

## MASSES

Saturday Vigil 6.00pm

Sunday 9.30am 11.00am, 12.30pm

Weekdays Mon. Wed. Friday 10.00am,  
Tuesday & Thursday 7.15pm

Exposition of Blessed Sacrament  
every Tuesday 10.30am-7.15pm

## CONFESSIONS

Friday: 10.30am

Saturday :5.30pm-6.00pm

Tuesday and Thursday :before or  
after evening Mass

## BAPTISM COURSES

1st & 3rd Thurs of the month 8pm

BAPTISMS: 1st and 3rd Saturday  
of the month at 7.00pm

MARRIAGES Three months notice

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Web www.holyfamily-parish.com

Parish Sisters 71260398

Holy Family School 71267798

St. Eithne's School 71377077

## PARISH GROUPS

11am Choir practices Tuesday at  
7.45 . New members welcome

Scripture Group Thurs 7.45pm

New members always welcome!

A.A .Fridays at 8.00pm in Upper  
Room.



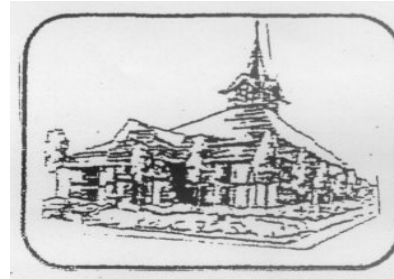
## NOVENA PRAYER

Mother of Perpetual Help, we come before your holy picture to be inspired by the example of your life. We recall your faith and trust when you accepted God's call to be the Mother of His Son. Help us, your children, to accept with joy our own calling in life. When you learned that your cousin Elizabeth was in need you immediately went to offer your help. May we like you, be concerned for others.

We think of you Mother at the foot of the Cross. Your heart was crushed to see your Son in agony; but your joy was great when He rose from the dead, victorious over the powers of evil. Mother of Sorrows, help us to accept whatever trials and disappointments come our way and never to lose heart. May we share with you and with your Son the joy of having courageously faced up to all the challenges of life. Amen

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SLIMMING WORLD at Holy Family School every Thursday 5pm-7pm. Tel Valerie 07756455438



## HOLY FAMILY CHURCH

Sun 21st Oct 2018 Vol. 36 No 44

**MISSION SUNDAY** was instituted by Pope Pius XI in 1926. The Pope established it as a world-wide day of prayer, reflection and financial support in the Catholic Church, for the missions. Ninety-two years later, it continues to be celebrated, on the same day of the year, in every church, of every parish, of every diocese throughout the Catholic Church. And so, on this Mission Sunday 2018, gathered here for our Sunday Eucharist in Holy Family Church, we unite with Catholics across the world in prayer, thought and financial support of missions and missionaries.

## NOVENA

Do you have a special intention that you want granted? Have you a favour to ask God? Has someone you love asked you to pray for them? Have you a problem that needs resolved? If you can answer 'yes' to any of these questions please come along to our annual Novena to Our Lady of Perpetual Help. Many people have had their petitions answered over the years. Our Parish Novena begins tomorrow (Monday) at the 7.15pm Mass and will end before Christmas with our traditional Penitential Service. Please pick up a petition card at the main door of the church and place it in the special petition box before 7.05pm on Monday night. Please tick if you do not want it read out. We hope that many will take part in our Novena this year again.

**DIOCESAN PLAN** Today we are asked to focus in our parishes on the third theme of the Diocesan Pastoral Plan, which is, "**Work to Make Jesus Known and Loved**". This theme is, in effect, the *summit* of the faith-journey which the Pastoral Plan invites us to take in our parish communities: the Plan asks us to be a welcoming and inclusive parish community, growing together in faith and discipleship, with a 'mission' to **Make Jesus Known and Loved**.

**ANNIVERSARIES** Patrick Maguire  
Eileen McClintock Frank Quinn  
Pat McDonough, Maggie Stokes

**PRAYERS OF THE FAITHFUL**  
**6.00pm**

**12.30pm**

**OFFERTORY PROCESSION**  
**6.00pm** Ethan O'Hagan & Family

**12.30** Alex Doherty & family

**SUNDAY COLLECTION** 14th  
October £2060.36 and €103.88

**HEALING MASS Thurs 25th**  
**October** Fr Neal Carlin and the  
Columba Community will celebrate a  
special Mass for healing on Thursday  
25th October at 7.30pm in Columba  
House, 11 Queen St, All welcome

**THORNHILL MINISTRIES'**  
**Art Journaling - 'Autumn: The Call**  
**to Surrender':** Using simple art  
exercises for self-expression and  
reflection, a creative day, engaging  
with the language of colour and  
seasons. Saturday 27 October from  
9:30am to 4:00pm. tel 71351233  
thornhillministries@derrydiocese.org.

