

### MASSES

Saturday Vigil 6.00pm

Sunday 9.30am 11.00am, 12.30pm

**Weekdays** 10.00am, 7.15pm

### CONFESSIONS

**Saturday** 10.30am, and before evening Mass

Eve of Holydays & eve of First

Fridays:

10.30am. and before evening Mass

### BAPTISMS DATES:

14th & 28th September

12th & 26th October

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## ANYWAY

People are often unreasonable, illogical and self-centred.

Love them anyway.

If you do good, people may accuse you of selfish, ulterior motives.

Love them anyway.

If you are successful, you may win false friends and true enemies.

Succeed anyway.

The good you do today may be forgotten tomorrow.

Do good anyway.

Honesty and frankness may make you vulnerable.

Be honest and frank anyway.

What you spend years building may be destroyed overnight.

Build anyway.

Give the world the best you have and you may get kicked in the teeth.

Give the world the best you've got anyway.



## HOLY FAMILY CHURCH

Sun 8th Sept 2013 Vol. 30 No 34

## BEATITUDES

Blessed are those who realise that they cannot live on bread alone but need the word of God too: they will be fully nourished.

Blessed are those who, when they have sinned, follow the example of the prodigal son, and come home to seek reconciliation; they will cause heaven to ring with joy.

Blessed are those who stop to attend a wounded neighbour. pouring in the oil of compassion and the wine of hope; they are the Good Samaritans of today.

Blessed are those who remove the plank from their own eyes before telling their brother to remove the splinter from his: their efforts at reforming others will bear fruit.

And blessed are those who, having put their hand to the plough, refuse to look back: they will be worthy of the Kingdom



**SYMPATHY** We offer our sympathy to the family of Billy McNamee 12 Shaw Court who died during the week. May he rest in peace.

**BAPTISMS** Our parish family welcomes:

Millie Gurney, 8A McNiece Close  
Mia Grace Duffy-McGrotty  
10 Allingham Close  
Aiobheann Alana Wilson  
47 Allan Park Kirkliston  
Cole Owen Stewart 101 Ardanlee  
Sophia Grace Higgins 5 Lenamore Pk  
Maisy Grace Crockett 12 Iona Court

**Anniversaries** We pray for:

Billy Coyle, Rose & Colm McDaid  
Tom McCallion, Robert O'Doherty,  
Gerry Doherty, John Gallagher,  
James McGinty

**SUNDAY COLLECTION** 1st Sept amounted to £1749.01 and €150.22

**PICTURES** On Our Lady's altar you will see three holy pictures framed in slate. The two smaller ones cost £50 and the larger one £60. If interested in ordering any of these please put your name address and phone no, in the book provided.

**The Holy Family Padre Pio Prayer Group** will hold their monthly meeting tomorrow Monday starting with Mass at 7.15pm. There will be two 1<sup>st</sup> class relics at the meeting, all welcome.

**ST JOSEPH'S YOUNG PRIEST SOCIETY** will meet on Thursday 12th Sept 7.45pm in the Upper Room

**GROUP GUIDED PRAYER** commences on Thursday 13th Sept. immediately after evening Mass. For quiet reflective prayer on the Gospel for Sunday. All welcome

**ACCORD Derry Marriage Preparation Workshop** 13/14th September and 18th/19th October  
Booking on at [www.accordni](http://www.accordni) or Tel 71362475.

**BUS TO KNOCK** on 14th September for Our Lady of the Miraculous Medal staying overnight for Padre Pio on 15th September. Cost £90 or €110  
Payment at least 1 week in advance.  
Tel. 00353749320734 or 07856427403. Tel. 0749320734

**FREE HEARING AID CLINICS:**  
July clinic details are as follows:  
Healthy Living Centre: Wednesday 11<sup>th</sup> Sept from 11am – 12 noon  
Old Bridge House: Wednesday 11<sup>th</sup> Sept from 3.30pm – 4.30pm  
Resource Centre Carnhill: Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> Sept from 11am – 1pm

**THE COLUMBA COMMUNITY** are hosting a Presentation of Faith concert by James Kilbane, the Christian, Country Gospel singer on Saturday 28<sup>th</sup> September at 7:30pm in White Oaks, Tickets €10 proceeds to White Oaks. Phone (00353)74 9384866 for tickets.

**ANNUAL PADRE PIO** weekend at Knock 14th & 15th Sept. with Fr Ermelindo a former secretary to Padre Pio Tel. Sean Mulrine 71265925

**Home Place** – Many poets, notably our beloved Seamus Heaney RIP, have been shaped by their physical environment. Through that shaping, they write creatively. This 4-week evening course, led by Mary Murphy, starting Thursday 26 September, will explore the relationship between the poet and the home place.  
Tel Thornhill 71351233 for details.

**PILGRIMAGE TO FATIMA** including a trip to Balasar the home of Blessed Alexandrina Maria Da Costa, 10<sup>th</sup> October to the 17<sup>th</sup> October all inclusive. Spiritual Director Fr. Sean Conlon. Tel Susan Lynch 7126 9561

**Good Morning Northwest** are looking for volunteers to make morning calls to the elderly and vulnerable adults in the Derry area. Tel Shauna 71353694 or call in to office 82a Brookdale Park,

**'ENCÓRE CONTEMPORARY CHOIR** will be in the Millennium Forum today Sunday, with their show 'Decades' – a musical journey from the 50s to the present day. Part of the proceeds from the show will go to Action on Hearing Loss Tickets (£10.50) are available at the Forum box office 71 264455.'

**Autumn Activities at Older People North West/ Age Concern Derry**  
Age Concern Derry is now enrolling for their autumn classes . To register or for more information, please telephone **71 347478**.

**LEARN TO PLAY BRIDGE** commencing 18th September Wednesday nights 19:00 - 21:30 in Da Vinci Contact Pat 07742162499

**NEW BEGINNINGS** Preschool Burnfoot. Afternoon sessions 12.30-3.30 for children 2 upwards. Tel Deirdre or Patricia 003537493 68369

**FOYLE HOSPICE COFFEE MORNING** –Ireland's Biggest Coffee Morning on Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> September. Contact Foyle Hospice 71359888 for your coffee morning pack supplied by Bewleys. Foyle Hospice will host a coffee morning in the Guildhall on Saturday 14<sup>th</sup> September 10:30am-3pm – everyone welcome.

**NWRC Part-Time courses** A limited number of Part-Time course places are still available at North West Regional College – to find out more information call into the College's Derry-Londonderry, Limavady or Strabane Campus, visit [www.nwrc.ac.uk](http://www.nwrc.ac.uk) or call 71 276000

**Sean Davis INDOOR "Fun" Soccer Academy** takes place at Templemore Sports Complex every Saturday morning for boys and girls aged 5 to 17 years. Times: 10:00 am to 12 noon. Tel. Sean Davis 71263044".