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SUNDAY COLLECTION ~ 4th August- €5,837

PARISH EXPENDITURE ~ €6,115.34

DONATIONS ~ 1 x €85

Thank you for your gift to God and His Church
We deeply appreciate your continued Spiritual and Financial support.

To **BOOK A BAPTISM** please phone the Parochial House on 9121021. Please remember: Godparents: (1 male and 1 female over the age of 16).

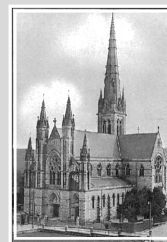
BAPTISM PREPARATION ~ We have uploaded a number of videos under 'Featured Videos' for Parents, in Preparation for their child's Baptism on our website: www.steunanscathedral.ie

AN AFRICAN APPEAL ~ Fr. Kevin O'Hara is a St. Patrick's Missionary Priest working in West Africa for over forty years. He is fighting poverty through social justice and education. If you would like to support his work in Africa - please donate to the following account. Account name: Fr. Kevin O'Hara; AIB Bank Ballybofey; Account Number: 23942109; BIC: AIBKIE2D; IBAN: IE11AIBK93736323942109

'SYCAMORE' Programme - An online webinar for all parishes in the Diocese will take place on **Thursday 12th September** at 7 pm. One of the directors, Dr. Susan Longhurst will give a presentation as to what it is about, how to use it in parish etc. It will conclude with a Q&A. Should you wish to explore more about Sycamore in the meantime, visit <https://www.sycamore.fm/>

On **Tuesday 24th September** at 7.30 pm, Sr. Cooley Fowler O.P. from Dominican Sisters of St. Joseph will present an evening at the Pastoral Centre, Letterkenny on the **'ANCHOR'** programme. This is a simple and foundational teaching about the essentials of the Faith, the Mass and the ways in which we live and pray that Faith. It can be used by any adult and is also valuable for parents, to help them hand on to their children the treasure of the Catholic Faith.

CURSILLO is a movement of ordinary lay women and men who share their faith in their everyday lives, bringing the love and hope of Jesus into ordinary events. The joy of the Good News that God loves us, irrespective of who we are or what we have done, is central to the Cursillo weekend. It is expressed through talks, discussions, prayer, laughter and friendship. Up coming weekends in Ards Friary, Creeslough: **Men's weekend 24th - 27th October; Women's weekend 31st October - 3rd November** under the direction of Fr. Laurence Kettle. If you would like more information please contact Martina on 087-3749024 or Pat on 087-9374001.



ST. EUNAN'S CATHEDRAL LETTERKENNY NEWSLETTER

Sunday 11th August 2024

Nineteenth Sunday of Ordinary Time

MASS TIMES ~ Thursday 15th August
Feast of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary

7 pm ~ Vigil Mass (Wednesday 14th August)

8 am, 10 am, 12 noon

7 pm (Rodger's Burn)

'FAITH FILLED FUN CONWAL & LECK PARISH DAY
Thursday 15th August
Feast of the Assumption of the Virgin Mary

- 2 pm – 5pm ~ Workshop for Children/Youth (5 – 18yrs) in Gaelscoil Adhamhnáin - Song, Prayer, Dance, Games and Pizza. Please phone: 086-2252378 if interested.
- 5.15 pm ~ **Procession** from the Cathedral to the Mass Rock at Rodger's Burn, carrying the statue of Our Lady. Rosary and prayers will be recited.
- 6 pm ~ **Treasure Hunt** at Rodger's Burn
- 7 pm ~ **Mass** will be celebrated at the Mass Rock at Rodger's Burn followed by light refreshments and ice cream. Rodger's Burn is located at the end of the road past Gaelscoil Adhamhnáin (F92PV04), Glencar, Letterkenny and access to Rodgers Burn is by foot ONLY.



**RAPHOE DIOCESAN PILGRIMAGE
TO KNOCK ~ Saturday 17th August.**

The Pilgrimage will be led by Fr. Kevin Gillespie. **Schedule of Ceremonies: 2 pm - Outdoor Stations of the Cross and Rosary Procession; 3 pm - Concelebrated Mass at Knock Basilica with Anointing of the Sick.**

The **SISTERS OF MERCIFUL JESUS** invite you to watch a **MOVIE** about **Divine Mercy “I Trust in You”** on Saturday evening **17th August** from 6 pm – 8 pm. We will pray the Chaplet of Divine Mercy, watch the movie and have tea afterwards. *It would be good to let us know if you can join us.* To do so, or for more information please call us at 074 9169934 or e-mail dvmletterkenny@gmail.com

Donegal Pro Life lunchtime **WITNESS / GATHERING** will be held on **Monday 12th August** from 1 pm - 2 pm at the Letterkenny Hospital Roundabout.

