

SUNDAY



Tamlaght
O'Crilly
Greenlough



24th Sunday of the Year

He welcomes sinners

"This man", the scribes complained, "welcomes sinners and eats with them". One of the lovely features of the Gospels is the number of meals Jesus shares with people, culminating in the Last Supper with his disciples. When we think of a meal we immediately focus on food. For Jesus in his time the main focus was on the people with whom he shared food, as a meal was a sign of friendship and a pledge of friendship. No one was excluded from this sign and this was a source of scandal to the good people when they saw him eating with sinners. But his message is loud and clear - he is there for everyone. One of the major challenges for us today is to restore this sense of the meal as an occasion to constantly renew our relationships, especially in our families. The regular family meal will do more to unite us than any other action we can take as it helps us to include each other in our lives.

Fr. Johnny Doherty, C.Ss.R.

Sunday 11th September 2016

24th Sunday of the Year

Monday - Thursday: 9.00am

Friday: 7.00pm - Induction of Parish Priest - *Please note earlier time.*

Saturday: 10.00am; Vigil: 7.30pm.

Sunday: 9.00am; 11.00am
followed by "Forty Hours"



MONTH'S MIND MASS

Saturday 17th September at 7.30pm for Mary Toner, RIP.

INSTALLATION OF OUR PARISH PRIEST

The Ceremony of Induction of our new Parish Priest, Fr. Eamon Graham, will take place during the celebration of Mass on Friday 16th September at 7.00pm.

Bishop Donal McKeown will be the main celebrant at the Mass which all parishioners are cordially invited to attend. *There will be refreshments in the Church after the Mass.*

Everyone Welcome.

Fr. Graham will also be installed as Parish Priest of Lavey on Thursday 15th September at 7.00pm. All Welcome.

We welcome our new parish priest Father Eamon Graham to Greenlough & Lavey this weekend.

Father Graham is a native of Omagh where he was ordained by Bishop Edward Daly on June 13th 1982. He has ministered in several parishes in the Diocese including Drung Co. Donegal, St Brigid's Carnhill, Our Lady of Lourdes, Steelstown, St Mary's Creggan, Ardstraw East (Newtownstewart), Parish Banagher & Long Tower. Fr. Graham was Diocesan Secretary during the episcopacy of Bishop Daly. He brings with him a wealth of experience and personal gifts and today we pray for his ministry among us.



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Autumn
Retreat

THE PERINATAL
HOSPICE CARE
CONFERENCE 2016

Table
Quiz



Parish Newsletter

^aForty Hours Adoration^o

will be held this **Sunday 11th September** after
11.00am Mass and will conclude with a
Holy Hour from 8.00pm - 9.00pm.

Collections: 4/9/16 - Weekly/Mthly: £1714.20.

Building Fund: £115. Thank you.

Emigrant Collection: There will be a special collection for
Emigrants next Sunday. There is an envelope in your box.

Parish Pastoral Council

There will be a meeting of the Parish Pastoral Council on
Wednesday 14th September at 7.30pm in the **Church.**

St. Anthony's Retreat Centre, Dundrean, Burnfoot, Co. Donegal. September: One Day Retreat - "**Learning to be Still**". *Time out for busy parents, grandparents and people in general.* **Wednesday 21st September. 10.30am - 3.00pm.** Cost ☐25/£21. Contact Fr. Neal or Josephine at 074 9368370 or sarce@eircom.net

Perinatal Hospice Care Conference 2016 - Riddel Hall, Belfast -Wednesday 21st September, 6.00pm - 8.40pm. *Learn more about various adverse prenatal diagnoses and perinatal hospice care. Open to healthcare professionals in general practice, obstetrics, neonatology, nursing, midwifery, bereavement care.* 2 CPD points awarded by RCP UK. Registration or for more info, please email phconference16@gmail.com

Kilrea & District Local Cancer Research committee
Annual Table Quiz - Old Point Inn, Kilrea, Wednesday
21st September at 7.30pm. Quiz master - Mr Carl
Monteith. Teams of 4 or 5. **Admission: £5 per person.**
Refreshments provided. All are welcome.

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

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: 5/9: 3, 4, 9 & 17

- no winner. **£25:** Brigid McCann, Beechland
Pk & M. McKeever, Clady Meats. **Jackpot**
£5000 next week; Second Jackpot **£3200.**



Allen School of Irish Dancing - Class will recommence in
John Bosco Community Hall on Monday 12th
September at 6.45pm. Children of all ages welcome.

Logan/McCloskey School of Irish Dancing & Music
recommence: **Mondays: 6.15 - 7.00pm, Beginners, Bann**
Valley Community Centre (Clady Hall). Tuesday's: 6.15 -
7.00pm - Beginners: Third Presbyterian Church Hall.

Also Music lessons available on Tin-whistle/flute
/harp/bodhran. Enquiries: 07595279093 or 07549064338.

Alzheimer's Society - Do you support someone with dementia? The Society are running a **6 week Training for Informal Caregivers in Greenvale Leisure Centre, Magherafelt** starting at **7.30pm** on **Thursday 22nd September.** *The programme is designed to improve knowledge, skills and understanding of those who support or care for someone living with dementia. If you have any questions about the programme or if you or someone you know would like to attend, please contact 07860258728 or email: aoife.mcmaster@alzheimers.org.uk*

The Dementia Community Roadshow will be in the Mid
Ulster area in September. **Tuesday 20th:** ASDA carpark,
Cookstown & **Wednesday 21st:** Lurach's Road Carpark,
Maghera (back of Crawford's supermarket).

Open: 10am - 4pm on both days.

Brand new **SLIMMING WORLD** group opening **Monday**
12th September at 7.30pm in the **Manor House Hotel,**
Kilrea. Contact Roisin: 07888654766. Everyone welcome.

Weight Watchers: Kilrea Town Hall - Tuesday at 6.45pm
& Wednesday 10am; **Portglenone:** Wednesday 6.30pm.