

The 'Dead Theologians Society' **Youth Prayer Group** has been cancelled this Sunday evening.

We are currently looking for **MUSICIANS** for a new Youth Prayer Group in our Parish. Please contact James on 086-3417561 for further information.

An Aloe Vera, health, beauty and weight management evening will be held on Tuesday 14th October at 7.30 pm in Kelly's Diner, Mountain Top with **all profits** going to the **STROKE AND MEDICAL REHAB UNIT**, St. Conal's Hospital.

A Social for the **YOUNG AT HEART CLUB** will be held in the Social Centre, Oliver Plunkett Road on Tuesday 14th October at 8 pm. This Social will be hosted by the Conwall Church Ladies.

**A CHANGED LIFE** ~ This is a support group for people who have lost someone to suicide and it will start on Wednesday 15th October. If interested, please call the Pastoral Centre on 9121853 or email: diocesanplk@eircom.net

**A FLOWER DEMONSTRATION** by Alan Beatty, International Demonstrator, will be held in the Mount Errigal Hotel on Thursday 16th October at 8 pm. Admission: €10. Proceeds in aid of Save Our Sight, Ophthalmic Department, St. Conals Hospital

The Annual North Donegal Regional **PIONEER DINNER DANCE** takes place on Friday 17th October in the Station House Hotel, Letterkenny. Tickets available from Michael on 087-6774618 or Geraldine on 087-7962045.

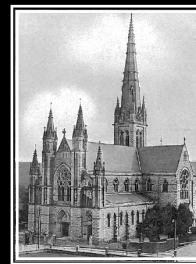
**A COFFEE MORNING** will be held in the 4 Lanterns Restaurant, Port Road on Friday 17th October from 10 am. Everyone will be very welcome.

The Church Gate Collection next weekend, 18th/19th October is in aid of the **RAINBOWS GROUP**. Rainbows is a bereavement support group for children grieving because of death or separation in the family. Your support would be appreciated. A number of places are left on the Rainbows programme. More details please contact the Pastoral Centre on 9121853 or email: diocesanplk@eircom.net

**A FAREWELL FUNCTION** for Fr. Joe O'Donnell will take place in the Mount Errigal Hotel on Thursday 23rd October from 9 pm - 12 pm. Light refreshments will be served at 9.30 pm. Tickets are €10 each and are available from the Cathedral Parochial House, Church of the Irish Martyrs and from the Mount Errigal Hotel.

**GOOD & NEW DANCE AND VARIETY SHOW** in aid of the Bus taking Cancer patients from Donegal to Galway will take place in the Clanree Hotel on Saturday 25th October, doors open 7 pm with supper served and dancing afterwards to The Bizz. Tickets are €20 each and can be purchased from the Good & New Charity Shop, Port Link Business Park, Letterkenny, phone 9113437. Your support would be appreciated.

The **LEGION OF MARY ANNUAL RETREAT** will be held in Ards Friary on Sunday 26th October from 10 am to 6 pm. Cost: €35. Retreat Director: Fr. Vincent Twomey, Professor Emeritus of Moral Theology at Maynooth. Legionaries, Auxiliaries and Non Legionaries are welcome. To book a place please contact Mary on 087-9449903 or Ethna 074-9121530



## ST. EUNAN'S CATHEDRAL LETTERKENNY NEWSLETTER

**Sunday 12th October 2014**

*28th Sunday of Ordinary Time*

### Pope John Paul II Award

**Congratulations to all Students from the Parish who received their Pope John Paul II Awards recently.**

The students served in our Parish as: Altar Servers; Ministers of the Word, assisted with the Children's Liturgy and Faith Friends; Youth Retreat Days; Prayer Groups and with helping to clean the Cathedral. Their social outreach consisted of visiting Nursing Homes, helping to coach various sports and fund-raising. **We thank them for their dedication and commitment.**

#### **Here are some of their thoughts on the experience:**

"I am so happy that I took part in this award as I have a new view of life and my faith is renewed and profound". *Emer*

"I have got to witness the Faith lived out in my parish community. This award raises your awareness to all the things people do through faith". *Katie*

"Meeting all the elderly out in Brindley Manor Nursing Home and keeping them entertained was the highlight of my award. Seeing them sing along to the hymns and country music we were singing, smiling and dancing, it was just great". *Stacey*

"I found doing this was a great experience being able to help out and be involved in my community. I came to know people in my Church and I felt encouraged by being present in the Church each week. The readings at Mass have become very important in deepening my faith". *Keely*

