## Sunday (12th June)

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

6.00 pm Benediction

## Monday - Friday (13th to 17th June)

Mass at 8.00 am, 10.00 am and 7.30 pm

12.00 noon The Angelus & Rosary

3.00 pm Divine Mercy Chaplet

8.00 pm Eucharistic Adoration, Rosary followed by Night Prayer

## Saturday (18th June)

Mass at 10.00 am, 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 <a href="https://www.steugenescathedral.com">www.steugenescathedral.com</a>.

#### A short reflection on today's Gospel John 16:12-15

'I still have many things to say to you but they would be too much for you now.'

Today's Gospel invites us to reflect on the doctrine of the Trinity. It is a difficult doctrine for most of us but perhaps it is only by accepting that many things relating to the mystery of God are too much for us to fully understand that we are able to rest peacefully in the knowledge that it is only with the transformation that is the gift of death- the liberation of our souls- that the mystery of God will be revealed to us. In the meantime, we know that God is an infinite outpouring of love for all of creation: a constant flow of unconditional love for us, sinners and saints alike, a never-failing, positive, flowing assurance that He is on our side, completely for us.

We know that God the Son is always with us. Having shared fully in our human condition he is with us through our joys and our sorrows, holding our hand and guiding us through the dark places in our lives.

We know that the Holy Spirit is in us. The Holy Spirit rests in our inviolable souls, our souls that Thomas Merton sees as the precious diamond at the centre of our being. The Holy Spirit is the light-giver, illuminating the truth of Divine Love and reminding us in the pregnant silence of our souls that we belong to that Divine Love.

The Father, the Son, the Holy Spirit, in the Oneness of Divine Love. The rest is silence. We need no more.



The St Dymphna Mass will be celebrated at 7.30 pm on Tuesday, 21st June 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.

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 <a href="mailto:steugenes@btconnect.com">steugenes@btconnect.com</a> or private message St Eugene's Cathedral Facebook page.

Annual Service of Intercession for the Dead takes place in the City Cemetery on Sunday, 26th June at 6.00 pm. Families are asked to bring their own holy water with them to the Cemetery for the blessing of the graves. There will be no holy water in the Cemetery. Derry City & Strabane District Council, Cemeteries Section, have asked, due the large attendance on Cemetery Sunday, that all able bodied people park their vehicles outside the City Cemetery Grounds. John Quinn, Cemeteries Manager, has confirmed that only vehicles displaying a valid disabled badge will have access to the cemetery and urged the public to adhere to a one-way system in place inside the grounds.

#### **Sympathy**

We offer our sympathy to the family and friends of:

**Julie Coyle** 

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**Patsy Doherty** 

May they rest in peace.

#### **Anniversaries**

Grainne Maguire, Justin and Mary Morrow, Malachey Campbell, Hugh and May Bell, Patrick and Rose McCaul. May they rest in peace.

### **Baptisms**

We welcome as a members of God's family

**Taylor Eve Keay** 

**Naoise Lily McGinley** 

Rian John McCormick



#### Readers for next weekend – 18th/19th June

06.15 pm Roisin Rice-Cutter
07.30 pm Liz McMonagle
09.30 am Rosemary Finan
11.00 am Saorlaith Breslin-Deane
12.30 pm Kevin Finan
07.00 pm Marian Boyle

#### **Sacrament of Marriage**

We congratulate

## Aisling Lafferty & Ryan McGarvey;

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#### Joanne Kearney & Ciaran Coyle

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



**Prayer for Vocations:** That the Spirit of Truth will speak to those whom God, who is Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, is calling to serve Him as priests, religious, consecrated virgins or committed lay members of the Church. We pray to the Lord.

We pray God's blessing on Shaun Doherty who will be ordained deacon at the Basilica of St Paul outside the Walls in Rome on Wednesday, 15th June, for service in the diocese of Derry.

"It is to the glory of my Father that you should bear much fruit and then you will be my disciples." Are you being called to love the Lord and His people as a priest, sister or brother? If you are considering such a vocation, speak to Fr Pat O'Hagan, Diocesan Vocations Director, or email the National Vocations Office: info@vocations.ie.

**Silver Jubilee of Ordination to Priesthood:** Fr Paul Farren will celebrate a Mass of thanksgiving at 7.30 pm on Wednesday, 6th July here in St Eugene's Cathedral to celebrate the Silver Jubilee of his Ordination to Priesthood. There will be refreshments afterwards in St Mary's College, Northland Road. All welcome.



#### **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.

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)



Fr Farren acknowledges with thanks donations for: **Trócaire:** €20. **Flowers:** £50. **Upkeep of the Cathedral:** €100. **Cathedral Funds:** 

£25. St Vincent de Paul: £25. Mary's Meals: £25.

## Weekly Collection amounted to £3,915. Parish Development Collection amounted to £928.

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.

**Bishop Daly Exhibition:** St Eugene's Cathedral is holding an exhibition on the life of Bishop Edward Daly in August. As part of the exhibition, we are currently looking for photographs of his time in ministry. In particular we are looking for photographs from his time as chaplain to Foyle Hospice, Pilgrimages which he led and events in St Columb's Hall. If you have any photos that fit these themes, contact Emmet Thompson at St Eugene's Cathedral on 028 71262894 or 028 71365712 or email emmet.thompson@derrydiocese.org.

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. 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.

**Annual Scalp Challenge for CONCERN**. Sunday, 12th July from 2.00 pm. Follow signs from Burnfoot. Weather-appropriate footwear and clothing advised.

Can't Stop Drinking? Call Alcoholics Anonymous 90351222.

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 <a href="www.loughderg.org">www.loughderg.org</a>, email <a href="mailto:info@loughderg.org">info@loughderg.org</a> or telephone 0(0353) 71 9861518.

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

**The Net Newspaper**, the monthly publication sharing the fruits of the faith in our parish communities within the Diocese of Derry and beyond, is now available to view at https://www.derrydiocese.org/news/the-net-may-2022

Sharing the Good News can be downloaded from the home page of <a href="www.catholicbishops.ie">www.catholicbishops.ie</a>.

ACCORD DERRY Virtual Interactive Marriage Preparation Programme (limited to 15 couples per course). Booking now online at <a href="https://www.accordni.com">www.accordni.com</a>

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

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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 <a href="marie.gormley@derrydiocese.org">marie.gormley@derrydiocese.org</a> 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.