

Parish of Malin (Clonca) Sunday 19th February 2017
Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time (Year A – Psalter Week 2)

Fr Devlin P.P. Fr Charley Logue C.C.

Mass Times

Malin

Malin Head

St. Patrick's Church - Saturday 6pm Sunday

10:30am

074 93 70615

074 93 70134

Star of the Sea Church - Saturday 8pm

Sunday 12 noon

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St. Mary's Church - Sunday 9am

Weekday Masses:

St. Patrick's Church, Aughaclay:

Monday and Tuesday at 10am

Malin Oratory:

Friday at 10am

Star of the Sea Church, Malin Head:

No Mass

St. Mary's Church, Lagg:

No Mass

Feast Day: Wednesday 22nd February: *The Chair of St Peter, apostle*

Saints Days: Tuesday 21st February: *St. Peter Damian* Thursday 23rd February: *St. Polycarp*

Anniversary Mass: Mary and Denis Doherty (Dick), Keenaugh, Malin Head on Sunday 26th February at 9am in St. Mary's Church.

Month's Mind Mass: Claire Lynch, Culkeeney on Sunday 5th March at 9am in St Mary's Church, Lagg.

Month's Mind Mass: Kathleen McGrory, Wicklow, on Sunday 12th March at 9am in St Mary's Church, Lagg.

Confessions: Saturday in St. Patrick's Church, 5.15pm - 5.45pm and Star of the Sea Church at 7.15pm -7.45pm.

Collections for last week: *Thank You.*

	Aughaclay	Lagg	Malin Head
Parish	557	200	290
Restoration	558	200	290

Parish Fund –	€1,047
Restoration Fund –	€1,048

Continuous Prayer: This Monday 20th February (continuing on the 20th on each month) many people in our parish have committed themselves to a specific hour of prayer for marriage and family life in such a way that the whole day and night are covered. Everyone is invited to join in this prayer, either by taking on an hour, or by including this intention in your own prayer during Monday. The one thing we can and need to do today as a parish community is to honour and support all those couples who are married among us. As part of their commitment to one another we, as a community, have committed ourselves to them to recognise their special grace for the Church and for the world. We would like to thank all of you who have already taken on an hour of prayer for that day and extend an invitation to others who may wish to participate. Please contact any member of our Clergy or Pastoral Council for more information.

Adoration Prayer Group: Adoration in the Oratory every Friday beginning Friday 24th February, from 10am to 6pm. Thanks to all those who have signed up. Everyone is welcome to attend at any suitable time.

Malin Parish Pastoral Council: meeting at 8pm on Monday 20th February in Emmaus, Drumcarbit.

The Annual Diocesan Lourdes Hospitalité collection last week raised €895. Thank you.

Annual Divine Mercy Conference 25/26th February. Held at the RDS. It will be streamed live again this year to the Plaza Buncrana. Doors open on Saturday 25th February at 9am. As in previous years confessions on Sat. 2:45pm and Mass on Sat. & Sun. on site. Light refreshments. See Divine Mercy website for speakers and timetable. Phone: 087 291 3187/ 07493 62444.

First Confession for children of Scoil Naomh Mhuire, Malin Head, and Scoil Urblereagh, Urblereagh on Tuesday 14th March at 7pm in St. Mary's Church and for Scoil Treasa Naofa and Scoil Cholmcille at 7pm in St Patrick's Aughaclay on same date.

KNOCK-NEW YORK PILGRIMAGE: Knock Shrine will lead a historic pilgrimage to New York from 8-14th May 2017. Flight-only tickets are now available; price €599 (incl. taxes and charges). Direct flight from Ireland West Airport. Full packages are also available which include flights, accommodation and itinerary. Contact Joe Walsh Tours for more information (01) 241 0800 or email: bronwyn.clinton@joewalshstours.ie or visit website: <https://www.knockshrine.ie/newyork/> for details.

Parish Draw: There will be collectors at all masses this weekend to enable anyone who wishes to join the draw. Another way to join is to contact either Priest with your details which will be added to an existing promoter list.

