead. We are also put in touch with the reality of the human condition that can change so quickly from enthusiasm to hatred as on Palm/Passion Sunday or from love to cowardice as on Holy Thursday. Thursday, Friday and Saturday are particularly important for us to give time to prayer and reflection that are provided for in the various liturgies. The Church is greatly weakened when people don't give this time. Will you?*

*Fr. Johnny Doherty. C.Ss.R.*



## Sunday 20th March



## *Palm Sunday*



### *Holy Week & Easter Ceremonies*

There is a special leaflet at the Church doors with all the times of the ceremonies for Holy Week & Easter.

### *Anniversary Masses during the Week*

*Saturday 26th March at 9.00pm*

*for Kathleen & Hugh O'Neill, RIP.*

**HOLY WEEK/EASTER CEREMONIES** - There will be a practice in the Church this Sunday at 7.00pm for all those involved in the Holy Week & Easter Ceremonies.

### **Sacrament of Reconciliation**

In preparation for Holy Week & Easter, we encourage you to come along to the Sacrament of Reconciliation. **There will be a Penitential Service in our Church on Wednesday night at 7.30pm.** Everyone Welcome.



**Stations.** Thank you very much to the Parishioners who held the Stations in their homes and thanks to all who attended.

### *Mass of Chrism – Holy Thursday, 24th March 2016*

The Mass of Chrism will take place on **Holy Thursday** at **10.00am** in **St. Eugene's Cathedral**. Everyone in the diocese is invited to join in this celebration of the Eucharist. **During the Mass, the bishop will bless the oil of catechumens, the oil of the sick, and the oil of Chrism.** Our priests will also renew the promises they made on their own ordination day.

**Summer Time  
begins  
Next Weekend.**



**Clocks  
go Forward  
1 Hour!!!!**

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**Trócaire Boxes 2016** - *Trócaire Boxes should be returned to the Church at any of the ceremonies from Holy Thursday to Easter Sunday. It would be a great help if small coins could be changed for notes or pound coins. Thank you.*



**Collections 13/3:** Wkly: **£983.11**. B/Fund: **£501.82**. Clerical Education/Ongoing Formation: **£906.77**. Thank You.

**PARISH ENVELOPES 2016** are now available on the tables in the Church. **If any details are incorrect or you did not receive any envelopes this year please contact Paddi. If you wish to pay by direct debit contact Paddi at 2582 1190 or email: [greenloughparish@gmail.com](mailto:greenloughparish@gmail.com)**

New  
Offering  
Envelopes

**PLEASE DO NOT START USING THESE ENVELOPES UNTIL SUNDAY 10TH APRIL.**

**Divine Mercy Sunday** - The Feast of the Divine Mercy will be celebrated in **All Saints Church, Ballymena, on Sunday 3rd April, beginning with a Holy Hour of Eucharistic Adoration at 3.00pm followed by Holy Mass at 4.00pm.**

To request your **FREE "9-Day Novena Prayer Card"** to precede the Feast (**beginning Good Friday**) or for further information, contact **Precious life: 028 9027 8484 or email [info@preciouslife.com](mailto:info@preciouslife.com)**



**EASTER GARDEN.** The Easter Garden is already developing. *If you would like to contribute a plant, or flowers for Easter Sunday, please leave it in the Church during the coming week. We would be grateful if you would bring saucers to put the plants on. Thank you.*



**Parish Newsletter** - The newsletter will be printed on **Wednesday morning next week** - please have all items for the newsletter in by **1.00pm on Tuesday. N.B. There will be no bulletin the following week. Thank You.**



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[www.greenlough.com](http://www.greenlough.com)

**MASS TIMES**

**SUNDAYS:**

*Vigil: 7.30pm*

*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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**Greenlough GAC**

**Lotto Results: 14/3: 9, 17, 18, 22 - No**

**Winner. £25:** Martin Henry, online & Rosemarie McFetridge, Beechland Park.

**Jackpot next week £5000; 2nd Jackpot: £1950.**



**ST COLUMBA'S CAMOGIE CLUB**

**FEILE:** Good luck to our U14 girls who are playing on **Sunday 20th March** throw in **11am @ Home** against **Ballerin**. Could all players be at the pitch for **10am**. Come out and support the girls!!



**Easter Coffee Morning:** The U8 & U10 of St Columba's Camogie Club would like to invite you all to a coffee morning on **Easter Sunday 27th March, 9am - 12noon**. There will be some great competitions. **Who knows, you may even see the Easter Bunny!!**

**Next Quiz: Friday 1st April @ Clady Bar** at 8.30pm. This will be the last one and dates will be confirmed again in September. Thank you all so much for your continued support. We look forward to seeing you all again!!

**Prize-winners in the recent PTAA Raffle**

1st, Andrew Doherty, Derry, £300; 2nd, Donal McKay, Garvagh, £150; 3rd, Inishowen Regional Council, £100; 4th, Mary O'Connell, Garvagh, £50, 5th, James Brogan, Gortin, £50. ***Congratulations to all winners and grateful thanks to all who took part, especially the ticket sellers.***

**Prayer Focus**

***May we honour you every day by living always in him.***

**QUESTIONS FOR ACTION**

*Have you ever been betrayed or hurt  
by someone you loved? Are you free from that now?*