

SUNDAY



Tamlaght
O'Crilly
Greenlough



3rd Sunday in Lent

Christ, the Wisdom of God

Jesus said: *"Stop turning my Father's house into a market."* Isn't it amazing how we human beings can miss the point of even the things we treasure most. The Jewish people saw the Temple as the greatest treasure they had in their life of faith and yet they developed a system of abusing that sacred place in the very name of their religion. We do the same: when we call marriage a Sacrament and then have little care for the couple relationship except when it is in trouble; when we call our homes the Domestic Church and treat them as if Christ did not live there among us; when we talk about our parish as a community of faith but do very little to build community; when we are fed on the Body and Blood of Christ and yet refuse to love and respect many members of the Body of Christ. We do it when we allow ritual to become more important than people.

Fr. Johnny Doherty, C.Ss.R.



Sunday 4th March 2018

3rd Sunday in Lent 2018

Masses during the Week

Monday - Thursday: 9.00am; Friday: 7.30pm

Saturday: 10.00am; Vigil: 7.30pm

Sunday: 9.00am & 11.00am

Anniversary Masses this Week
Saturday 10th March at 7.30pm for
Hugh & Kathleen O'Neill, RIP



Lenten Penance Service



Sunday 4th March
at 6.00pm in
St. Oliver Plunkett
Church, Greenlough.
Everyone welcome.

GREENLOUGH SICK VISITATION

Fr. Graham will visit the Sick and
Housebound on Wednesday 7th March
at the usual times.



Station Masses this Week

Tuesday 6th March at 7.00pm

Mary T. Lagan

54 Glenone Road.

Wednesday 7th March at 7.00pm

Raymond & Angela Henry

94 Kilrea Road.



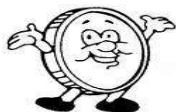
Rosary - The Bethany Bereavement
Group will lead the Rosary this Sunday at
3.00pm in Greenlough Old Church.



Parish Newsletter Deadline: Wednesday at 1.00pm.
Thank You. Tel: 25821190. greenloughparish@gmail.com

Email:

greenloughparish@gmail.com

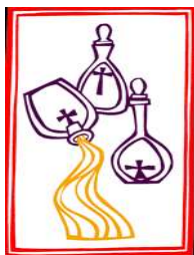


Collections: 25/2/18. Weekly: £1067.04;
Building Fund: £337.52 and World Meeting of Families:
£135.00. Thank you very much.



CONFIRMATION

Confirmation - Congratulations to our 29 young parishioners who received the Sacrament of Confirmation last Sunday. Thanks to their parents, teachers & all those involved in preparing our young people. Thanks also to all those who helped organise Confirmation Day. Thanks to all those who organised & provided refreshments in the Hall.



Chrism Mass 2018 - The Parishes of Lavey & Greenlough hope to organise a bus to this year's Chrism Mass on Holy Thursday 29th March in St. Eugene's Cathedral, Derry.

If you are interested in attending this Mass please contact Paddi in the Parish office, 2582 1190 by Monday 5th March. Cost will depend on final numbers.



Church Cleaning Rota for March

Mary Madden, Roisin Madden, Jacinta Madden, Olivia Madden & Hannah Madden. *Thank You for your help.*



DUBLIN
WORLD MEETING OF FAMILIES

OFFICIAL ICON of the **World Meeting of Families** will be in the **Derry Diocese** from **Monday 5 - Thursday 15 March**. (times tbc): **St. Pius X Church, Moville**, evening of Monday 5 March - Wednesday 7 March; **St Eugene's Cathedral**, Wednesday 7 - Monday 12 March; **Omagh: Sacred Heart Church**, Monday 12 - Tuesday 13 March; **Bellaghy: St Mary's Church, Tuesday 13 - Thursday 15 March. Petitions Box - There will be a Petitions Box in the various venues while the Icon is there.**



Sacred Heart Messengers - The March issue is now available on the tables in the Church. *If you did not get your March copy or received 2 in error please contact Paddi.*

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

Saturday

Afternoons

Telephone No's

Fr. Graham

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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

GREENLOUGH GAC

Lotto: 25/02/18: 2, 14, 15 & 21.

No Winner. **£25:** Frydays & Patsy

McFetridge, Clady. **Jackpot next Week £3100.**



Gentle Mindful Hatha Yoga: Monday March 5th at 10am in Portglenone Community Centre (Gortgole Rd)

BEGINNERS WELCOME. 6 WEEKS £30; (Drop In £7). (Class will depend on numbers). Tel Fiona: 028 2175 9633 or 075 1839 1883. www.facebook.com/cloudnineni

The Net. The March edition of The Net is now available. For coverage of your parish or school faith activities just send an email to editorthenet15@gmail.com or ring/text 07809292852. **Cost - £1.50.**

NEW WEEKLY ENVELOPES 2018

will be distributed in the middle of March.

If any of your details have changed, you no longer wish to receive envelopes or you would like to receive a box for the first time please contact Paddi in the Parish Office asap. Thank You.

Telephone: **028 2582 1190** or you can email: greenloughparish@gmail.com



County Derry Fleadh - Limavady

24th May - 27th May 2018

Closing date for competition entries is **Friday 13th April.**

Please contact jimmyoharacce@gmail.com

for registration forms and information prior to this date.

Wear your Shamrock with pride.

Shamrocks will be on sale at Masses next weekend, and also at all Masses 12th - 16th March, while stocks last.

All proceeds to Trócaire.

