

PARISH OF AGHALURCHER

Sunday 11th May 2025
Day of Prayer for Vocations

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Parish Mass Times - Holy Cross: Monday 10am - Lay Led Liturgy
Tuesday 7pm
Wednesday & Thursday 10am
Sunday 11am
St. Mary's: Friday 5.30-6.55pm(Adoration) 7pm - Lay Led Liturgy
Saturday 6pm

Livestreaming: www.churchservices.tv/lisnaskea
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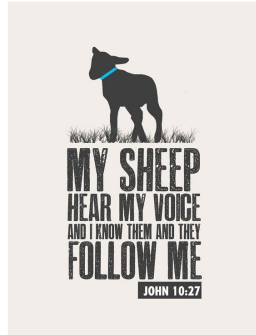
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Parish Radio can be accessed for Holy Cross at 90.1FM & St. Mary's at 90.6FM

Parish Office Tel. 028 67721088 (Monday-Thursday: 2-6pm; Friday 10.30am-1pm)

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Anniversary Mass Intentions

HOLY CROSS

Sunday 11th May

- 11.00am:** • Margaret and John Connolly, Drumeer, Maguiresbridge
• Marie Flynn, Rathowen
• Patrick & Mary Melanophy and their son Raymond and deceased family, Castlebalfour Park.

Monday 12th May

- 10.00am:** • Lay Led Liturgy

Tuesday 13th May - Novena Mass to St. Peregrine for all the sick.

- 7.00pm:** • Lisa McEneaney, 30 Drumhaw Park
• Sean, Winnie & Paddy McCaffrey and deceased family members, Main Street
• Dympna Ingram, Sylvan Hill.

Wednesday 14th May - St. Matthias, Apostle - Feast

- 10.00am:** Private Intention.

Thursday 15th May

- 10.00am:** • Hugh & Maisie Monaghan and deceased family members, Carrowshee Park
• John & Elizabeth Ryan, Moughley, their daughters Patricia, Alma & Joan & their grand-daughter Jacqueline.

Sunday 18th May

- 11.00am:** • Mary & Joe Corken and Charlotte Sherry and deceased members of the Corken family
• Brian & Elizabeth Breslin, Crocknane
• Peadar, Molly and Peter Phair, Keady.

ST. MARY'S

Saturday 10th May

- 6.00pm:** • For the people of the parish.

Friday 16th May

5.30pm - 6.55pm: Eucharistic Adoration **7.00pm:** Lay Led Liturgy.

Saturday 17th May

- 6.00pm:** • Frances & Dermot McManus, Innisrooske
• John & Catherine McElroy, Drumeer Road, Maguiresbridge
• The Curry, Hannigan & Bannon families.



You are asked to pray for John Markey, Derryadd and Tony Feely, Garrison. **May John and Tony now Rest in Peace.**

Vocations Sunday: The Fourth Sunday of Easter is known as Vocations Sunday or Good Shepherd Sunday and is marked as the World Day of Prayer for Vocations. The purpose of this day is to fulfil Jesus' instruction to "Pray the Lord of the harvest to send labourers into his harvest" (Matthew 9:38). While appreciating all vocations, the Church concentrates her attention on raising up shepherds for God's people - vocations to Holy Orders (the priesthood and diaconate) and to the religious life - while encouraging all who are discerning their vocation to pray more earnestly that they may hear and respond to God's call.

The Rosary will be recited before 10am Mass on Wednesdays & Thursdays during May.

The Vocations Society of St. Joseph - Annual Retreat on Vocations Sunday, 11th May in the Parish Centre commencing at 2pm and finishing with Mass at 4.45pm. The Retreat will be led by Fr. Enda O'Callaghan a Priest of the Jesuit Community based in Galway.

Faith and Light are travelling to Knock on Sat 17th May. The bus will be leaving Lisnaskea Fire station at 9am sharp. Our Special Friends will travel free and the cost for others travelling will be £15 per person. If anyone wishes to join us, please contact Kate on 07792251079.

Clogher Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes 2025 will take place 4-9 July 2025. Price €1050.00 or Sterling Equivalent excluding travel insurance. Price includes flights, full board accommodation/meals, Transfer from designated places throughout the Diocese to/from Airport. Assisted Pilgrim price: €975 To book Pilgrim Places; Contact John Hueston, Lisnaskea. Tel: 028 677 24329 or download booking form from www.lourdes2clogher.com

Family Fun Day: Keep free Sunday 15th June for our annual family fun day.

Parish Contributions

4th May

First Sunday: £1500.84 & €15

Offertory: £360 & €5

Many thanks for your continuous generosity.

We welcome into the Christian Community Kornelia Duczynska who was baptised in St. Mary's last weekend.

This weekend at all Masses the parish Pastoral Team will be offering a Prayer Sponsor to accompany all our young people doing examinations at this time. We are asking that you collect the invitation and return it for next weekend so that we can invite the congregation to take those names and pray for you during this time.

Trócaire Lenten Collection 2025 has amounted to £8681.14. Many thanks to all who have contributed so generously again this year. If you have yet to make your Trócaire donation please do so this week so we can forward the total contribution to aid those in need.

May Novena continues to Tuesday 13th May in St. Joseph's Church, Monaghan. Rosary at 7pm followed by Mass at 7.30pm. Special Mass on Sunday the 11th May at 2pm for the sick.

Vocations Society of St Joseph (SJYPS) monthly Meeting will be held in St Ronan's Parish Centre on Wednesday 14th May at 7 30pm. Everyone welcome. This Sunday is Vocations Sunday and we would ask you all to pray for Vocations to the Priesthood and to remember the Priests who are already working so hard in our Diocese. Pick up a Vocations Prayer in our churches. It is that time of year again when our Promoters will be visiting homes in the Parish for your Annual Donations. We thank you for your generosity in the past and look forward to receiving the same generosity this year.

Knowing and Living our Catholic Faith: Adult Studies in the Catechism of the Catholic Church Pilgrimage to Knock on Saturday, 31st May. Tel 0035387 7950325.

The Art of Life a series of 6 workshops for those aged 55+, exploring life through clay and voice. Tuesday mornings from 27 May-1 July at Corranny Forest Pottery Studio, Roslea - no experience needed, all welcome. Tel: 079 3367 4007 to book.

Exam Prayer

Help me, not only with this test, but the many tests of life that are sure to come my way, and be gracious with what I have overlooked. Help me to remain focused and calm, confident in the facts and in my ability, and firm in the knowledge that no matter what happens today you are there with me.

This week's bulletin has been sponsored in memory of the McCaffrey family.