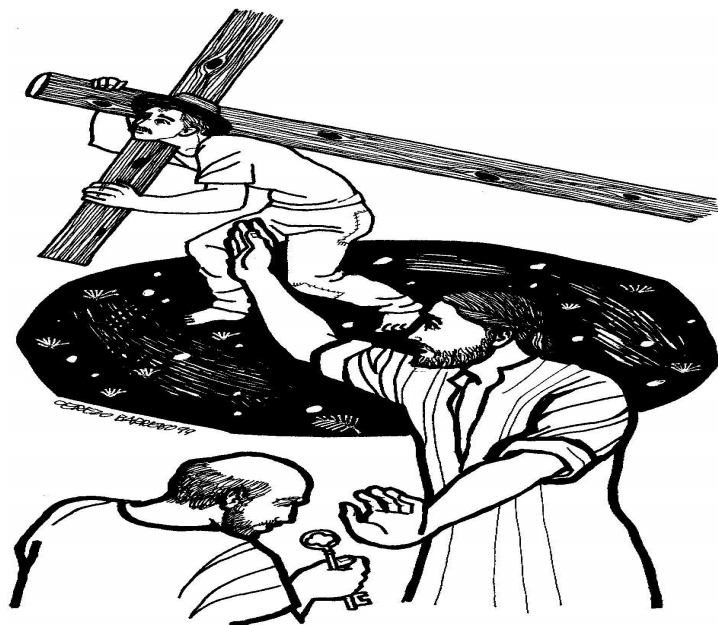


# SUNDAY



Tamlaght  
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## 24TH SUNDAY OF THE YEAR

### *The Triumph of the Cross.*

Jesus said, *"If you want to be a follower of mine, renounce yourself, take up your cross, and follow me."* In this one sentence from Jesus there are two things that most of us don't want to do. Our world teaches us to 'be yourself'. Jesus teaches us to renounce yourself. This doesn't mean to put yourself down but to let go of your own self-importance and find your true self in being loved and in loving. And then he tells us to take up our cross. Immediately we think of suffering. Many of us have suffering in our lives and certainly this can be our cross. But more importantly the cross we need to take up is that of the consequences of putting others first in love. It is the cross of moving out of our own small world of self-preoccupation and living for others in our family and our parish community.

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

# Sunday 16th September 2018

## 24TH SUNDAY OF THE YEAR

**Monday, Tuesday & Thursday: 9.00am**

**Friday 21st September: 7.30pm**

**Saturday 22nd: 10.00am; Vigil: 7.30pm**

**Sunday 23rd: 9.00am & 11.00am**



### **Month's Mind/Anniversary Masses**

*Friday 21st September at 7.30pm - Anniversary Mass for Kathleen & John Downey and their daughter Celine, RIP*

*Saturday 22nd September at 7.30pm*

*Month's Mind Mass for Geraldine Maguire, RIP*

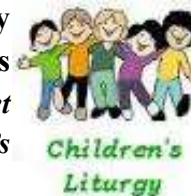
**St Mary's Primary School  
Opening of School Year Mass  
Wednesday 19th September  
at 10.00am in the Church.**

*Everyone Welcome.*

*(N.B. this will replace the 9.00am Mass)*



**Children's Liturgy begins this Sunday  
16th September during the 11am Mass**  
for Pupils from P.1 to P.4. The "Quiet Room" will be reserved for the Children's Liturgy at the 11.00am Mass.



**Volunteers for the Children's Liturgy.** Names & contact details can be given to any member of the Liturgy Team or given to Paddy in the Parish Office.

