

SUNDAY



Tamlaght
O'Crilly
Greenlough

Sunday 25 May
Sixth Sunday of Easter



Jubilee 2025 - Pilgrims of Hope

The Holy Door, opened at the beginning of each Jubilee or Holy Year, represents the passage to salvation opened by Jesus to humanity. When announcing the Jubilee Year Pope Francis said: *"For everyone, may the Jubilee be a moment of genuine personal encounter with the Lord Jesus, the "door"... of our salvation, whom the Church is charged to proclaim always, everywhere and to all as "our hope" (1 Tim 1:1).*

In the Catholic tradition, Jubilees have been observed in Rome since the early 14th century. They are a time when Catholics are called on to live our faith by embodying the core themes of the Jubilee: renewal, reconciliation, and a closer relationship with Christ. There is also a strong emphasis on penitence and mercy. In this year we are urged especially to be Pilgrims of Hope.

VOCATIONS - In this weekend's gospel Jesus prays for His disciples and for those who will come to faith through their words. We pray for the men called to preach the Word of God as priests of the diocese of Derry and for those among whom they will minister.



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MASS SCHEDULES 26 MAY - 1 JUNE 2025 GREENLOUGH

Tuesday 27 May: NO MASS; Rosary: 7.30pm
Thursday 29 May: Adoration: 9.00am - 5.00pm
Evening Mass: 7.30pm

Saturday 31 May: 5.30pm Vigil
Children's Liturgy during Mass

Sunday 1 June: 9.00am

BELLAGHY

Monday and Wednesday: NO MASSES

Friday: 9.30am; **Saturday:** 7.00pm; **Sunday:** 11.00am

BALLYSCULLION: Sunday: 10.00am

Anniversaries: Sean Henry, Lizzie Marron, Henry Madden, Caroline Madden, Peggy Marron, Mary McDonnell, Dennis Lynn, Susan Henry, Eamon McErlean



CEMETERY SUNDAY 2025

Blessing of Graves will take place in:

Ballyscullion: Sunday 8 June at 10.45am

Bellaghy: Sunday 8 June at 3.00pm

Greenlough: Sunday 6 July at 3.00pm



A Book for Prayers for our students sitting exams has been placed beside the Baptismal Font. We invite you to write in the names of our young people in this book. We will continue to remember them in our prayers at all Masses during the next few weeks.



Continuous Prayer Movement for Marriage & Family Life - Our parish day of prayer will take place on Thursday 29 May.

The Theme for June is "All Fathers"



Congratulations to Mrs Maresa Collins on her appointment as Principal of St Conor's College, Clady.

She takes this role on at a time of great transition for our school and will be tasked with overseeing the temporary transfer of all the pupils to Clady during the construction of the new building in Kilrea. **We wish Mrs Collins every blessing in her new post.**



Greenlough Parish Collections - 17/18 May 2025

Weekly: £822.72. Diocesan Admin: £76.80.

Thank you for your continued generosity.



COUNTERS FOR JUNE

**Fintan McErlean, Pauline McErlean, Adrian McErlean,
Mairin Kidd and Paul Madden**



Mary's Meals - Thank you. A very sincere thank you to Fr. O'Hagan and the parishioners of Bellaghy, Ballyscullion and Greenlough for the warm welcome given last weekend for our talks and collections. **The amazing amount donated was £6223.30** (this includes a donation from the St Vincent de Paul) **which will feed 325 children in school everyday for a year.** Our grateful thanks to everyone for their exceptional generosity.



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**



Parish Pilgrimage to Clonard Novena

Tuesday 24 June - Cost £5.00

Bookings: Contact Paddi in the parish office

by Tuesday 27 May. Tel: 028 2582 1190

E: greenloughparish@gmail.com



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**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 1218**

**Baptisms
Contact the
Parish Office**

**Weddings
Contact the
Parish Office**

**Confessions
As Announced**

**Email
greenloughparish
@gmail.com**

JOB OPPORTUNITY with Derry Diocesan Trust:
Parish Catechist - Three Patrons Parish, Derry City.
Permanent post – 3 year Fixed Term Contract. 35 hours per week. In addition to faith development work in the parish, the Catechist will establish and develop chaplaincy initiatives at the Derry Campus of University of Ulster. For more information and/or application pack, email recruitment@derrydiocese.org or tel 028 7126 2302. Completed applications must be returned to **Personnel, Bishop's House, St Eugene's Cathedral, Francis Street, Derry, BT48 9AP** or email recruitment@derrydiocese.org no later than **12noon on Friday 30 May 2025.**

Derry Diocesan Pilgrimage 2025 to Knock Shrine,
led by Bishop McKeown, Sunday 15 June,
commencing with **Rosary at 2.00pm, followed by Anointing of the Sick at 2.30pm and concluding with Mass and Eucharistic Procession at 3.00pm.** Bus transport available from St Eugene's Cathedral.

For further information, please contact Karen:
02871262894; email: cathedral@derrydiocese.org

In conjunction with the pilgrimage, St Eugene's Cathedral, Derry, is running a Two-night pilgrimage to Knock from 15 -17 June. Cost £280 per person sharing. For information and full itinerary, contact Anne Marie on amhickey@derrydiocese.org, tel 028 7126 2894.

St. Mary's Grammar School, Magherafelt. The registration for the Entrance Assessment opens on Monday 19 May and will run until Friday 19 September 2025. Whilst registration is completed by parents/carers, directly through the SEAG website, we recognise some families will be keen for more information and support in this process. To that end, we will be holding an **Information Evening on Thursday 29 May at 6pm.**