

**HOLY FAMILY CHURCH; 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 **Exposition of Blessed Sacrament** every Tuesday 10.30am-7.15pm **Parochial House** 71267070  
**Parish Sisters** 71260398 **BAPTISM COURSES** 1st & 3rd Wednesdays of the month at 8pm **BAPTISMS:** Every Saturday at 7.00pm  
Email:office@holyfamily-parish.com Web www.holyfamily-parish.com **Holy Family School** 71267798 **St. Eithne's School** 71377077

**FAMINE APPEAL** The Irish Catholic Bishops' Conference has announced that special collections at all Masses will take place across Ireland next weekend 22/23 July to fund life-saving aid for people currently affected by the devastating hunger crisis in east Africa. The money raised will be donated to Trócaire which is delivering emergency food, water and health care to tens of thousands of the 25 million people affected. For further information log on to [www.trocaire.org](http://www.trocaire.org).

...“Lord, when did we see you hungry and feed you, or thirsty and give you drink?” ...“In truth I tell you, in so far as you did this to one of the least of these brothers of mine, you did it to me.” Matthew 25:37/40.

We are asked to respond to this terrible tragedy as generously as possible Accordingly, there will be buckets at each door at all Masses next weekend.

#### **ANNIVERSARIES**

Dermot Ryder, Anna Doherty  
Sr.Kathleen McGeown Brendan Kelly  
Bernadette & Elizabeth Collins  
Rosemary & Jack McGeady,  
John Donaghey,

**SUNDAY COLLECTION** 9th July amounted to £2094.33 and €105.96

**CEOLIC HOSTS** contrary to what you may have read in the papers during the week, the ceolic hosts we use for Holy Communion are acceptable.

**THE KINDNESS AWARD** launched recently will be given out at the end of the 6pm Mass this weekend.

**EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS** If you would be willing to take Holy Communion to the sick and housebound please leave your name and telephone number in the sacristy.

**SUMMER SERENITY:** Join us for an afternoon at the IOSAS Centre and Celtic Garden. Light lunch at 1pm with music / storytelling on Thursdays 27<sup>th</sup> July, 10<sup>th</sup>/ 24<sup>th</sup> Aug followed by a visit to the Prayer Garden or Organic Garden. Cost €10/£8. (00353) 7493 84866 .

#### **DERRY**

##### **CATECHETICAL CENTRE**

invites applications for the post of Diocesan Youth Coordinator. Application Form, Job Description and Personal Specification may be obtained by emailing office@derrydiocese.org or by telephoning 71262302

##### **YOUTH 2000 SUMMER FESTIVAL,**

Cistercian College, Roscrea, Co. Tipperary from Thursday 17th – Sunday 20th August For young people aged 16-35, this is a great opportunity to find out what your Catholic faith is all about in a friendly, chilled out atmosphere. The festival is donation only. Free buses available from all around Ireland. For more info and to book online, see [www.youth2000.ie](http://www.youth2000.ie) 01 6753690

**LOUGH DERG 2017:** You may begin the Three Day Pilgrimage on any day up to and including Sunday 13<sup>th</sup> August. Advance booking not necessary. For enquiries or bookings: tel Maureen or Lorraine on 00353 71 9861518) or Email: [info@loughderg.org](mailto:info@loughderg.org) [www.loughderg.org](http://www.loughderg.org)

#### **DIOCESAN**

**CHILDREN IN CROSSFIRE** New York Marathon If interested email [events@childrenincrossfire.org](mailto:events@childrenincrossfire.org) or call 71269898

##### **Older People North West/ Annual Gardening Competition**

The competition is open to all gardeners over 60 living in Derry City area. The closing date for the competition is Friday 21<sup>st</sup> July. For further information, please telephone 71 347 478.

**CRAFT (Derry)** Ltd is holding a night to remember the music from the Borderland Dance Hall. in Bar Zu, Rosemount Factory on Friday 28th July from 9pm. Music by Eddie (Eccles) Breslin. Tickets cost £10 per person and includes a hot buffet. Tickets are available from BHCP 71271977 or GDI 71268748.

**ART EXHIBITION** Tuesday 25th July 7-9pm in Bishop's Gate Hotel.