

PARISH OF GRANAGHAN

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31st Sunday in Ordinary Time

SYMPATHY

We offer our sympathy
to the family and friends of
FERGAL McFLYNN
who has died recently
May he rest in peace.



SICK AND HOUSEBOUND

will be attended

on THURSDAY 7th NOVEMBER

November Lists -

Remembering our beloved deceased

November is the month during which we remember and pray for our dead. One traditional devotion is the November Lists. Mass is offered daily during the month of November for all our deceased loved ones whose names we have written on our November lists.

A box for your lists is in the sanctuary.

Deceased Children & Young People's Mass: The Annual Mass for deceased children and young people will take place in St Eugene's Cathedral, Derry, next Sunday, 10 November, at 7:00pm. There will be an opportunity to write down the name of your deceased loved one before Mass. All are welcome to attend. You can also join this Mass live on the St Eugene's Cathedral webcam. If you are unable to attend this Mass but would like to have a child/young person remembered at it, please email the name to lizzie.rea@derrydiocese.org by Friday 8 November.

Trócaire School Volunteers: Are you a retired teacher or someone who has experience presenting to groups of school children? Do you have a passion for making this world a better place, especially for the most vulnerable? Trócaire is looking for volunteers to support our 2025 Lent Appeal in the Derry Diocese. If you think you have the right skills and experience and will be available to help during school hours over Lent, then we would love to hear from you. Full training and ongoing support will be provided. For more information, please call Naomi Purnell on 028 9080 8033 or email naomi.purnell@trocaire.org.

An Carn: Fused Glass Clock Workshop: Create your very own unique and colourful wall clock. Thursday 7th Nov, 6.30 - 9.30pm. Cost: £55

Drumnaph Nature Reserve Tree Therapy: Throughout this experience, you will learn about beliefs surrounding the sentience of trees, explore tree chakras using dowsing rods, and engage in guided meditations. Sat 9th Nov, 10.30am (duration approx. 2.5 hours). Cost: £20
Booking & information www.ancarn.org/whats-on

St Vincent De Paul Helpline:

Tel: 07927900310

MASS for Deceased Members

of Eimead GAC Sleacht Neill

on Wed 6th Nov 7.30pm in Slaughtneil Hall.

Refreshments afterwards. Names of Deceased within the last 12 months will be included. Anyone else wishing to include their loved one can bring a candle to be placed at front of the hall.

Pioneer Pledge for the month of the Holy Souls: A short-term pledge gives spiritual support and encouragement to people and their families who are living under a shadow of addiction. Contact the Pioneer Total Abstinence Association on 003531 805 4226 or via www.pioneers.ie/pray

"Dilexit nos - He loved us" - Encyclical of Pope Francis: Prayers and Reflections based on "the Human and the Divine Love of the Heart of Jesus Christ" are available on www.pioneers.ie. They have been prepared for Pioneers, Parish groups, Families, AA / NA groups

Tuistí is Tachráin/ Parent and Toddler Group

Mondays 09.30-11.00am (starting Nov 4th)

Where? Náiscoil Ghreanacháin @ Michael Davitt's GAC, Swatragh

£3 per adult. Free for children. Refreshments provided.

Fáilte roimh chách/ Everyone welcome.

GRANAGHAN AND DISTRICT WOMEN'S GROUP:

This week (beginning Monday November 4th) sees the start of our last block of Morning yoga, Morning Pilates, Chair-based Pilates and Evening Yoga which will take us up to mid-December. Although all our activities are over-subscribed, it is definitely worth getting on to our Waiting Lists as a place often becomes available, when least expected.

Contact our secretary, Ann McNicholl or any committee member. The focus on our Morning Pilates this half term will be enhancing bone and muscle strength using our new weights equipment.

Swatragh in Bloom - Celebration

Friels Bar & Restaurant

Saturday 9th November 9.30am- 11.30am

Celebrating - Most Improved village/town in Northern Ireland 2024.

Join us for complimentary, tea, coffee, breakfast baps & treats as a thank you for your hard work and effort.

Everyone welcome - see you there



Weekly Collection: £1,661

Additional Missions: £163