

Sunday (8th May)

Masses at 7.00 am, 9.30 am, 11.00 am, 12.30 pm and 7.00 pm

6.00 pm Little Way Novena – Opening talk by Bishop McKeown and Devotions

Monday - Friday (9th – 13th May)

Novena Mass at 6.30 am, Mass at 8.00 am and Novena Mass at 10.00 am

12.00 noon The Angelus & Rosary

3.00 pm Divine Mercy Chaplet

7.30 pm Novena Evening Service with guest speaker

Saturday (14th May)

Novena Mass at 10.00 am for all those who have died

Vigil Masses at 6.15 pm and 7.30 pm.



**Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament on
Sunday from 3.00 pm to 6.00 pm and on
Tuesday from 10.30 am to 7.30 pm.**

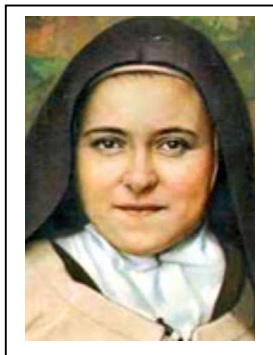
Face Coverings: To ensure the safety and wellbeing of the vulnerable or anxious members of the congregation, St Eugene's Cathedral ask all adults and children aged 14 and over to please wear a face covering at Masses and other liturgical celebrations.

Please continue to observe social distancing, to use the hand sanitiser on entering and leaving the Cathedral.

To join us via webcam in St Eugene's Cathedral by watching our live streaming which can be viewed online at www.churchservices.tv, churchmedia.tv/camera/st-eugenes-cathedral or the parish website at www.steugenescathedral.com.

**The Annual Little Way Novena in honour of St Thérèse of Lisieux
7th to 15th May 2022**

***‘Remember that nothing is small in the eyes of God.
Do all that you do with love’.***



“Miss no single opportunity of making some small sacrifice, here by a smiling look, there by a kindly word; always doing the smallest right and doing it all for love.”

(Extract from a Story of a Soul: The Autobiography of St Thérèse)

The Little Way Novena continues this evening (Sunday, 8th May) at 6.00 pm with Bishop McKeown giving the opening talk during the Devotions.

Monday to Friday, 9th to 13th May, there will be Novena Masses at 6.30 am and 10.00 am each morning and an evening service with a guest speaker at 7.30 pm.

The speakers each evening at the 7.30 pm are as follows:

Monday (9th): Jessica Wade is a Tiglin Evening Service Manager and Outreach worker. She was recently interviewed by Tommy Tiernan on RTE 1.

Tuesday (10th): Keith Fahey played football for Ireland and for Birmingham.

Wednesday (11th): Fr Stephen Quinn, a Carmelite Father from Termonbacca.

Thursday (12th): Archdeacon Robert Millar, a neighbour to the Cathedral.

Friday (13th): Linda Ni Dubhtaigh, a cousin of Blessed Solanus Casey. Blessed Solanus, was a Capuchin in the United States. His parents were from Ireland and he was beatified in Detroit in 2017. Linda will bring a relic of Blessed Solanus.

Saturday (14th) the 10.00 am Mass will be celebrated for all those who have died.

**The Novena Closing Ceremony will take place on Sunday (15th) May
at 3.00 pm with the blessing of roses and candles.**

St Thérèse candles will be on sale at the back of the Cathedral

A short reflection on today's Gospel John 10:27-30

I know my sheep and they follow me.

Today's Gospel is a clear and powerful explication of the relationship we need to have with Jesus if we are to attain eternal life.

Jesus describes himself as The Good Shepherd who knows his sheep and whose sheep know him and follow only him. To truly know someone is to know that person with your mind, with your heart, and with your soul. This is how Jesus wants us to know him. This is how he knows us.

Jesus wants us to hear him, to listen to his words with all of our minds, all of our hearts and all of our souls. To listen to Jesus as he wants us to listen to him is to believe him, to obey him, and to follow only him. It is to follow him with trusting, fearless hearts, in the full knowledge that he is leading us into eternal life. It is to know that he will never abandon us, even when we believe we are lost. It is to know that no power on earth or anywhere else will ever be able to steal us away from his loving care.

Jesus, we thank you for the loving care you take of us. May we always listen to your words and truly hear them. May we always be faithful to you; may we always follow you, only you, in the knowledge that you are leading us safely into Paradise.

