

A number of tickets are still available from the Parish Office for the **PAPAL MASS IN THE PHOENIX PARK**, Dublin with Pope Francis on **Sunday 26th August**. To book a Ticket and a Seat on a bus please phone 9121021. For anyone who has booked 'ONLINE' for the Papal Mass and are interested in booking a seat on a bus, (4 seats remaining) please contact the Parish Office also. Cost of the bus is €15. We will have further details regarding times of departure shortly.

The **BUS TO KNOCK** for Pope Francis' visit will now leave at **5 am (sharp)** on **Sunday 26th August**, from the Cathedral Car Park. There is a limited number of tickets available for those who have not booked one, on a first come, first served basis. Cost: €20 per person, deposit €5 required. To book, please call: 086-3074435.

ST. PADRE PIO PRAYER MEETING is held on the Second Thursday of every Month (**9th August**) in Letterkenny University Hospital Chapel at 7.30 pm (Mass, Rosary, Benediction, Veneration and Blessing with first class relic). Everyone very welcome.

The annual **DIOCESAN PILGRIMAGE TO KNOCK** will take place on **Saturday 18th August**. Bishop Alan McGuckian will lead this Pilgrimage. Tickets for the Pilgrimage are €20 each and may be purchased from the Parochial House. We invite and encourage as many Parishioners to travel to Knock for this day.

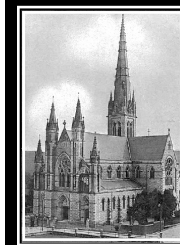
H.S.E. RETIRED GROUP NIGHT OUT with Dinner and Dancing will be held in the Rosapenna Hotel, Downings on **Sunday 19th August** at 6.30 pm. To book please call Charlie on 9126696, Kathleen on 9121551 or Breed on 9122605 by **16th August**.

Our Parish **ONE DAY PILGRIMAGE to LOUGH DERG** will take place on **Saturday 1st September**. Tickets cost: €52 (bus and island) and are available from the Parish Office. (Monday - Friday: 9.30 am - 4.30 pm). The bus will leave the Cathedral Car Park at 8 am and will return at approximately 6 pm.

There are some places available at this year's **JUNIOR SUMMER CAMP IN BLAZE BASKETBALL CLUB**. The camp runs Monday - Friday: 13th - 17th August, 10 am to 1 pm daily. Suitable for children born 2009, 2010, 2011 and 2012 only. For further details see www.blazebasketball.ie

POPE FRANCIS - A MAN OF HIS WORD ~ This fascinating documentary follows Pope Francis as he embarks on a personal journey to present his work of reform and answer global questions - from his deep concern for the poor and wealth inequality to his involvement in environmental issues, social justice and calls for peace. This documentary will screened in Century Cinema from **Friday 10th August**. To book please call 9121976.

TRADITIONAL LATIN MASS (The Extraordinary Form) will be celebrated in St. Eunan's Cathedral on **Wednesday 15th August** (Feast of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin at 4 pm. Confession available before Mass. All are welcome.



ST. EUNAN'S CATHEDRAL LETTERKENNY NEWSLETTER

Sunday 5th August 2018

Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time



This evening, Sunday 5th August, we will warmly welcome Family, Friends and Neighbours who have travelled from all corners of the world to celebrate the **2018 LETTERKENNY REUNION** at our **6.30 pm Mass**. The Reunion will continue until Friday 10th August. A full programme of events are in local newspapers. Tickets for the mystery bus tour on Wednesday 8th August are available in various outlets around Town and from any Committee Member. We wish the Committee well and we pray for a joy-filled week when we will reminisce, sing a few songs, tell the odd yarn etc.

MARY'S MEALS 'STEP BY STEP TO FEED THE NEXT STEP'

Please pray for the safety of all WALKERS, HELPERS, DRIVERS AND COLLECTORS involved with the Mary's Meals Sponsored Walk 'Step by Step to feed the next Child' from Malin to Knock, Derry to Knock and Kilkenny to Knock beginning on Tuesday morning 7th August. The full 9 day schedule is available in the Sacristy or from the Parochial House.

NOVENA PRAYER IN HONOUR OF THE ASSUMPTION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY (7th—15th August)

O Immaculate Virgin Mary, Mother of God and Mother of men, we believe with all the fervour of our faith in your triumphal Assumption into Heaven, body and soul, where you are acclaimed as Queen of all the choirs of Angels, and the countless multitude of saints. We unite with them in thanking and praising God who has exalted you above all the heavenly hosts.

