

Parish of Urney and Castlefin

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Thirteenth Sunday of the Year (26th June)

Daily Mass This Week:

Doneyloop: Mon, Tues, Wed & Thurs – 9am; Fri - 7.30pm; Sat – 10am.

Castlefin: Mon, Tues & Fri – 10am; Wed – 11am; Thurs – 7.30pm.

The 11am Mass in St Mary's Church on Wednesday will be the Month's Mind Mass for Hugh O'Leary.



Sincere Sympathy to the families, relatives and friends of **Eileen Gamble**, Grahamsland Castlefin, and **Cyril McGhee**, The Crescent, Clady, who were buried in the parish during the week. May they rest in peace.



Baptism: we welcome you to God's Church through Baptism,
Evie Margaret and Tilly Anne Flynn, 18 Sessiagh Park, Castlefin.

Visitation of the Sick: Fr Porter will visit his sick and housebound on Thursday/Friday, 30 June/1 July and Fr Crilly will visit his sick and housebound on Friday 1 July.

Parish Silver Circle: Silver Circle Cards should have now been delivered to all households in the Parish. We wish to **emphasise** that while some households may be in a position to purchase the full card, for other households this may not be possible. All that is expected is, that each household respond to the best of their ability and as their circumstances allow, should that be one line or more, every effort is appreciated. Cards should be returned next weekend 2/3 July for the draw to be held on Sunday 10 July. Thank you for your continued support.

Legion of Mary: meeting in St Mary's Church on Mondays at 6pm. New members welcome.

Eucharistic Adoration in St Mary's Church on Tuesdays beginning after the 10am Mass until 8pm.

Bingo: on Monday nights in the Community Centre, Doneyloop at 9pm.

Whist: every Wednesday in St Mary's Hall at 8.30pm. Scorecard: €2.

July Ministries:



Doneyloop:	Vigil	9.30am
Euch Ministers: O. Gallagher, L. Hourican.		L. Lafferty, P. Baird
Readers: Cora Quinn.		Larry Griffin.
Castlefin:	Vigil	11.30am
Readers: K. Monaghan, M. Monaghan.		M. Maguire, K Quinn.
Doneyloop Counters: Nancy McGhee, Mary McCorkell.		

Youth Choir

The **Parish Youth Folk Choir** invites musicians and singers of all ages to join us! Practice this Tuesday, 28 June, will be in St Columba's Church, Doneyloop 7.30-9pm. Any queries contact Rachel 086 8043065.

Derry Diocesan Society: names for enrolment as deceased and living members should be handed in before Tuesday this week. Enrolment fee is €25 or £20.

The Ordination of Rev Christopher McDermott will take place in St Mary's Church, Melmount at 3pm today, Sunday June 26, and all are welcome to attend. The new priest's First Mass will be in Melmount at 7.00pm on Monday, 27 June. Again all are welcome.

St Michael's Apostolate of Prayer for Priests: The co-ordinators in the Derry Diocese wish to raise awareness of the Apostolate of Prayer for Priests and invite people from across the diocese to join in this prayer initiative. The Apostolate prayer card offers us a special opportunity to spend ten minutes each day in prayer for a priest. The co-ordinators for the diocese are: Rosemary Johnson: 07810387825/ brendan_rosemary@yahoo.co.uk. Siobhan Sweeney: 07880 588041/ siobhanswen1@yahoo.co.uk. Ethna Hill: 07528249838/ ethna776@yahoo.com. Eamon Cassidy: 077435 02165/ e_cassidy@hotmail.com. Visit website <http://www.prayerforpriests.com>

Mass at Corradinna: As part of the Year of Mercy programme, the Parish of Drumragh, Omagh is hosting a day of pilgrimage to the Mass Rock at Corradinna, on Sunday 10 July. The plan is to have a traditional pilgrimage to Corradinna, stopping to pray at stations along the way. There will also be an opportunity for Confessions from 2pm in All Saint's PS then proceeding uphill to Corradinna for Mass at 3pm. Transport will be available from the Primary School to the entrance into the Mass Rock site.

St Vincent de Paul: A 'Family Day' has been organised to Waterworld in Bundoran on Tues 5 July. If you wish to be considered for this Trip please leave your name in the Thrift Shop on/before this Wed.

Robert Emmets: Lotto Jackpot is now €5,600 and Bingo Snowball is €4,680.

Castlefin Celtic FC: due to Ireland playing France in the European Championships, we have cancelled our Annual Sports Day which was to be held this Sunday, June 26. Our Sports Day will now take place at a later date. Apologies for any inconvenience caused.

Castlefin Social Services have organised three outings this summer with the first taking place on Sat 16 July. We will tour the Inishowen Peninsula stopping off at Doagh Famine Village, Clonmany Ballyliffin. Price: €25 incl bus, dinner, tea and scones. Contact Roisin: 0851248838. Booking closing date: 2 July.

Coaches to the Rally for Life will travel from your area to the 10th All Ireland Rally for Life in Belfast on Sat 2 July. To book please contact Precious Life on 028 9027 8484 or email info@preciouslife.com

Could you help a child in need? Northern Ireland is currently experiencing a severe shortage of Foster Carers, and particularly carers from the Catholic Community. Kindercare Fostering is a not-for-profit organisation which works to find safe, secure and loving homes for children and young people in need in Northern Ireland. If you would be interested in finding out more about Fostering, please contact Gillian on 028 90941690, email Gillian.devlin@kindercare.co.uk or access www.kindercareni.co.uk

Irish College, Rome, A Course for Parishioners: due to take place from 5 - 9 Sept 2016 provides participants with an opportunity to experience Rome, deepen their theological awareness of the theme of Mercy and enjoy a time of guided reflection and prayer together during this extraordinary Jubilee Year. Cost is €750 with a deposit of €300 to secure a place. Places are limited and travel arrangements to Rome are the responsibility of participants. To reserve a place telephone the Pontifical Irish College on 00 39 06 772 631; email ufficio@irishcollege.org; visit www.irishcollege.org. See church notice boards.

NWRC Part-Time Courses in September: enrolment opens at 8am on Tuesday 28 June across the main campuses at Strand Rd, Derry, Limavady and Strabane. Full details at: www.nwrc.ac.uk/parttime.