Tamlaght O'Crilly

Greenlough

Sunday 12th February 2017



The Law of Christ - Love

Jesus said to his disciples: "I tell you, if your virtue goes no deeper than that of the Scribes and Pharisees you will never get into the kingdom of heaven." The Scribes and Pharisees in the time of Jesus were very good-living people who had missed the point. They were fully committed to the Law but had lost the Spirit. How easy that is for us to do also. In marriage, for example, it is not enough for a husband or wife to avoid getting entangled in another relationship. Their fidelity is far more than that because it has to lead them to build up their love for one another in every way possible. In family life so many parents give their children everything except very often what the children need most, namely their time, their affection, and their affirmation. And in our faith community it is all too common for people to reduce the practice of their faith to simply going to Mass on a Saturday/Sunday rather than getting involved in creating a community that expresses itself in the weekly Eucharist. Fr. Johnny Doherty, C.Ss.R.

6th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Monday 12th - Thursday 16th: 9.00am Friday 17th: 7.30pm

Saturday 18th: 10.00am & 7.30pm Vigil **Sunday 19th:** 9.00am & 11.00am

Children's Liturgy at 1100am Mass



Lavey Parish Mass Times: 13th - 19th February Monday, Wednesday, Thursday: 9.15am

Friday: 9.15am (followed by Adoration until 9.00pm) Saturday: 7.00pm Vigil; Sunday: 9.00am & 11.00am

Novena To Our Lady of Lourdes

Thanks to all who helped in the organisation hank of the Novena and to all those who attended the daily sessions or prayed in their homes.



Pope John Paul II Award 10th Anniversary Celebrations **Knock Shrine Pilgrimage 2017**

Wednesday 5th April, 11.00am - 4.00pm; Mass at 3.00pm. Rome Pilgrimage 2017

Group 1 - Sunday, 29th October - Thursday 2nd November **Group 2 -** Monday 30th October - Friday 3rd November, the highlight of which will be an **audience** with the Holy Father. **Pope Francis.** All Pope John Paul II Award participants, past and present, are invited to take part in these very special celebrations, along with their parish leaders and Award leaders. Please note, all taking part in the Rome pilgrimage must be over 18. For full detail of both events, 'visit: www.thepopejohnpauliiaward.com or tel: Sean at the Diocesan Catechetical Centre on 028 7126 4087.

This Sunday is World Marriage Day of the We remember owner.





Confirmation 2017 - Can You Help?

We are looking for people in the parish to help along with members of the Friends of St. Mary's PS, with the serving of refreshments to our Confirmation Children and their families in the Hall following the Confirmation Ceremony in our Parish on Sunday 12th March at 11.00am. If you could spare a few hours please give your name & contact details to Paddi in the Parish office as soon as possible. Thank You.



Mass Intentions and Requests

Please note that ALL Months Mind Masses & Anniversary Masses must be booked via the Parish Office.

Please also leave into the office Anniversary Names to be announced at weekend Masses by Wednesday at 3.00pm
Tel: 028 2582 1190; E: greenloughparish@gmail.com



Collections: 5/2/2017: Weekly/Mthly: £1733.91; Building Fund: £68.00. Thank you for your generosity.

Lourdes Hospitalité Collection - There will be a second collection after Communion at all Masses this weekend.



ROSIE'S WRITINGS (Rosie O' Neill)

OPEN BOOK LAUNCH - You are all invited to this special event in the Clady Hall this Thursday 16th February at 8.00pm. Everyone welcome.



Cursillo will hold two "3-day Weekends" at the Carmelite Retreat Centre in Termonbacca, Derry. The Men's weekend will run from Thursday 23rd - Sunday 26th Feb; the Women's weekend will run from Thursday 9th - Sunday 12th March. These are residential weekends.

For further information please telephone: 07708066939 or 07841100174.



Parish Newsletter - Please have all items for the newsletter in by 1.00pm on Wednesday. Thank You.

Email: greenloughparish@gmail.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

St. Oliver Plunkett Greenlough GAC Results: 6/02/2017: 9, 15, 16 & 19. Congratulations to Jackpot Winner Michelle McIlvar, Clady.



Sewing/Craft Classes - Bannvalley Hall - Recommences Tuesday 21st February from 7.00 - 9.00pm. £2.00pp, cup of tea provided. New members welcome!!



New 2017 Parish Offering Envelopes

New Weekly Envelopes will be distributed at the end of March - If you are not already receiving envelopes and would like a box for the coming year or if any of your details have changed since last year e.g. name, address, telephone number, you may

want to share a box, New family in the

parish etc., please contact Paddi in the Parish Office as soon March 13th. Telephone: 028 2582 1190 or email greenloughparish@gmail.com. Thank You.

GIFT AID - If you are part of the Gift Aid gift aid it Scheme and due to a change in circumstances, i.e. have retired or become unemployed and no longer pay income tax please also contact Paddi as soon as possible so that we do not make a false claim.

KNOCK-NEW YORK PILGRIMAGE: Knock Shrine will lead a historic pilgrimage to New York from 8-14 May 2017. Flight-only tickets are now available, price €599 (incl. taxes and charges). Direct flight from Ireland West Airport. Full packages are also available which include flights, accommodation and itinerary. Contact Joe Walsh Tours for more information (01) 241 0800 or email: bronwyn.clinton@joewalshtours.ie or visit website: www.knockshrine.ie/newyork/ for details of the pilgrimage.