VOCATIONS INFORMATION DAY: Ardstraw House, Bunrana Road, Derry. SATURDAY 18th MARCH 2017, 11am - 4pm. To confirm attendance please contact Father Paul Farren, Diocesan Vocations Director, ddcc@derrydiocese.org, 028 7126 4087.

Derry Youth Community: Are you between 18-25 years of age? Are you interested in a Gap Year experience with a difference, from September 2017-June 2018? Is faith an important part of your life? Are you attracted to the ideal of service to others? Would you like to live in community for one year in a fine house situated in the heart of Derry City (Northern Ireland) and serve the needs of young people in the Derry Diocese? If you have answered, "Yes," to the above questions, more information is available on www.derryyouthcommunity.com or emmet.thompson@derrydiocese.org

Caring for our Environment: Inspired by Pope Francis' letter *Laudate Si* and working with Trocaire, some lay people in our diocese have formed a group to explore what our community can do to improve our environment, "our common home". One suggestion has been to plant trees, since this can be a tangible sign that instead of "destroying the biological diversity of God's creation" we are aware of the preciousness of our earth. See the charity: www.onemilliontreesinoneday.com for details.

Thornhill Ministries Lenten Programme: *'Lent from the Inside'*: Five thought-provoking retreat days to help sense where I am on life's journey. Thursdays 10:30 am - 2:30 pm beginning 9th March. *'Into the Twilight'*: An oasis for silent meditation - beyond words Mondays 6:00 pm - 7:00 pm beginning 6th March. *'Opening to the Word'*: Allowing the Lenten Word of God to find a place in your heart. Tuesdays 10:30 am - 11:45 am beginning 7th March. Thornhill House, 121 Culmore Road, Derry. To book, please phone 028 7135 1233, e-mail thornhillministries@derrydiocese.org, www.thornministries.co.uk or Facebook.

Cursillo will hold two "3-day Weekends" at the Carmelite Retreat Centre in Termonbacca, Derry. The men's weekend will run from Thursday 23rd until Sunday 26th Feb; the women's weekend will run from Thursday 9th until Sunday 12th March. These are residential weekends. For further information please contact 07708066939 or 07841100174.

Malin Bingo is held in St Patrick's Hall, Malin every Sunday night at 8.30pm. The winners for Sunday 12th February, are: €65: Anne Sperrin, Carndonagh. €130: Teresa Duffy, Merville; Denise Mc Candless, Malin Head; Maura Lynch, Merville; Carmel Mc Laughlin, Culdaff. Snowball: €500 on 46 numbers; €300 on 48 numbers.

Nazareth House Fahan - Development Lotto Draw: is home to 46 people currently and we have been carrying out essential fire safety and refurbishment works over the last year and we have lots more to do. Thank you most sincerely to everyone who has given so generously organised events and made donations. Work is ongoing on the Garden which we expect will be completed in late spring. However, we urgently needs to upgrade Electrical, Mechanical and Heating systems, install a new generator and refurbish bedrooms to create a home from home environment. Our goal is €500,000 to complete this work. Nazareth House needs funds to carry out this ambitious programme and so we are now launching the Development Lotto Draw. The Lotto is a weekly draw and tickets cost €2 each and can be purchased on line at thenazarethcarefund.com/fahanlotto/ or in various shops and premises locally and in Nazareth House Fahan. The first draw on Wed 15th March and the Jackpot is €1,000. If there are no Jackpot winners, then, Match 3 winners will win or share €100 each. See local press for full details etc. Contact: Helen on fundraising@nazarethcare.com or 087 241 5896 OR Sr. Bernadette 074 93 60113

Scoil Cholmcille, Glengad are having a Clothing Collection this Monday morning 20th February. If you have old/unused clothing, shoes bags etc. they can be leaved in the school. We are also Collecting Sainsbury Tokens.

Community Sports Field Draw The jackpot was not won in the Malin Head Community Sports Field Draw for Sunday 12th February. Bonus winner was Angela Carr, Bree, Malin Head, with numbers drawn: 2,3,5,7,1,6,4 with ticket number 5. Next week's jackpot is €3100.

Malin Parish Draw 1. €200: Sheila Crua, Glengad. 2. €130: James Gallagher, Ballygorman. 3. €65: Annie Duffy, Bunn.

