Memorare

Remember, O most gracious Virgin Mary, that never was it known that anyone who fled unto thy protection, implored thy help, or sought thy intercession was left unaided by thee Inspired by this confidence, I fly unto thee, O Virgin of virgins, my Mother.

To thee do I come, before thee I stand, sinful and sorrowful.

Do not O Mother of the Word Incarnate, despise my petitions, but in thy clemency hear and answer me Amen.



We pray for our departed loved ones, especially during November



Eternal rest grant onto them O Lord And let perpetual light shine upon them, May their souls And the souls of all the faithful departed Through the mercy of God Rest in peace Amen

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.

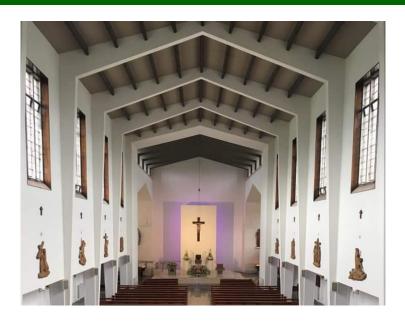
THE WEBCAM: To join us for the live streaming of all Masses via the webcam, log into www.cregganchapel.com or www.churchservies.tv/creggan.

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) Republic of Ireland: Garda Síochána, Buncrana +353749320540 or Letterkenny HQ +353749167100 TUSLA FAMILY AND CHILD AGENCY, BUNCRANA +353749320420 OR LETTERKENNY +353749123672

Parish of St. Mary CREGGAN



SUNDAY MASS SACRAMENT OF CONFESSION

6.30 pm 5.00 pm - 5.30 pm Vigil (Saturday) Monday - Friday

10.30 am Saturday -10.30 am

12.15 pm 5.30 pm - 6.20 pm

Polish Mass 4.00 pm (every 2nd & 4th Sunday)

HOLY DAY MASS as announced

EXPOSITION OF BLESSED SACRAMENT

(in the Divine Mercy Chapel)

Sunday 1.30 pm - 6 pm

WEEK DAY MASS 10.30 am - 7 pm Monday-Saturday 10.00 am Monday

Tuesday & Friday 7.30 pm Tue - Sat 10.30 am - 12 pm

Fr. Daniel McFaul PP

Fr. Ignacy Saniuta CC

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oGlory be to the Father

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2nd November 2025

31st Sunday in Ordinary Time

Indulgenced Acts for the Faithful Departed

- 1. A plenary indulgence, applicable only to the souls in purgatory, is granted to the faithful who, on any and each day from November 1 to 8, devoutly visit a cemetery and pray for the departed;
- 2. A *partial indulgence*, applicable only to the souls in purgatory, is granted to the faithful who devoutly visit a cemetery and at least mentally pray for the dead;

To gain a Plenary Indulgence

- 1. have the interior disposition of complete detachment from sin, even venial sin;
- 2. receive the **sacrament of confession** within 20 days of the act, one confession covers many indulgences;
- 3. receive the **Holy Communion** within 20 days of the indulgenced act, but one Communion per indulgence;

and recite **prayers for the intentions of the Holy Father** (one Our Father and one Hail Mary is suggested as a minimum, but any other additional prayers may be added).

Daily Plenary Indulgence (having fulfilled the above conditions)

- Visit a cemetery
- Pray for the dead

By this you can gain one plenary indulgence each day for a Holy Soul



Today, Sunday 2nd November is the Commemoration of all the Souls of the Faithful Departed. This is the day of remembering in prayer all the souls of those who have gone before us, but who may still be in need of the Church's prayers of petition for their deliverance from purgatory and entry into heaven. We are all encouraged to visit the cemetery and pray for the souls in Purgatory.

November is a special month when we remember our dead. The families and friends who have lost loved ones during the past 12 months have been invited to come to a special Mass to remember them. The Masses will be on **11th, 18th and 25th November** at 7.30pm.

Prayer for Vocations: On this Holy Souls' Day we remember the deceased priests who served the people of this diocese in the past. We pray for the priests who serve our parishes today, and for the men who will have the pastoral care of our people in the years to come, our current seminarians and those discerning their vocation at this time.

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



Mary Carlin Charlie O'Donnell Marie McShane Willie McDonald Formerly Broadway
Oakfield Crescent
Formerly Lisfannon Park
Inishowen Gardens

May their souls experience the everlasting love and mercy of God

Recent Baptisms: We welcome through the Sacrament of Baptism

Aodhan Paul McClelland-Smith, Caelán Anthony Griffiths

and Pola Marchlewicz



Last Week's Collection £1726 Parish Development £577

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

Tickets are now available to buy in the Sacristy after week-end Masses and at the Parish Office during office hours at a cost of £120 cash or £10 per month by standing order. All current Standing Orders will expire at the end of December so you will need to re-apply for a new ticket for 2026. First prize £1000, 2nd prize £500 and 3rd prize £250. This year we are asking for promotors to sell the tickets over the coming weeks. If you are able to help in this way please call at the Parish office or call at the Sacristy after any week-end Mass to collect the tickets.

2025 Parish Draw: We congratulate the winners of last week's October draw.

1st Prize£1000Sadie O'KaneTicket No.1122nd Prize£500Anna KellyTicket No.2303rd Prize£250Aíne O'ConnorTicket No.223

The Padre Pio Prayer Group, Holy Family Chapel, Ballymagroarty will take place on Tuesday 4th November 2025. Starting with Rosary at 6.45pm before Mass, celebration of holy Mass at 7.15pm, then the priest will bless everyone with a first class relic of St. Pio, while closing prayers are recited. EVERYONE WELCOME

St Joseph's Boys' School Annual Mass of Remembrance for deceased Staff and Pupils will take place in St Eugene's Cathedral on 13th November 2025 at 7.30pm. If you would like a name added to the list of deceased pupils or staff please ring the school office. All are invited to attend.