**Lavey Parish Mass Schedule: 17th - 23rd September**

**Monday & Thursday: 9.15am in AOH Hall, Mayogall.**

**Tuesday: No Mass; Wednesday: School Mass - 10.00am**

**Friday: 9.15am (Adoration to 5.00pm) AOH Hall.**

**Sat: 7.00pm; Sun: 9.00am & 11.00am - Lavey GAA Hall**

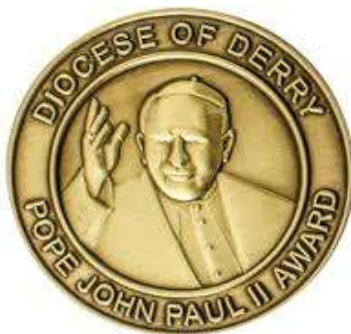
**Bethany Bereavement Support Group**

*There will be a meeting in the Church on  
Monday 17th September at 7.30pm.*



## Pope John Paul II Award - Pilgrimage to Knock Shrine.

The second annual Pope John Paul II Award pilgrimage to Knock Shrine will take place on **Tuesday, 25 September 2018**, for **young people** ages **16 -18** who may be interested in participating in the Award or are currently doing it. **Starts at 11:00am, concludes with 3:00pm Mass.** Mass will be celebrated by **Bishop Donal McKeown**. Guest speakers: **Sr Ethel Normoyle (Little Company of Mary) & Alan Kerins, (Irish sportsman, humanitarian, social entrepreneur and philanthropist).** Music by *Elation Ministries*. For more information visit [www.jp2award.com](http://www.jp2award.com) or telephone **The Diocesan Catechetical Centre: 028 7126 4087.**



**trócaire**

**Trócaire is currently recruiting volunteers to support their fundraising, campaigning and education work in Ireland.** If you are interested in volunteering please tel: 028 9080 8030 or visit [www.trocaire.org/getinvolved/volunteer](http://www.trocaire.org/getinvolved/volunteer)



### Rosary on the Coast for Life and Faith, Ireland

The 3rd Rosary on the Coast for Life and Faith will take place on **Sunday 07 October** at **2pm** on **Benone Strand**. This is now a global event, so come along and join our in praying for Ireland and the world. For more details, tel: **07730330028**. Visit: [www.coastalrosaryireland.ie](http://www.coastalrosaryireland.ie)



**Greenlough Folk group. Practices will be held every fortnight in St. Oliver Plunkett Church at 7.00pm.** New Members, Singers & Musicians are most welcome to join.



**Table Quiz**

**Church Collections: 9/9/18. Wkly: £1287.35;**

**B/Fund: £363.30. Thanks for your continued generosity.**

**Innisrush Parish Church - Table Quiz - Innisrush Church Hall, Thursday 20th September at 7.30pm. Max members 5 per team. £5 pp includes light supper. All welcome.**

## 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**

**Afternoon**

**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. Conor's**

**College:**

**028 2582 1370**

### Neighbouring

**Parishes**

**Bellaghy**

**Mgr. Dolan**

**028 7938 6259**

**St Columba's Camogie club** are hosting a **"Pink Fashion Event"** on **Saturday 29th September** in **Bannvalley Hall Clady, doors opening from 8pm.** *Champagne reception and finger food buffet on arrival followed by an evening of fun, runway of fashion, Make up demo, Hair demo, cocktail bar, entertainment & so much more... all proceeds from the night will go towards the running of our club. A raffle will take place on the night for "Breast Cancer Awareness".* Tickets are going fast and are available from any committee member. For further info tel **Charlene 07813631876.**



**Congratulations to Senior player Aine McPeake** for playing for **Ulster U/17's** at the weekend. Very proud moment for her and the club. **Well done!!**

### 6 Week Mindfulness Course

**Starts Wednesday 19th September - 7.00pm** in **Gulladuff Centre.** Spaces limited. To book tel: **Aileen 0780 5166 750.**

A special screening of **"PAUL, APOSTLE OF CHRIST"** will be shown in **The Drummond Hotel Ballykelly** on **Friday 21st September at 7:30pm.** *It offers modern Christians a real & rare glimpse into the life of the early Church. All proceeds in aid of Stanton Healthcare.* To book contact **07845686437.**

**Bellaghy Women's Group** are hosting **"An Evening with Deirdre Chestnutt, Capsule Wardrobe and Body Shapes"** in the **Helicon of the Heaney Homeplace** on **Tuesday 18 September.** *Light refreshments at 6.30pm. Talk starting at 7.15pm. All welcome. £2 fee for refreshments.*

**Parish Newsletter: All items to be sent in writing or emailed by Wednesday 1.00pm. Thank You.**