Malin Head Community Centre: Dr. Devlin will be at the centre (surgery) on Friday 24th February at 10.15am.

Malin Head Defibrillator Group has been established for 10 years. The group would like to invite you to their open night on 27th March at 7:30pm in the Community Hall. Would you know what to do if someone collapsed, had a stroke or a cardiac arrest? If the answer is No...!!why don't you come along to our open night. Just having one member of a family who knows what to do could save a life. Come along meet the group and have a cuppa. There will be surprise guests on the night. See you there.

Classes at Malin Head Community Centre: NEW BEGINNERS COMPUTER COURSE starting Wed 1st March 10am-1pm (2 places left) this course is FREE and funded by ETB. **Monday:** Whist at 8.30pm. Art and Craft for children aged 4-7: 5pm-6pm & 6pm-7pm: aged 7+ **Tuesday:** 9.30am-10.30am: BOX FITT (Boxing exercise class; pop in for a session €5) Contact Aidan 083 8226527. Patchwork/Sewing Programme in collaboration with IDP (Changemakers Project) with Bernie Webster (lecturer at NWRC) 14th Feb - 21st March 10am-12pm €14. NEW MEMBERS WELCOME. This is a fantastic opportunity to learn new skills. After-School Club 5pm-6.30pm. Yoga 7pm-8pm. **Wednesdays:** Irish Dancing for kids: 6.30pm-8pm. Set Dancing: 8.30pm-10.30pm. Kids Drama: 7.45pm-8.45pm. Heritage Group: every 2nd Wed 7pm-9pm. **Thursday:** Lunch Club at Northern Bites 12pm-2pm (new members welcome). **Friday:** 9.30am-10.30am: BOX FITT (one off session: €5). Youth Club: 8pm-11pm. **Saturday:** *No gymnastics classes on 25th February. The next 6 week block of gymnastics classes 4th March-8th April costs €35 and must be paid before 3rd March. **Opening Hours** for the Centre is: Mon to Thurs: 9am -5.30pm and Friday: 9am-4.30pm. For further details, Facebook page, website www.malinheadcommunity.ie or phone 0749370478. **Parents and Toddlers:** A chance to meet up in Malin Head NS every Thursday morning from 10.30am-12pm. Just drop in!

Malin GAA Underage Training Times: The Under 6's fundamentals sessions are held every Sunday at 10:00-11:15am. The Under 8's Boys training sessions are held every Saturday at 3:00-4:15pm. The Under 10's Boys training sessions are held every Sunday at 11:30-12:45pm. The Under 12's Boys training sessions are held every Friday at 6:15-7:30pm. The Under 14's Girls training sessions are held every Wednesday at 5:15-6:15pm New players are always welcome.

Our Know Your Parish Quiz will take place on Saturday 25th February from 8.30pm in our Clubhouse. This is where Parish's town-lands pit themselves against each other in a bid to win the coveted crown of Parish's smartest townland. It's never too early to get your team organised. Teams of 4, with €5 entry per person. It's always a great night of controversy, competition and fun. Please note the Committee's answers are always right. **Rising Stars Music Academy:** The times for each session are 12:15-1:00pm for the 5-10 age group and 1:00-1:45pm for the 11-16 age group. Classes will be €5. For more information contact Annah Lafferty on 0866680565. Club **Pool Room** is open every Saturday and Sunday evenings from 8:00pm to 11:00pm in the clubhouse. All welcome. **Byrne Health and Fitness classes:** Are you giving up something over the Lenten season? Why not take up something instead. 40 Days to Fitness starts on Monday the 27th February and runs until Friday 7th of April in the Get Fit Gym at Malin GAA Clubhouse. Classes run daily. Monday, Wednesday & Friday classes @ 9:30am, Ladies @ 6:30pm, Spin @ 7:30pm and Spin 8:30pm. Tuesday & Thursday classes @ 6:30am and Men @ 8pm. Unlimited classes €70 or for gym members €50 or €5 per class. Booking essential for Spin classes as bikes are limited. Gym Membership for club members is €100 and for non members for a limited time is €120. Gift vouchers available for gym membership, fitness classes, personal training and healthy eating plans. For more info visit the gym or call 0874103782 or on TheGetFitGym page on Facebook.