Diaconate of Michael McCaul: We pray for our parishioner, Michael who will be ordained deacon in Omagh today (Sunday, 8th May). We also pray for all those whom the Lord has already called and is now calling to priestly service in the diocese of Derry, that they will respond positively to the Good Shepherd's invitation to follow Him in caring for His flock.

The Diocesan Vocations Council are promoting a special Year of Prayer throughout the diocese of Derry. The first step for anyone interested is to speak with their local priest who will put them in touch with Fr Pat O'Hagan, the Diocesan Vocations Director. They may, of course, contact Fr Pat directly at the Parochial House in Moville (Tel: 00353 (0)74-9382057) or email pgoh2111@gmail.com.

Sympathy

We offer our sympathy to the family and friends of:

Catherine Willard-Spencer

Sally Doherty



May they rest in peace.

Anniversaries

Molly Griffin. May she rest in peace.

Baptisms

We welcome as members of God's family

Ciara Nicole Kerr

Grace Anne O'Donoghue

Fiádh-Rose Meehan

Riley Shane McAnenny



Readers for next weekend – 14th/15th May

06.15 pm	Thérèse Ferry
07.30 pm	Majella Coyle
09.30 am	Barry McDaid
11.00 am	McGinley Readers
12.30 pm	Michael Wilson
07.00 pm	Marian Boyle



Sacrament of Marriage

We congratulate

Rachael Toye & Terence Cavanagh

who recently celebrated the Sacrament of Marriage here in St Eugene's Cathedral.



Congratulations to Annette and Eamonn McCallion who recently celebrated their 40th Wedding Anniversary.

Friday at 11.00 am (13th May): Exploring a selection of poems with Mary Murphy livestreamed at www.steugenesacathedral.com and choose the link Cathedral Hall Webcam.



The St Dymphna Mass will be celebrated at 7.30 pm on Tuesday, 17th May and a candle will be lit for everyone who has intentions for the St Dymphna Mass. This Mass is to give thanks to God for positive mental health and to pray for those who are struggling with mental health issues and those who care for them.

FREEDOM FROM ADDICTION

Ireland praying for freedom
from addiction through Jesus at
the shrine of Matt Talbot



Annual Pilgrimage

SUNDAY 12TH
JUNE 2022

2:00pm - 4:30pm

- Matt Talbot's story
- Veneration of relics
- Eucharistic Adoration
- Confession
- Mass

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The Matt Talbot Prayer Society – Praying for those suffering from Addiction: This Prayer Society has been created to pray for people who are suffering from any form of addiction, to pray for those recovering from addiction, and to pray for all those affected by addiction, especially family members. As we know addiction takes many forms from alcohol, drugs, gambling, pornography, to other less acknowledged addictions.

To join the Matt Talbot Prayer Society, you are invited to enrol the name of the person to be prayed for and the addiction we are praying that they will be freed from.

Those enrolled will be prayed for specifically every day by members of the Matt Talbot Prayer Society. Mass will be offered for those enrolled on the first Monday of every month here in St Eugene's Cathedral at 7.30 pm. You will also receive an enrolment card to enable you to join in the prayer.

To enrol someone in the Matt Talbot Prayer Society please phone St Eugene's Cathedral at 028 71262894 or email steugenes@btconnect.com or private message St Eugene's Cathedral Facebook page.





Blessed Carlos Acutis

Blessed Carlo Acutis, an Italian Catholic teenager, was beatified in Assisi, Italy on 10th October 2020. He documented Eucharistic miracles around the world and catalogued them all onto a website that he created himself in the months before his death from leukaemia. Carlo was known for his cheerfulness, his care for others, his computer skills and his deep devotion to the Eucharist, saying it was his “highway to heaven”. There is a display in the Cathedral dedicated to Blessed Carlo Acutis and prayer cards which you are welcome to take.

Fr Farren acknowledges with thanks donations for: **Trócaire:** £10, £40. **Ukraine:** £100. **Matt Talbot Society:** £20. **Pascal Candle:** £10. **Garden of Remembrance:** £10.

Last Week's Collection amount to £4,756.
Parish Development Collection amounted to £847

There is a box at the back of the Cathedral for weekly parish envelopes and contributions for the upkeep of the Cathedral. **Please note cheques should be made payable to St Eugene's Cathedral.**

If you would like to make your weekly envelope contributions by online banking or standing order, please find St Eugene's Cathedral's bank details below:

Account Name:	St Eugene's Church No 1 A/C
Account Number:	55192935
Sorting Code Number:	90-49-74
IBAN:	GB45 BOFI 9049 7455 1929 35
Branch:	Bank of Ireland, 15 Strand Rd, Derry, BT48 7BT

Thank you for your continued support to the parish.