In your mercy, dearest Mother, look down upon our miseries and our sorrows, upon our struggles and our weaknesses. Help us to remain pure in mind and body, to bear the crosses of life, and to live and die in close union with your Divine Son. Intercede with Him on our behalf, and obtain the graces and favours we ask in this Novena (Mention your request). Amen.

Remember, O most gracious Virgin Mary . . .

PRIEST ON DUTY: Fr. Philip Kemmy

Sunday 5th August

Masses ~ 8 am, 10 am, 12 noon, 4 pm (Polish Mass) and 6.30 pm
Baptisms - 1.30 pm
St. Pius X Adoration Chapel is open at 1 pm
Polish Prayer Group in the Conference Room ~ 4 pm - 7 pm
AA Meeting in the Pastoral Centre - 11 am and 8.30 pm
Al-Anon Meeting in the Pastoral Centre - 8 pm

Monday 6th August ~ The Transfiguration of the Lord

NO 8 am Mass ~ (Bank Holiday)
10 am Mass ~ Frances Allison (**Month's Mind Mass**)
St Pius X Adoration Chapel is open
Grow Mental Health Meetings in the Pastoral Centre - 7.30 pm
AA Meeting in the Pastoral Centre - 8.30 pm

Tuesday 7th August ~ Ss. Sixtus II

8 am Mass ~ Thomas Kelly **10 am Mass** ~ Benny Daly
St. Pius X Adoration Chapel is open
Holy Face Devotions in the Cathedral ~ 6.30 pm
Legion of Mary Meeting in the Conference Room after 10 am Mass
Legion of Mary Meeting in the Parochial House at 7 pm
Baptism Preparation in the Parochial House this evening ~ 6.45 pm
Divine Mercy Prayer Group in the Crib Room - 7 pm
Gamblers' Anonymous Meeting in the Pastoral Centre - 8.30 pm
Al-Anon Meeting and AA Meeting in the Pastoral Centre - 8.30 pm

Wednesday 8th August ~ St. Dominic

8 am Mass ~
10 am Mass ~ William and Rebecca Gallagher **Nuptial** ~ 1 pm
St. Pius X Adoration Chapel is open
Youth 2000 Prayer Group in the Cathedral - 8 pm
Narcotics Anonymous in the Pastoral Centre ~ 8.30 pm

RECENT BAPTISMS ~ *We welcome into God's Community*
Shay Patrick Gallagher ~ Harry Declan Scanlon ~ Cayden Viray

Letterkenny CDP are currently taking bookings for the following Courses: Pavelpol, Introduction to Sign Language, Papercraft, Jewellery Making and Ukulele. If interested please contact 9120633.

Thursday 9th August ~ St. Teresa Benedicta of the Cross

8 am Mass ~ Kevin Dillon
10 am Mass ~ ®
St. Pius X Adoration Chapel is open
AA Meeting in the Pastoral Centre - 5.30 pm
Charismatic Prayer Meeting in the Conference Room - 8 pm

Friday 10th August ~ St. Lawrence

8 am Mass ~ Kathleen Crawford
10 am Mass ~ Rosemary and John Askin
Nuptial ~ 1 pm
7.30 pm Mass ~ Mairead Dowdall (**Month's Mind Mass**), Josie Crossan, Eileen O'Doherty and James Ferry
St. Pius X Adoration Chapel is open until 9pm
Al-Anon Meeting in the Pastoral Centre - 10.30 am
AA Meeting for Women in the Conference Room - 1 pm
AA Meeting in the Pastoral Centre - 5.30 pm

Saturday 11th August ~ St. Clare

10 am Mass ~ Breda Nelis (**Month's Mind Mass**)
Baptisms ~ 5 pm
7.30 pm ~ Vigil Mass
Confessions ~ 12 noon - 1 pm and after the 7.30 pm Mass
AA Meeting in the Pastoral Centre - 11 am
Narcotics Anonymous in the Pastoral Centre ~ 6 pm

Parish Office Hours: Monday to Friday (9.30 am - 4.30 pm)



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Live WEB STREAMING from the Cathedral ~ churchservices.tv

OFFERTORY COLLECTION ~ 29th July - €5,524

PARISH EXPENDITURE: €4,098.71

Thank you for your gift to God and His Church

St. Vincent de Paul Letterkenny ~ 9129503/9122366

Bishop Alan McGuckian will lead the Opening Ceremony for the World Meeting of Families for the Diocese in **St. Eunan's Cathedral** at **7.30 pm** on **Tuesday 21st August** simultaneous with all the Cathedrals In Ireland. Everyone is very welcome.