

The Sunflower Field - Mullaghboy Road

*Come and walk through our Sunflower field.
Open daily weather permitting.
All Proceeds in aid of Marie Curie.*



"From an Island to an Island" Journeying from Lavey to Newfoundland

Stories, poems, singing and much more

**Sunday 13th September
in Lavey Club at 7.30pm**

All Donations in aid of Lavey Parish.
Come along for a night of entertainment!

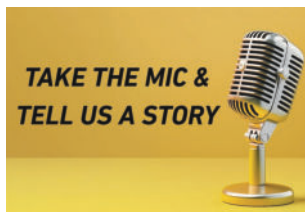
ICE-CREAM SUNDAY 2026

Our Ice-Cream Sunday raised an amazing
£4,662.12 & 70 Euros towards the Parish.

A special thanks goes to the club committee
for the use of the club and their help during
the weekend.

Thank you to the generous sponsors and the willing volunteers,
without their dedication and hard work the event would not have
been possible.

Our finally thank you goes to you all the parishioners and visitors
who attended and gave so generously.



QUEEN'S UNIVERSITY CHAPLAINCY
reopens for the new academic year on
Monday 14th September, with weekday
Masses and our semester programme. **The
first Sunday Mass will be celebrated on
20th September at the new, earlier time of
7.00pm.** Please note the new time!

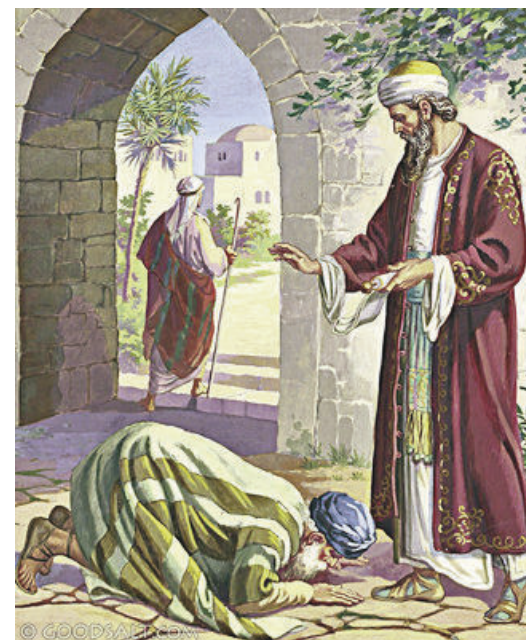


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Jesus said: **(Forgive each other) "Not seven times, I tell you, but seventy-seven times."** The old film *Love Story* had the famous statement in it: **"love means never having to say sorry"**. The truth is just the opposite. Love means constantly having to say sorry because that is the nature of close relationships.

Forgiveness is a vital element in love because unforgiveness roots us in the past and in past events and experiences. Jesus' word to us this week is to exercise and develop this power, especially within the intimate relationships of marriage and family so that our homes may be filled with peace and joy. This takes time and effort on the part of everyone. This power also needs to be exercised within the faith community, which can so easily be divided by hurts or by rivalries or past histories. And at this time of scandals in the Church, forgiveness is needed if we are ever to move forward with hope.

Father Johnny Doherty, C.Ss.R.

MASS SCHEDULE

Monday 14th September	9.15 am Mass
Wednesday 16th September	9.15 am Mass
Thursday 17th September	9.15 am Mass
Friday 18th September	9.15 am Mass

*Adoration will begin after morning Mass
and conclude at 5.00 pm.*

25th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Saturday 19th September	5:15 pm - 5:45 pm - Confessions 6:00 pm Mass
	<i>Anniversary Mass for Patrick McCrystal</i>
Sunday 20th September	9:00 pm Mass
	<i>Anniversary Mass for Gerard Darragh</i>
	11:00 am Mass
	<i>1st Anniversary Mass for Nan McKenna</i>

As Bishop Router prepares to be installed as our new Bishop next Sunday 20th September, please remember him in your daily prayers.

God, eternal shepherd, you tend your Church in many ways and rule us with love.

You have chosen your servant, Michael, to be shepherd of your flock in the Diocese of Derry.

Give him a spirit of courage and right judgment, a spirit of knowledge and love.

By governing with fidelity those entrusted to his care, may he build your Church as a sign of salvation for the world.

Amen.



Sunday 13th September - 24th Sunday in Ordinary Time

SACRAMENTAL DATES FOR 2027

SACRAMENT OF CONFIRMATION

Wednesday 14th April at 3.00 pm
Chief Celebrant: Bishop Router

FIRST CONFESSIONS

Wednesday 28th April at 7.00 pm

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION

Saturday 5th June at 12 Noon



Eucharistic Adoration - The Derry Diocese is renewing and developing its Diocesan Adoration Lay Committee in order to increase the practice of Eucharistic Adoration in parishes in the diocese. **You are welcome to attend an Information Meeting on Wed 30th Sept, 8.00pm, in The Drummond Hotel, Ballykelly.** Registration and refreshments from 7.30pm.

Eucharistic Adoration

Fund for Retired Priests Collection

Next weekend **Sunday 20th September** there will be a special collection for our Retired Priests. The Retired Priests Fund enables the Diocese of Derry to care for clergy in their retirement, most of whom remain very active in helping out with parish ministry. **Please use the special envelope for this collection.**

Caring
FOR OUR RETIRED PRIESTS

Parish Collections: 6th September

Weekly: **£823.00**

Building: **£870.00**

Loose Coin: **£590.70**

Thank you for your continued support!



**Ranganna Gaeilge
Irish Language Classes**

Beginning

Tuesday 22nd September

Mayogall Hall

7:30-9:00pm

Beginner class Tutor: Edward Gribben

Intermediate class Tutor: Rónán O'Donnell

12 week block

£50

Wednesday 23rd September

Lavey Termoneeny Centre

10:30-11:30 am

Tutor: Edward Gribben

12 week block

£50

Registration for Tuesday class

Online @leamhaighlegaeilge

Monday 14th September at 7:30pm

Registration for Wednesday Class

In person @Lavey Termoneeny Centre

Monday 14th September at 7:30pm