

# Parish of Urney and Castlefin

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## Twenty-Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time: 30<sup>th</sup> September 2018

**Mass Times:** Doneyloop: Vigil – 6.00pm; Sun – 10.00am.  
Castlefin: Vigil – 7.00pm; Sun – 11.00am.  
Castlefin: Mon, Tues, Weds – 10am; Thurs – 7.30pm; Fri, 10am.

**The First Anniversary Mass** for the late Dessie Kelly, Demesne, Castlefin will be in St. Marys Church, Castlefin, next Saturday 6<sup>th</sup> October at 7pm.

**Visitation of the Sick:** Fr Crilly will visit his sick and housebound on Friday 5<sup>th</sup> October. Fr Porter will visit his sick and housebound the following week – Thursday 11<sup>th</sup> and Friday 12<sup>th</sup> October.

### **Collections: Thank you for your generosity**

**Weekend Collection:** St. Columba's Doneyloop      St. Mary's Castlefin

€730£390€ 860£10

**Church Restoration Fund:**                      € 355      £10

**Donation** €100

### **Ministries for the Month of October:**

<b><u>Doneyloop:</u></b>	<b>Vigil</b>	<b>10am</b>
<b>Readers:</b>		
6/7	First Communicants (Do This in Memory)	Ella Brown, Cormac Morris
13/14 20/21	Cora Quinn                      Clare Byrne	
27/28	First Communicants (Do This in Memory)	Clare Byrne

**Eucharistic Ministers:** L. Hourican, E. O'Donnell    C. Byrne, S. Coyle

<b><u>Castlefin:</u></b>	<b>Vigil</b>	<b>11am</b>
<b>Readers:</b>		
6/7	Lucy Stewart, Ella Rose Mc Glinchey	Owen Harran, Maria Mc Bride
13/14 20/21 27/28	M. Dunnion, C. Bradley	C. Durning, M. Gallagher

**Eucharistic Ministers:** S. McConnell, J. Harran                      B. McMenamin, P McGranaghan,  
M. Harran C. Quinn

**Pope in Ireland:** Books to commemorate the recent visit of Pope Francis to Ireland are available to buy at a cost of €5 each – contact either Sacristan.

**A missionary group from Bethlehem,** The Holy Land will be visiting St Columba's and St Mary's Churches on the 6th and 7th of October to briefly talk about the Holy Land and to sell religious articles made out of olive wood to help and support the poor Christians families, any help you could give them it will be highly appreciated.

**Hospital visit by Priests:** Due to new data protection laws, Hospitals cannot give out patient details to a priest except he is the hospital Chaplin, therefore if you have a family member in hospital long term and they would like a visit by either of our Priests, please give their names to either Fr Porter or Fr Crilly.

**St Mary's PTAA monthly meeting** takes place on Tuesday 2nd October at 7pm in St Mary's Church Meeting Room

**Castlefin Art/Crafts Classes** are restarting in October. Art Class on Tuesday 2<sup>nd</sup> October from 11am – 1pm. Craft Class on Tuesday 9<sup>th</sup> October from 7pm – 9pm. Both classes are suitable for beginners and improvers and are held in the S.V.DeP Centre. Cost per class €25 – duration 8 weeks. Limited Spaces.

**Castlefin Social Services** are hosting their Annual Mystery Tour on Saturday 13<sup>th</sup> October. Bus leaving Clady 9.15am and The Diamond Castlefin at 9.30am sharp. Price of Trip is €35.00 which includes all meals and mystery tour bus. Anyone interested in going on this trip can pay their monies in the Drop in Centre Castlefin on Friday 5<sup>th</sup> October 2018 from 10am to 2pm. Or contact 085-1248838 for details. A Day not to be missed

**Tidy Towns:** It has been another successful year for Castlefin Tidy Towns as we have yet again increased in overall marks. Great credit must be given to the Ces workers who work tirelessly to achieve our goal. A copy of the full report may be got by calling into the St. Vincent de Paul to give you all an idea of how much we have achieved this year. Well done to all who put out flower baskets and ran the extra mile of keeping our town tidy. Again thanks to all who supported us by work or financially donated.

**Flu Vaccination Clinic,** Castlefin Health Centre on Wednesday 3<sup>rd</sup> October from 11:00am – 12:00am. No appointment necessary. The vaccine itself is provided free for people in any of the above groups, but if you do not have a medical card there is a fee of €25 for giving the vaccine.

### **2019 Ceremonies:**

**Confirmation** Sunday 31<sup>st</sup> March at 11am in St. Columba's Church, Doneyloop

**1<sup>st</sup> Communion;** St Mary's Castlefin on Saturday 11<sup>th</sup> May at 11am

St. Columba's Doneyloop on Saturday 18<sup>th</sup> May at 11am

Mass on day of the Confirmation will be at 11am in Doneyloop and 10am in Castlefin As Bishop McKeown celebrates the sacrament of Confirmation only every other year in our Parish, it has been decided to have the Confirmation ceremony again this year in St. Columba's Church, Doneyloop. That way, Bishop McKeown will administer the sacrament in 2020 in St. Mary's Church, Castlefin.