

We adore you O Christ and we praise you

Because by your Holy Cross

You have redeemed the world

Parish of St. Mary CREGGAN



SUNDAY MASS
Vigil (*Saturday*)

6.30 pm
10.30 am
12.15 pm

Polish Mass

4.00 pm (every 2nd & 4th Sunday)

HOLY DAY MASS

as announced

SACRAMENT OF CONFESSION

Monday - Friday 5.00 pm - 5.30 pm
Saturday - 10.30 am
5.30 pm - 6.20 pm

WEEK DAY MASS

Monday-Saturday 10.00 am
Tuesday & Friday 7.30 pm

EXPOSITION OF BLESSED SACRAMENT
(*in the Divine Mercy Chapel*)

Sunday 1.30 pm - 6 pm
Monday 10.30 am - 7 pm
Tue - Sat 10.30 am - 12 pm

Fr. Daniel McFaul PP

Fr. Ignacy Saniuta CC

PAROCHIAL HOUSE. 1 FANAD DRIVE, DERRY. BT48 9QE

oGlory be to the Father

www.stmaryscreggan.com

BAPTISMS Saturday at 5pm Contact the Parish Office 71263152 between 10am-12 noon Mon-Fri

MARRIAGES At least 3 months notice must be given to the Parish. Contact Parish Office to arrange Pre-Marriage Preparation Course.

THE WEBCAM: To join us for the live streaming of all Masses via the webcam, log into www.creggan.chapel.com or www.churchservices.tv/creggan.

If you have any difficulty accessing the webcam, please contact the parish office on 028 7126 3152 or email stmaryscreggan@derrydiocese.org.

IF YOU HAVE CONCERNS REGARDING SAFEGUARDING CHILDREN & ADULTS

in need of protection within the Church, please contact Marie O'Kane, the Diocesan Designated Liaison Person (DLP) 07596500793 or at dlp@derrydiocese.org Additional Contact numbers - PSNI Tel 101 or Social Services Western SHC Trust Tel 02871314090 (ask for Duty Social Worker)

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14th September 2025

Exaltation of the Holy Cross

The exaltation of the Holy Cross



Today in union with the whole Church we celebrate the Feast of the Exaltation of the Cross. The cross is central to our faith as followers of Jesus. It is through the life, death and resurrection of Jesus that that we are saved and forgiven. It is through his suffering, death on the cross and his rising to new life that we ourselves are given the gift and promise of everlasting life.

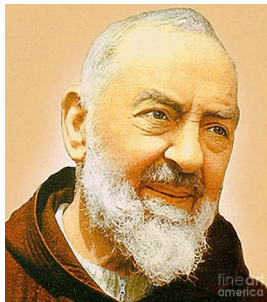
There is no Easter Sunday without Good Friday; there is no Resurrection without Jesus dying on the cross.

PARISH NOVENA OF HEALING

To Saint Pio of Pietrelcina (Padre Pio)

In preparation for the Feast of St Pio on 23rd September we will have a Novena starting with Devotions on the Feast of Our Lady of Sorrows, Monday 15th September at 6.00pm

Tuesday 7am Mass and 10am Mass and 7.30pm Mass
Wednesday 7am Mass and 10am Mass
Thursday 7am Mass and 10am Mass
Friday 7am Mass, 10am Mass and
7.30pm Healing Mass - anointing of the sick
Saturday 10am Mass and 6.30pm Mass
Sunday 10.30am, Mass 12.15 pm Mass
and devotions 6pm
Monday 7am Mass and 10am Mass



Feast of St Pio Tuesday 23rd September: Mass 7am, 10am and 7.30pm

Confessions: after 7am Mass each weekday morning and at 5pm each evening (Monday - Friday)

Recent Deaths: We offer prayers and sympathy to the family and friends of



Annette McDaid, Culdaff Gardens
Sarah Barbour Ballymore Park
Patrick Healy Rockfield, formerly Malin Gardens

May their souls experience the everlasting love and mercy of God

Recent Baptisms: We welcome through the Sacrament of Baptism
Croia Mary Clifford, Conall James Mackey and
Caelen Bobby Michael McGivern



RECENT WEDDINGS We congratulate: Kayleigh Sweeney & Gary Fisher
May the grace of the Sacrament remain with them all their lives.

Last Week's Collection £1581 Parish Development £602

The Retired Priest Fund will be taken up at all Masses next week-end

Standing Orders £122 Thank you for your continued support and generosity

Parish Pastoral Bereavement Support. The next pastoral bereavement support group meeting will take place **today, Sunday 14th September at 3.00pm** in the Parochial house. It's an opportunity to avail of a safe, confidential, supportive group for anyone experiencing the pain and grief of loss. It offers a space to remember, talk freely about your loved one, voice and find possible ways forward with any difficulties you may be struggling with within a relaxed, informal and spiritual setting. All are welcome. Please contact 07879951722 if you require more details or to arrange private one-to-one confidential support at all other times from the groups qualified bereavement counsellor/facilitator.

Current Vacancies - Derry Diocesan Trust: Sacristan, Three Patrons Parish, Derry - 12 Hours per week in St Joseph's Galliagh; Choir Director & Organist - 2.5 hours per week in St Columba's Church, Long Tower, Derry; Housekeeper - 15 hours per week in Clonmany Parish. For application packs please contact: Bishop's House, St Eugene's Cathedral, Francis Street, Derry, BT48 9AP, telephone 028 7126 2302 or email: recruitment@derrydiocese.org. Completed applications must be returned to Personnel, Bishop's House, St Eugene's Cathedral, Francis Street, Derry, BT48 9AP or via email to recruitment@derrydiocese.org no later than 12 noon on Monday 29 September 2025. Derry Diocesan Trust is an Equal Opportunities Employer. We welcome applications from all men and women and from members of all communities

RACHEL'S VINEYARD: Have you been affected or hurt by abortion? If so, please contact Michelle on 07871765181.