

17th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



ST BRIDGET'S CHURCH

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DONATION OF INCOME TAX RELIEF TO CHARITIES -

Please remember to return all completed forms to **Fr Adrian** in the Sacristy or the Parochial House. Any Questions or help needed just ask.

UPCOMING EVENTS IN ST BRIDGET'S CHURCH.

Graveyard Sunday takes place next Sunday 2nd Aug at 11.00am.

Mass will be outdoors weather permitting. **Please remember to take your own Holy Water. SEE POSTER IN ADDITIONAL NEWS.**

RAPHOE DIOCESAN PILGRIMAGE TO KNOCK.

will take place on Saturday the 15th of August 2026. The main celebrant is Bishop Niall Coll. His talk is titled **"Our Lady: A Quiet Shelter of God's Love."**

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DONEGAL FAMILY CARERS. Are you feeling overwhelmed, have a query or simply want to discuss your caring role? Family Carers Ireland are running 1.1 support clinics remotely every Tuesday for the months of July and August. These clinics offer you a space and time talk over the phone in the comfort of your own home. To Book Call/text 0868363842 or email Donegalcs@familycarers.ie

MARY'S MEALS. Mary's Meals are happy to announce the launch of their sponsored walk, Step by Step to Feed the Next Child. They have eight walks across Ireland, starting on 7 August and all arriving in Knock, Co Mayo on 15 August. The Donegal Mary's Meals Group will begin their walk in Malin Town. You are invited to join in any part of the walk. Mary's Meals are providing food for over three million children every school day, bringing great hope for the future. Mary's Meals are looking for walkers, collectors, supporters and drivers. We are holding a meeting in the Pastoral Centre, Letterkenny to organise the walk on Sunday 26 July at 7pm and we would love to see you there.

ENCOUNTER SCHOOL OF MINISTRY COURSE is launching in All Saints Church, Newtowncunningham in September. This course draws from the richness of our Catholic heritage as we seek to teach, equip, and activate disciples to demonstrate the love of God, we are hosting a Zoom Q&A session on Thursday 6th August from 8 - 9pm. If you wish to attend this session, please email donegal@encounterschool.org.

Laghey-Ballintra Senior Citizen's Summer Outing - Thur 6th Aug. Will take place on Thur 6th Aug 2026, which will include the **Waterbus @ 1.15pm, Meal & Dancing after in Central Hotel.** €25.00 per person. To book ring MARGARET on 087- 1184117, **SEE POSTER IN ADDITIONAL NEWS.**

LAGHEY COMMUNITY PARK - PRIDE OF PLACE AWARDS.

Congratulations to the local community in Laghey for being nominated for The Pride of Place Awards 2026. Best of luck with Judging Day on Thurs the 30th at 2.00pm. Everyone is invited to join us as there will be Music and entertainment for Kids and a cup of Tea afterwards. **POSTER'S IN ADDITIONAL NEWS.**

PRAYER for the 17th SUNDAY in ORDINARY TIME.

"O God, protector of those who hope in you, without whom nothing has firm foundation, nothing is holy, multiply in us your mercy, that, under your graceful guidance, we may so pass through good things eternal that we may not lose the things that are eternal".

06.30pm SATURDAY 25TH JULY.

DENIS TRAVERS, JAMES, JOHN, MARY-BRIDGET, MARGARET CUNNINGHAM. ENA & JOHN UNDERWOOD & ANNE SHEPARD. PHILOMENA COUGHLIN BARRY KILPATRICK.

11.00am. SUNDAY 26TH JULY.

ANN & JIM GOLDEN
MARY McNAMEE.

10.00am MONDAY 27TH JULY.

MASS

10.00am TUESDAY 28TH JULY.

MASS

10.00am WEDNESDAY 29TH JULY.

MASS & ADORATION.

10.00am THURSDAY 30TH JULY.

MASS

10.00am FRIDAY 31ST JULY.

MASS

06.30pm SATURDAY 1ST AUG.

EVELYN, BERNARD, DOLORES & THOMAS DEVANNEY - **1st Anniv.** ANNE HILLEY, SISSY, PADDY & ANN MARIE McGLINCHEY & DECEASED MEMBERS OF THE McGLINCHEY.

11.00am SUNDAY 2ND AUG.

GRAVEYARD SUNDAY.

DESSIE McDAID.
MARGARET & PATSY McGRANE.

WE PRAY FOR OUR DEAD,

We Pray for all our

DEAD and for all

those whose

Anniversaries

occurs around this time.

REST IN PEACE.

SIGNED MASS CARDS.

Signed Mass Cards / Bouquets will be available now at the Sacristy and Parochial House. Stipend €10.

MASS INTENTIONS;

From now on only three Anniversary Masses will be offered on Saturday & Sunday Masses. Please book your Masses early.

PARISH COLLECTIONS

A big thank you to everyone who continues to support the parish.

Contributions can be made in the normal way or they can be made electronically:

Bank: **Bank Ireland, Donegal.**

Acc name: **Drumholm RC Parish;**

Account No: 27936239;

IBAN: IE50BOFI90483527936239.

BIC: BOFII E2D

If electronic payments please include your name and the envelope number.

Collection - €1,500.00