### Sunday 12th October

**Masses** ~ 8 am, 10 am, 12 noon, 5 pm and 6.30 pm  
**Baptisms** - 1.30 pm  
**St Pius X Adoration Chapel** is open at 1 pm  
**October Devotions** in the Cathedral - 7.30 pm  
**Al-Anon Meeting** in the Pastoral Centre - 8 pm  
**AA Meeting** in the Pastoral Centre - 11 am and 8.30 pm

### Monday 13th October

**8 am Mass** ~ Patrick Coyle  
**10 am Mass** ~ ®  
**7.30 pm Mass** ~ James and Rose McMonagle  
**St Pius X Adoration Chapel is open**  
**CONFESSIONS:** 8 pm - 8.30 pm  
**Grow Meeting** in Loreto Convent - 8 pm

**Morning Prayer** (9.40 am)  
**(Monday to Saturday)**  
**Evening Prayer** (7.10 pm)  
**(Monday to Friday)**

### Tuesday 14th October

**8 am Mass** ~  
**10 am Mass** ~ Frank McMonagle (First Anniversary)  
**7.30 pm Mass** ~ Liam Kelly  
**St Pius X Adoration Chapel is open**  
**Legion of Mary Meeting** in the Conference Room after 10 am Mass  
**Legion of Mary Meeting:** Room 112, Loreto Secondary School - 7 pm  
**Divine Mercy Holy Hour** in the Cathedral - 8pm  
**Baptism Preparation** in the Parochial House on Tuesday 21st October - 8 pm  
**Al-Anon Meeting** in the Pastoral Centre - 8.30 pm

### Wednesday 15th October

**8 am Mass** ~  
**10 am Mass** ~ Roseanne, Davie and Colin Griffin  
**7.30 pm Mass** ~ Annie McLoone (Month's Mind Mass) and Art McLoone  
**St Pius X Adoration Chapel is open**  
**Mother's Prayer Group Meeting** in Loreto Convent - 8 pm  
**Narcotics Anonymous Meeting** in the Pastoral Centre - 8.30 pm

**PERPETUAL ADORATION** (Day and Night) takes place in St. Pius X Adoration Chapel from 1 pm Sunday to 7 pm Friday. You are warmly welcome to spend any length of time in front of the Blessed Sacrament. If you would like to commit to a particular hour each week, ring Bridget on 086-0630729.

The **CHILDREN'S CHOIR** are currently recruiting new members. Anyone aged 9 and upwards who are interested, please contact Toni on 087-7830199 for information.

### Thursday 16th October

**8 am Mass** ~ Eddie McCauley  
**10 am Mass** ~ ®  
**7.30 pm Mass** ~ Noeleen Leech (First Anniversary)  
**St Pius X Adoration Chapel is open**  
**AA Meeting** in the Pastoral Centre - 5.30 pm  
**Charismatic Prayer Group** in the Conference Room - 8 pm

### Friday 17th October

**8 am Mass** ~ Siobhan Doherty  
**10 am Mass** ~ Sue Doogan  
**1 pm** ~ Nuptial  
**7.30 pm Mass** ~ Mark Geraghty, Baby John Liam Anderson and Annie McConigley  
**St Pius X Adoration Chapel is open**  
**Al-Anon Meeting** in the Pastoral Centre - 10.30 am  
**AA Meeting for Women** in the Cathedral Conference Room - 1 pm  
**AA Meeting** in the Pastoral Centre - 5.30 pm  
**Gamblers' Anonymous Meeting** in the Pastoral Centre - 8.15 pm

### Saturday 18th October

**10 am Mass** ~ James McTaggart (Month's Mind Mass)  
**11 am** ~ **Mass in Malayalam** in the Conference Room  
**7.30 pm** ~ Vigil Mass  
**Confessions:** 12 noon to 1 pm and after the 7.30 pm Mass  
**AA Meeting** in the Pastoral Centre - 11 am  
**Narcotics Anonymous Meeting** in the Pastoral Centre - 8.30 pm

**RECENT BAPTISMS ~ We welcome into God's Community**  
Aaron Gerard Tierney ~ Peadar Sean MacRuaidhrí - Ó'Daimhín  
Logan David Gallagher ~ Isla Mary Neeson

**OFFERTORY COLLECTION** - 5th October 2014 - €5,303  
Parish Expenditure ~ €1,433.28  
Thank you for your gift to God and His Church

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