MARINO RESTREPO will hold a **WEEKEND RETREAT** at the Drummond Hotel, Ballykelly, Derry from **Friday 16th - Sunday 18th August**.

Donegal Pro Life **CHURCH GATE COLLECTION** (Countywide) will take place on **Saturday 17th and Sunday 18th August**.

The **Youth 2000 Summer Festival** will take place in Clongowes Wood College, Co. Kildare from **15th - 18th August** for 16 - 35 year olds. There will be a free bus leaving Letterkenny on the 15th August - returning on the 18th August. For more information: visit <https://youth2000.ie/free-buses-to-the-summer-festival-2024/>

FRIENDS OF ARDS FRIARY are organising a **CHURCH GATE COLLECTION** (Countywide) on **Saturday 24th & Sunday 25th August** in aid of the ‘Ards Redevelopment Fund’. Your support would be deeply appreciated

‘FAN THE SPARK’ CONFERENCE for Young Adults (18-40) will take place on **Saturday 24th August** from 9.30 am - 5.30 pm in De Montfort House, Morning Star Avenue, Brunswick St., Dublin. Cost €15. Talks on art, faith, tour of Frank Duff’s House, Mass, Adoration etc. Email: deusetpatria@gmail.com for info.

From **Wednesday 4th September**, we will continue the online **ADULT FAITH FORMATION** programmes on Zoom. This was a great success back in May and there has been increased demand for it from more parishes and parishioners around the Diocese. We will run this on a continuous basis throughout the year exploring various courses. Phone the Diocesan Pastoral Centre on 0749121853 for details.

The **DIOCESAN MASS FOR EXPECTANT FAMILIES** will take place in St. Eunan’s Cathedral on **Thursday 5th September** at 7 pm. Celebrant: Monsignor Kevin Gillespie, Diocesan Administrator. “It was you who created my inmost part and knit me together in my mother’s womb”.

‘SING 550’ ~ To celebrate **Donegal Town’s 550 Anniversary** - 550 singers are invited to a **‘BIG SING EVENT’** in St. Agatha’s Church, Clar on **Sunday 22nd September**. Register interest on Event Brite - sing 550; Registration fee: €5.50. Over 18’s only. No experience necessary- just a love of singing!

The **RCIA** (Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults) for those wishing to be formed for entry to the Catholic Church will begin on **Monday 16th September** at the Pastoral Centre, Letterkenny and will continue each Monday evening for 23 weeks. For further details, please contact Brian at: dpr@raphoediocese.ie or 0749121853.

Sunday 11th August ~ Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Masses: 8 am, 10 am, 12 noon and 6 pm
Baptisms ~ 2.30 pm

Monday 12th August ~ St. Jane Frances de Chantal, religious

8 am Mass ~ Paddy Geoghegan RIP
10 am Mass ~ Gerald and Kathleen Harvey RIP

Tuesday 13th August ~ Ss. Pontian, pope and Hippolytus, priest

8 am Mass ~ John & Elizabeth Bond RIP
10 am Mass ~ Mary Reilly RIP (Month’s Mind Mass)
6 pm ~ Holy Face Devotions

Wednesday 14th August ~ St. Maximilian Kolbe, priest and martyr

8 am Mass ~ Anthony Leavy RIP
10 am Mass ~ Thomas and Margaret Kelly RIP
7 pm ~ Vigil Mass Confessions: After Mass
8 pm ~ Medjugorje Prayer Meeting in the Pastoral Centre

Thursday 15th August ~ Feast of the Assumption

MASS TIMES: 8 am, 10 am, 12 noon
7 pm ~ Mass at Rodger’s Burn
8 pm ~ Charismatic Prayer Group in the Conference Room

Friday 16th August ~ St. Stephen of Hungary

8 am Mass ~ Maura Milligan RIP **10 am Mass** ~ Priest’s Intention RIP
7 pm Mass ~ Sean Hegarty (Month’s Mind Mass), Colette Coyle, Breid McGettigan, Mary Cullen, John Cullen, Bridget McDaid, Dominic McDaid, Danny Cullen, Mary Cullen, Daniel Cullen, Tom Alexander, Anne Alexander, Rosie McDaid, Noel Laughlin, Dessie Laughlin, Jim Laughlin, John Laughlin, Fr. Joe O’Donnell, Patricia McLean and Bridget McLaughlin RIP

Saturday 17th August ~ Our Lady of Knock

10 am Mass ~ John Kilcullen RIP (First Anniversary) **Baptisms ~ 3 pm**
Confessions ~ 12 noon - 1 pm and 7 pm
Vigil Mass ~ 6 pm

Sunday 18th August ~ Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Masses: 8 am, 10 am, 12 noon and 6 pm
Baptisms: 2.30 pm