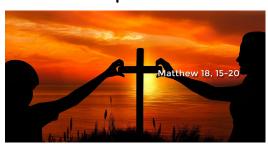
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10th September 2023



23rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

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MONTH'S MIND MASS For EAMONN McMAHON R.I.P. On SATURDAY 16th SEPTEMBER At 7.00pm



SICK AND HOUSEBOUND will be attended on

Wednesday 13th September.

Prayer for Vocations: This weekend we pray as a diocesan family for Stephen Ward who will be ordained priest for the diocese in Christ the King Church, Omagh, at 3pm today (Sunday). We pray also for our two seminarians who have completed their introductory year and will begin their formal studies in Rome and Maynooth this month, and for the four men who are applying to study for the diocese this year.

EMMET'S GAC SLAUGHTNEIL DEVELOPMENT UPDATE SUNDAY 10TH SEPTEMBER 6.30PM ALL WELCOME



An Carn Classes

<u>Dianchúrsa Gaeilge - Irish Language Intensive Course for Adults -</u> During this one day course there will be 4 levels available catering for all abilities of Irish speaker, form complete beginner to fluent speaker. Date:

Saturday 16th September. Time 10am - 3pm. Cost £20 (includes lunch). Limited places. Must be booked by Wednesday 13th September.

<u>Ciorcal Comhrá - Irish Language Conversation Circle</u> <u>2023</u> - Are you interested in using your Irish more

regularly and developing your skills in the spoken language? Join us for our Conversation Circle every week in An Croí. Dates: Starting Thursday 21st September. Break 26th October & 2nd November. Time 10.30 - 11.30am. Cost: Free.

<u>Irish Classes for Adults - Autumn 2023</u> - There will be a class for every level and there will be 7 levels (depending on demand). This course is specially designed to bring learners step by step from scratch to fluency, and it will be delivered by our team of qualified

experienced teachers. Register by

Wednesday 20th September. Dates: 25th September – 11th December (midterm break on 30th October). Time 7.30pm – 9pm. Cost: £30 (Concessionary rate £25)

Registration online ONLY. Booking & information www.ancarn.org/whats-on

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Weekly Collection: £1,165 Priest's Collection: £1,652 Trees: £150

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Just to confirm, our fabulous Thursday morning Pilates with Elaine will re-start on

September 28th at the usual time of 9:30 am. If you are not already booked in, simply contact Roisin Turner or Mary Mullin to enquire about availability.

The relic of Blessed Carlo Acutis will visit St Eugene's Cathedral, Derry on Thursday 14 September 2023.

Programme for the Day:

- 9.30am Arrival of Relic to St. Eugene's Cathedral
- 10.00am Mass with Bishop Mc Keown, Archbishop Sorrentino and Monsignor Figueiredo
- 12 noon Rosary in the Cathedral
- · 3.00pm Divine Mercy Chaplet
- 4.00pm Benediction followed by Closing ceremony and farewell.

There will be an opportunity to be blessed with the relic. Also, there will be an exhibition of Blessed Carlo's life on display in the Cathedral Hall. Everyone is welcome.

Safeguarding Mass Friday 15 September at 7.30 pm in St Eugene's Cathedral, Derry.

The Annual Safeguarding Mass is a chance to shine a light on what our Diocese is doing to make our parish communities and our places of worship safe environments. Protecting children and adults at risk is at the heart of the Church's message.

This year's Safeguarding Mass takes place on Friday 15th September 2023 @ 7:30pm in St Eugene's Cathedral, Derry.

We want to thank everyone who is doing this vital ongoing work and taking part in this year's

Safeguarding Mass to raise awareness of the importance of safeguarding in their church and community.

We also want to take this opportunity to thank and pray for those who have stepped up to coordinate safeguarding in our church so we can protect children and adults at risk together.

We believe that safeguarding is an outworking of our faith in a loving and just God - the God who calls us to speak up on behalf of those who cannot speak for themselves and to defend the rights of the vulnerable (Proverbs 31:8)