Derry Diocesan Trust

External Job Advertisements for employees and publication in parish bulletin, website, facebook etc

Position	Location	Closing Date
Financial & Administrative Secretary 12 hours per week	Coleraine Parish, Co Derry	11.05.2022
Sacristan & Caretaker 16 hours per week	Ardmore Parish, Derry	11.05.2022

For a job description and application form please:

Write: Personnel, Derry Diocesan Office, St Eugene's Cathedral, Francis Street, Derry, BT48 9AP

Email: payroll@derrydiocese.org Telephone: 028 7126 2302

Derry Diocesan Trust is an Equal Opportunities Employer. We welcome applications from all men and women and from members of all communities.

Foster Care Information Events

Thinking about fostering?

Come along to one of our face to face information events to find out about fostering teenagers. *Everyone welcome.*

Killyhevlin Hotel, Enniskillen

Tuesday 10 May
7.30pm - 8.30pm

Waterfoot Hotel, Derry

Thursday 19 May
7.30pm - 8.30pm

If you would like to attend:

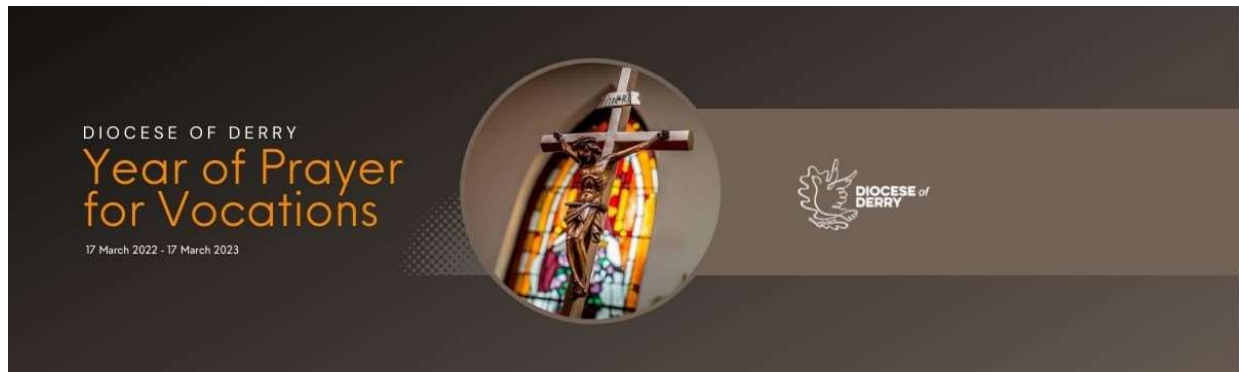
Call us on **0800 0720 137**

or email your name, postcode & tel no. to:

info@fostering.hscni.net

adoptionandfostercare.hscni.net

Sincere thanks from Sister Ann and Gerry Deeney to all who contributed in any way to the very successful Easter Raffle/Fundraiser in aid of vulnerable children and their families in Kenya, India, Chile, Peru, Nigeria and Zambia. Thanks also to the many people who contribute generously throughout the year to the Hunger Box in the Holy Family Church. This Easter we raised £17,532 and €590.



The Diocesan Vocations Council, with the blessing of Bishop Donal McKeown, are promoting a special Year of Prayer throughout the diocese of Derry which began on St Patrick's Day 2022 and will run until 17 March 2023.

The first step for anyone interested is to speak with their local priest who will put them in touch with Fr Pat O'Hagan, the Diocesan Vocations Director. They may, of course, contact Fr Pat directly at the Parochial House in Moville (Tel: **00353 (0)74-9382057**) or email pgoh2111@gmail.com.

