

THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER ~ YEAR B
Information for the Weekend of 18th April 2021
St. Columba's Drung Website www.stcolumbasdrung.net

Mass will be available on-line: Mass Times in Drung: Monday through to Saturday
@ 10.00 a.m. Sunday @ 10.15 a.m.

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**Mass Times in Iskaheen:** Monday through to Saturday @ 10.00 a.m.  
Sunday @ 9.00 a.m.

**Mass Times in Muff:** Saturday @ 6.30 p.m. & Sunday @ 11.30 a.m.

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Collection total for Drung: weekend of 10th /11th April ~ **€1,107.40c.**

Trocaire ~ Final Total: **€2,848.00c.**

Thank you to all who support the collections and for donations given.

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**DERRY DIOCESAN VOCATIONS WEEK** - 17<sup>th</sup> - 25<sup>th</sup> April: The annual Derry Diocesan Vocations Week is celebrated this week, ending on Good Shepherd [Sunday](#), 25<sup>th</sup> April. The theme for this year's Vocations Week is based on "Patris Corde" ('With a Father's Heart.'), which is Pope Francis' recent publication for the year of Saint Joseph. You are encouraged to participate in the diocesan schedule of daily prayer and Mass, as well as devotional reflections based on the Angelus, Daily Examen and the Mysteries of the Rosary. These resources are all available online at [derrydiocese.org](http://derrydiocese.org) and [derryvocations.org](http://derryvocations.org). On the five evenings of [Monday](#), 19 April, through to [Friday](#), 23<sup>rd</sup> April, Bishop McKeown will host a series of interviews with guests from throughout the diocese, discussing how they have answered God's call to vocation. These twenty-minute interviews will be broadcast live online at 7:00pm each evening, followed by a broadcast of the celebration of the Daily Examen. At 8:00pm, after 7.30pm Mass each evening, Bishop McKeown will lead the Rosary, before concluding with night prayer. Again, these live broadcasts can be viewed at [derrydiocese.org](http://derrydiocese.org) and [derryvocations.org](http://derryvocations.org) at the specific times.

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The Net – April 2021: Sharing the fruits of the faith in the Derry Diocese. With Covid-19 restrictions still in place, the April edition of 'The Net' will only be available on the Diocesan website – <https://derrydiocese.org/images/the-net/the-net-april-2021.pdf>. However, the publication will be available again in parishes when the restrictions are lifted. **Enquiries to – editorthenet15@gmail.com.**

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**CENTENARY CELEBRATIONS FOR THE LEGION OF MARY:** As part of the centenary celebrations for the Legion of Mary, there will be a special Mass for the Legionaries of the diocese live-streamed from St. Theresa's Church, Sion Mills, on [Wednesday](#) 28 April, at 7pm, Feast of Louis Marie de Montfort, the saint who had such a major influence on Frank Duff that gave him the inspiration to set up the Legion of Mary for the first time, on [9 September 1921](#). Unfortunately, due to Covid-19 restrictions, only a small number of representatives of the parish Legions in Co Tyrone, will be able to attend. You are invited to participate in this Mass via the parish webcam, on <http://melmountparish.com/sionwebcam.html>. The Rosary along with the Legion of Mary Prayers will then be recited.

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KEEPING UP THE CONVERSATIONS WITH THE YOUTH OF DERRY DIOCESE PROGRAMME: **WEDNESDAY, 21 APRIL 7:00pm.** The second webinar will be on the theme of Compassion. Guest speakers will be Fr John Farren, Parish of Iskaheen & Upper Merville and

representatives from the Clarendon Night Shelter, Derry. **WEDNESDAY, 28 APRIL 7:00pm**. The third webinar will be on the theme 'You are the now of God'. Guest speakers will be Elma Walsh, Donal Walsh #LiveLife Foundation and Bishop Donal McKeown, Bishop of Derry. Each webinar will broadcast live on Derry Youth Facebook page (<https://www.facebook.com/DerryDiocesanYouth>) each **Wednesday** at 7:00pm. Everyone is welcome to join.

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**LIFE IN THE SPIRIT Seminar in Omagh** will take place over a period of seven weeks in conjunction with 7.30pm Holy Mass in the Sacred Heart Church, Omagh, starting on **Thursday** 22 April. Please join at 7.30pm each **Thursday** via the parish webcam: <http://www.drumraghparish.com/webcam.html>  
22 April: God's Love - Fr Damian Bresnahan SMA; 29 April: Salvation - Fr Joe Gormley; 6 May: The New Life - Bishop Donal McKeown; 13 May: Receiving God's Gift - Fr Christopher McDermott; 20 May: Baptism in the Spirit - Fr Eddie Magee; 27 May: Growth - Fr Colum Curry; Thursday 3 June: Transformation - Fr Kevin Mc Elhennon. "Let him who is thirsty come; Let him who desires, Take the water of life without price" Rev. 22:17. Please pray for an outpouring of the Holy Spirit on all people.

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- *Digital TV - Saorview Channel 210/ Freeview TV (Channel number varies per location in NI)*
- *Download FREE App "RADIO MARIA IRELAND"*
- *Streaming on website, www.radiomarie.ie (subscribe and donate here also)*
- *'Listen Live Radio' link on Facebook Page. (Like, Share and Follow us on Facebook)*
- *Phone – get live radio feed by calling **003531 437 3277** (no extra charges apply).*

Prayer and song requests welcome. "A Catholic voice in your home". Fr Eamonn McCarthy is Director.

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**Greencastle Community Centre:** - Upcoming ETB 6 week Courses will be: Gardening; Introduction to Zumba; Singing for wellness; dates to be arranged. Our AGM will be held via zoom on **Monday** 17<sup>th</sup> May at 7.30pm. Please contact the office on 07493-80154 or email [info@greencastlecentre.ie](mailto:info@greencastlecentre.ie) or find us on facebook/twitter

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