**MONICA RETREAT DAY** Saturday  
3 November 9:30am-2:30 pm A day  
of prayer and support for those whose  
adult children seem not to live by faith  
patterns that their parents hold  
dear. Led by Fr Paschal McDonnell.  
For more details contact Thornhill  
Ministries, Tele 71351233 Email  
[thornhillministries@derrydiocese.org](mailto:thornhillministries@derrydiocese.org)

**NEW DVD BIBLE COURSE - 'THE**  
**GREAT ADVENTURE** by renowned  
bible teacher Jeff Cavins, Thursday  
evenings at 7.30pm, in the Kildare  
Room, St Brigid's Parochial  
House. Bring your bible along, if you  
have one (not essential) All welcome.

**LATIN MASS** which was to take  
place in Long Tower today Sunday  
21st October has been cancelled,

**ANNUAL DERRY DIOCESAN**  
**PIONEER MASS** will be celebrated  
by Bishop McKeown in St Mary's  
Church, Killyclogher, Omagh, at  
3.00pm, on Sunday 4 November. Bus  
available from Derry City, cost only  
£5. Tel 7135 2285 or 71291231.

**IRISH PILGRIMAGE**  
**TRUST (IPT) Pilgrimage**  
**to Lourdes, Easter 2019.** The IPT is  
currently accepting applications for this  
pilgrimage from young people (11 – 30  
years) with a medical condition,  
physical disability, illness, learning  
disability, social or emotional  
need or applications for children under  
the age of 11, who must be  
accompanied by a parent or close  
relative. For further information /  
application form, contact Mary on  
00353 87 7962 047. Closing date for  
applications is 31 October.

**ENGAGED ENCOUNTER**  
**Course,** 23-24 March 2019 in Our  
Lady and St. Patrick's Parish Centre,  
Ballymoney For details  
[marriageencounter.ie](http://marriageencounter.ie) or 27638512

**ACCORD DERRY Marriage**  
**Preparation Workshops** January  
11<sup>th</sup>/12<sup>th</sup> 2019 February 8<sup>th</sup>/9<sup>th</sup> 2019  
22nd & 23rd March 2019. Thornhill  
Ministeries Culmore Road Booking  
now online at [www.accordni.com](http://www.accordni.com)

**PAUL, APOSTLE OF CHRIST"** -  
A special screening will be shown in ,  
Termonbacca, on Thursday 8  
November at 7:30pm, All proceeds  
are in aid of Stanton Healthcare  
Northern Ireland. To reserve your  
seat, contact 078 45686437.

**CHILDREN IN CROSSFIRE** will be  
holding a street collection with a  
difference on Monday 29th  
October. To get in the Halloween  
spirit we will be collecting in fancy  
dress. If you are able give a few hours  
as a collection volunteer please call  
71278949 for more details  
email [eileen.warren@childrenincrossfire.org](mailto:eileen.warren@childrenincrossfire.org) .

**CHILDLINE** are currently looking for  
volunteers at Childline Foyle to keep  
up with the demand of calls and online  
chats from children and young  
people. They are looking for Volunteer  
Counsellors, Email Counsellors and  
Switchboarders. Their next Volunteer  
Information Meeting on Thursday  
1<sup>st</sup> November, from 5-6.30pm at local  
ChildLine Foyle base, Exchange  
House, Queen's Quay. Tel: 028 2044  
1742 for details.

**PART-TIME HOUSEKEEPING**  
**ROLE** for Derry Diocesan Trust,  
in **Killyclogher (Cappagh)**  
**parish.** Twenty hours per week (Mon-  
Fri), this position is split between two  
houses in the parish. Permanent  
Contract. For application pack please  
contact Cappagh Parish Office, 14  
Killyclogher Road, Omagh, telephone  
02882243375 or  
email: [info@cappaghparish.com](mailto:info@cappaghparish.com)  
Completed applications must be  
returned to Cappagh Parish Office no  
later than 3.00pm on Wednesday 31  
October 2018. Interviews will be held  
on the week beginning 5 November  
*Derry Diocesan Trust is an Equal*  
*Opportunities Employer.*

**RETIRED TEACHERS** Unique  
volunteering opportunities for Retired  
Teachers Please contact Kate at Sólás  
on 90247600, or email  
[progs@solasbt7.com](mailto:progs@solasbt7.com) for further details  
and information pack".

**ANAM CARA** the organisation that  
supports bereaved parents, is holding a  
Bereavement Information Evening on  
Tuesday 23rd of October at 7:00pm in  
the Inishowen Gateway Hotel,  
Buncrana, Co. Donegal. This is a free  
event and open to all bereaved parents.  
As Anam Cara will need to confirm  
numbers for teas, coffees, etc, please  
RSVP to [info@anamcara.ie](mailto:info@anamcara.ie) before  
Monday 22nd October or call the  
Information Line on 085 2888 888.

**THE PRIESTS – CHRISTMAS**