

# SUNDAY



Tamlaght  
O'Crilly  
Greenlough

*Sunday 19 January 2025*  
*Second Sunday in Ordinary Time*



**Pilgrims of Hope - Holy Year 2025**

Receiving Holy Communion should be the high point of our attendance at Mass. It's the Body of Christ. It's one of the ways He is present to us (and within us) nowadays. It's the nourishment our souls need to strengthen and sustain us. We pray for the faith we need to believe the words of Jesus when He said, "**This is My Body...This is My Blood**" and for an ever deepening respect for the Eucharist. Fasting from food for an hour before receiving Holy Communion is an act of respect. Not chewing gum or eating sweets as we come to Mass (or in the church building) is a way of honouring the presence of Jesus in the Eucharist. We should come forward to receive Holy Communion with reverence and devotion, and say a loud and fervent "**Amen**" when the priest or the minister says, "**The Body of Christ,**" returning to our seats and offering a prayer of thanksgiving for what we have just received.

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Greenlough/Bellaghy/Ballyscullion Schedules		
Monday 20 January	Bellaghy	9.30am
Tuesday 21 January	<b>Mass</b>	<b>9.30am</b>
	<b>Greenlough Rosary</b>	<b>7.30pm</b>
Wednesday 22 January	Bellaghy	9.30am
Thursday 23 January	<i>Adoration: 9.00am - 5.00pm</i>	
	<b>Greenlough</b>	<b>7.30pm</b>
Friday 24 January	Bellaghy	7.00pm
Third Sunday in Ordinary Time		
Saturday 25 January	<b>Greenlough</b>	<b>5.30pm</b>
	<b>Children's Liturgy</b>	
	Bellaghy	7.00pm
Sunday 26 January	<b>Greenlough</b>	<b>9.00am</b>
	<i>Anniversary Mass for Jimmy McDonnell, Teresa McDonnell, Philip McDonnell</i>	
	Ballyscullion	10.00am
	Bellaghy	11.00am

*Anniversaries: Rose Larkin, Johnnie McErlean, Hugh Fox, Ciaran McNally, Rose Henry, Rita Larkin.* *In Loving Memory*

**Would you like to join our Young Reader's Group? We are looking for young people aged 11 years up to recite the Prayers of the Faithful at our 9.00am Mass on Sunday Mornings.**

Parents/Guardians, please contact:

**Martina McErlean**

**07707926831**

if you have any young people who would be interested?



Email: [greenloughparish@gmail.com](mailto:greenloughparish@gmail.com)

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Primary School  
028 2582 1066

St. Conor's  
College  
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Parishes

Bellaghy  
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Lavey  
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Portglenone  
028 2582 1218

Baptisms  
Contact the  
Parish Office

Weddings  
Contact the  
Parish Office

Confessions  
As Announced

**Derry Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes 2025, led by Bishop McKeown, Monday 30 June to Friday 4 July, from City of Derry Airport.**

**Price £849** plus insurance & single supplement if required. The Pilgrimage Office, 164 Bishop Street, Derry will open for booking on **Saturday 1 February, 11.00am - 1.00pm** (and each following Saturday & Thursday at the same time unless notified). Enquiries via email: [derrypilgrim@outlook.com](mailto:derrypilgrim@outlook.com)



To celebrate **Week of Prayer for Christian Unity 2025**, St. Eugene's Cathedral, Christ Church along with **The Association of Iconographers Ireland**, invite you to an **Exhibition of Icons in St. Eugene's Cathedral Hall**, Infirmery Road, Derry, from **Monday 20 January to Wednesday 22 January from 10.30am to 8.30pm**. *Entry to the exhibition is free and everyone is welcome to attend.*



**Derry Diocesan Youth Pilgrimage to Fatima.**

*We are inviting young people aged 16+ to join us on Pilgrimage to Fatima for 4 nights from 14 July to 18 July.*

This will be a unique experience for young people and an opportunity to engage with their peers from around the world in a faith context.

**Cost is £700** and there will be a budget plan to help with this. **Names and deposit of £100** are required as soon as possible to secure a place. For more information/to book please contact: [lizzie.rea@derrydiocese.org](mailto:lizzie.rea@derrydiocese.org) or telephone: **028 7126 4087**.



**PARISH NEWSLETTER DEADLINE**

Please send all Anniversary Names and Notices to the Parish Office by 1.00pm on Wednesday.



Website: [www.greenlough.com](http://www.greenlough.com)

**CATHOLIC SCHOOLS WEEK 2025** begins this Sunday **19 January** and continues until **Saturday 25 January**. The theme this year is **'Catholic Schools: Alive in Christ'**. During Catholic Schools Week families, parishes and schools are invited to participate in a week of celebration of Catholic schools, reflecting on their contribution to the common good of society.

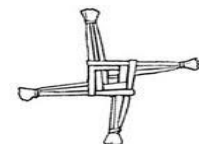
*We keep in our prayers St. Conor's College & St Mary's Primary School.*



**Collections 12 January**

Wkly/Mthly/Cash: **£1156.00. Thank You.**

**STANDING ORDERS:** If you pay directly from your bank account, we would ask that you regularly check your bank statements to make sure your payments are being paid out to the parish account.



**St Brigid's Cross Making**

will take place on **Wednesday 29 January at 7.00pm** in **Moneystaghan Hall**. **Everyone Welcome!**

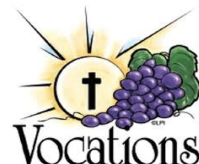
Welcome to  
Children's Liturgy



**CHILDREN'S LITURGY** continues every Saturday during the 5.30pm Mass for Children from P1 to P4. *The Quiet Room will be reserved for the Children during this Mass. Thank you for your co-operation.*

*We welcome into God's family*

*Patrick Gerard Lagan, Innisrush Road,  
who was baptised recently.*



**Vocations:** *As we pray for the grace to use our God-given gifts as God would wish us to use them we pray in particular for those called to use them as priests in the service of the parishes and people of our diocese.*

**33 DAYS OF FAMILY PRAYER** towards Consecration to Jesus Christ through Mary, as part of a diocesan programme for the **Jubilee Year of 2025**, **Pilgrims of Hope** continues online each evening at **7.00pm** on the **Diocese of Derry Facebook Page** and concludes on the **Feast of Our Lady of Lourdes, Tuesday 11 February**. Details and times of the prayer programme can be viewed at [derrydiocese.org/consecration](http://derrydiocese.org/consecration)