DIOCESAN PRAYER FOR VOCATIONS

**God our Father,
you call us by name, and ask us to follow you.
Help us to grow in the love and service of your Church today.
Grant us the courage to embrace Christ's mission of love and justice.
Bless the Church here in the diocese of Derry
by raising up generous and dedicated leaders from among our families and friends,
who will serve your people as Priests, Sisters, Brothers, Deacons and Lay Ministers.
Bless those who have already answered your call
and who are now preparing for service in your Church.
Inspire us to know you better,
and open our hearts and minds to the guidance of your Holy Spirit.
We ask this through Christ our Lord.
Amen.**



*Come as you are...
to a quiet place and rest a while.*

Derry Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lough Derg
 Spiritual Director: Bishop Donal Mc Keown
Friday 24 - Sunday 26 June 2022
 If you are aged 16 + contact
 Derry Diocesan Catechetical Centre
 Tel: + 44 28 71264087 Email: lizzie.rea@derrydiocese.org
 £80 per person (includes transport from Cathedral)

Derry Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes - 3rd to 8th July 2022, (ex Belfast) £689 pp sharing. Places are still available: contact the Pilgrimage Office, 164 Bishop Street, Derry, tel 028 71260293 or email derrypilgrim@outlook.com. All intending pilgrims are asked to return application forms and payment by Saturday, 28th May.

St Vincent de Paul Shop in William Street urgently appeal for donations of clothes for men and footwear.

Lough Derg welcomes Pilgrims again with a full Pilgrimage programme this summer. Three Day Pilgrimage: 1st June to 15th August. Booking advised. One Day Retreats and guided Pilgrim Path experience: dates in May and late August through September. Booking essential. All booking information at www.loughderg.org, email info@loughderg.org or telephone 0(0353) 71 9861518.

The Derry Diocesan Catechetical Centre, working in Partnership with Saint Mary's University, Twickenham, offers the Masters in Catholic School Leadership. This is a post-graduate degree dedicated to the professional development and spiritual formation of Catholic school leaders. It is a great opportunity for those currently in leadership roles and those who aspire to, or have an interest in, leadership roles within the Catholic School system. The Derry Centre to date has 42 graduates and 30 more students at different stages of the programme. **Applications for the Autumn intake close 30th September 2022.** If you require any further information, please contact the Derry Diocesan Catechetical Centre on 004428 71264087 or email tferry@derrydiocese.org.

Accord Catholic Marriage Care Service is currently recruiting volunteers to train as marriage preparation programme facilitators. Accord is seeking registration of interest from those who have a positive attitude towards marriage in the Catholic Church and the enthusiasm to be part of a team supporting couples who are preparing for the Sacrament of Marriage. Successful applicants will receive professional training and will be part of a team delivering marriage preparation programmes locally in accordance with best practice. Contact Deirdre 07980898399 or by email to info@accordni.com. The closing date for receipt of registration of interest forms is Friday 27th May, 2022. Registration of Interest form and additional information about becoming a facilitator is available on www.accordni.com.

C.A.L.M.S. (Community Action for Locally Managing Stress) Mental Health Support Line is offering the following: providing support with anxiety, panic, insomnia, low mood, depression and stress; a listening ear; and relaxation/breathing techniques. The service is available via telephone or zoom free of charge. Tel 079 0704 0568 or 028 71268698 Monday to Friday 10.00 am to 5.00 pm or leave a message out of hours. Visit www.calmsstresscentre.org.

Can't Stop Drinking? Call Alcoholics Anonymous 90351222.

Gamblers Anonymous: Is gambling affecting your life? Gamblers Anonymous can help. Telephone 71351329

Sharing the Good News can be downloaded from the home page of www.catholicbishops.ie.

ACCORD DERRY Virtual Interactive Marriage Preparation Programme (*limited to 15 couples per course*). Booking now online at www.accordni.com

Radio Maria Ireland <https://www.radiomaria.ie/radio-maria-ireland/> is an Irish-run Catholic Talk-Radio Station with commercial-free broadcasting of Prayer, Catechesis, Music, Talks, Interviews and Testimonies.

St Eugene's Cathedral is monitored by CCTV cameras and by two live streaming cameras. Live streaming can be viewed online at www.churchservices.tv or www.watchmcnmedia or the parish website at www.steugenescathedral.com.

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If you have any concerns with regard to Safeguarding children or adults in need of protection within the Church please contact Marie Gormley, the Diocesan Designated Liaison Person (DLP) at 07596 500 793 or email marie.gormley@derrydiocese.org or contact Briege O'Neill, the Safeguarding Coordinator at the Safeguarding Office, Diocesan Pastoral Centre, 164 Bishop Street, Derry, BT48 6UJ, tele (028) 71362475 or email safeguarding@derrydiocese.org or PSNI (Police Service of Northern Ireland) 101 or Social Services: Gateway Services, Western HSC Trust, 71314090 and ask for the Duty Social Worker.