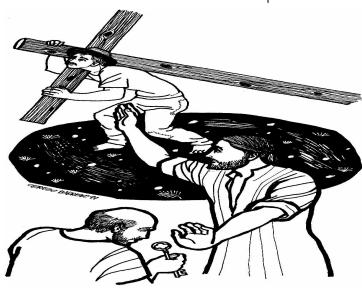
Tamlaght O'Crilly

Greenlough

SUNDAY 14 SEPTEMBER 2025 THE EXALTATION OF THE HOLY CROSS



Care of Creation

With infinite love, God has created all things and given them life. That is why Saint Francis of Assisi could call every creature his brother, his sister and his mother. Only a contemplative gaze can change our relationship with creation and bring us out of the ecological crisis brought on by the breakdown of our relationship with God, with our neighbours and with the earth that is the effect of sin (cf. Laudato Si', 66). Dear brothers and sisters, the Borgo Laudato Si', where we now find ourselves, seeks to be, in line with the vision of Pope Francis, a kind of 'laboratory' where we can experience that harmony with creation which brings healing and reconciliation, and to do so by developing new and effective ways of protecting the natural environment entrusted to our care. I want to assure all of you, who are working to realise this project, of my prayers and my encouragement. (Holy Mass for the Care of Creation, Homily of Pope Leo, Borgo Laudato Si', Castel Gandolfo, Wednesday 9 July, 2025.

SCHEDULES 15 - 21 SEPTEMBER 2025 GREENLOUGH

Tuesday 16 September: Rosary: 7.30pm

PLEASE NOTE NO MASS TODAY

Thursday 18 September: Adoration: 9.00am - 5.00pm

Friday 19 September: 9.30am Mass

Saturday 20 September: 5.30pm Vigil

Sunday 21 September: 11.00am

(Streamed from Bellaghy)

BELLAGHY

Monday 15 September: 9.30am Saturday 20 September: 7.00pm **Sunday 21 September:** 11.00am

BALLYSCULLION

Sunday 21 September: 9.45am

Deaths: Seamus McCarry, Portglenone and Marian Hamill, Toomebridge.

Anniversaries: Robert Mullan, Assumpta Coving Henry, Annie Reid, Paddy Rankin, Raymond Boyle, Carrie Bradley, Elizabeth

Bradley (Glen), Alice Convery and Nancy McGroggan.

NIE UPDATE - We have been advised Morthern Ireland by NIE Networks that a Generator will **Electricity** be provided this Sunday 14 September Networks



and that our Electricity Supply will not be affected.

CHILDREN'S LITURGY will continue Children's Liturgy every other Sunday during the 11.00am Mass for children from P1 - P4.



We pray for the men being called to serve as priests of this diocese, called to preach the Good News that "... God sent His Son into theworld, not to condemn the world, but so that through Him the world might be saved."













Newsletter Deadline - Please send in All Notices & Anniversaries to the parish office by 1.00pm Wednesday. Email: greenloughparish@gmail.com

N.B. The Parish office will be open on Tuesday & Thursday Mornings next week.

BAPTISMS - We welcome into God's family, **Rían Daniel Kearney**, **Killycon Road**, who was baptised recently.

GREENLOUGH COLLECTIONS

Sunday 7 September Weekly: £539.50; Mthly: £372.50; Cash: £255.06. Thank you for your generosity.

RETIRED PRIESTS FUND COLLECTION

The retired Priests collection will take place next weekend. Please use the special envelope in your box.

Folk group will continue ever other Sunday at 11.00am Mass. Any singers and/or musicians interested in joining, please contact Anne: 077 7612 5657.

Greenlough Grotto Donations can be made:

- 1. Online via your bank account to: St. Mary's Parish Church Greenlough,
- Sort-Code: 95-04-21; A/C No: 31052365;
- 2. Give to any of the Grotto Committee
 - 3. Via Envelopes in the Church
- 4. Loose Change Box in the Church

COFFEE MORNING - GROTTO BUILDING FUND

We are hosting a coffee morning in the Bannvalley Hall on Sunday 28 September from 10.00am - 1.00pm. All proceeds are going towards the Building of the Grotto.

Any donations of scones, cakes, buns etc greatly received.

Parish Information

Fr. O'Hagan 028 7938 6259

Parish Office 028 2582 1190

St. Mary's Primary School 028 2582 1066

St. Conor's College 028 2582 1370

Neighbouring Parishes

Bellaghy 028 7938 6259

Lavey 028 7964 2458

Portglenone 028 2582 1118

Baptisms Contact the Parish Office

Weddings Contact the Parish Office

Confessions As Announced Current Vacancies - Derry Diocesan Trust
Sacristan, Three Patrons Parish, Derry - 12 Hours per
week in St Joseph's Galliagh; Choir Director & Organist 2.5 hours per week in St Columba's Church, Long Tower,
Derry; Housekeeper - 15 hours per week in Clonmany
Parish. For application packs please contact: Personnel
Bishop's House, St Eugene's Cathedral, Francis Street,
Derry, BT48 9AP, Tel: 02871262302 or email:
recruitment@derrydiocese.org. Completed applications
must be returned to the above address/email no later than 12
noon on Monday 29 September. Derry Diocesan Trust is an
Equal Opportunities Employer. We welcome applications from
all men & women and from members of all communities.

The Catholic Chaplaincy at Queen's reopens on

QUB Catholic

Monday 15 September at 42 University Road, with weekday Masses resuming and Sunday evening Mass back on 21 September at 8.00pm in the Canada Room, Lanyon Building. Our full programme returns. Whether new or returning, come and join us at Mosaic Café, in the Chapel, or the Common Room—a place to meet, pray and belong. For more visit qubcatholic.org

Could You Help Share the True Spirit of Christmas? Each year, volunteers in parishes across the north of Ireland set up a small stall after Masses to sell Trócaire's

Gifts of Change - meaningful gifts that make a real difference to families living in poverty around the world. We provide everything you need including training and support. All we ask is a little time and a big heart. Last Christmas, 50 parishes took part - and we'd love to grow that number even more this year! If you would like to find out more about how you can help, please email Mark at mark.mcmahon@trocaire.org or call 028 9080 8030.