

Fourth Sunday of Easter

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First Reading: Acts 13:14.43-52

We must turn to the pagans.

Second Reading: Apocalypse 7:9.14-17

The Lamb will be their shepherd and will lead them to springs of living water.

Gospel: John 10:27-30

I give eternal life to the sheep that belong to me.

MASSES FOR THE COMING WEEK

Sat 20th April (Vigil 6.00pm) Michael Ferguson, Windmill Heights

Sun 21st April 9.30am (Month's Mind) John Farry, Erne Drive

Sun 21st April (Lisbellaw) Michael & Mary McGovern, Mullylogan

Next Sunday: *(Private Intention)*

(Second Reader: Tara Connolly Prayers of the Faithful : Barry McPhillips)

Mon 22nd April 4th Week of Easter

10.00 am Emily & James Kerrigan, Derrin Road

6.00 pm Convent (First Anniversary) Eileen Mitchell, Riverside and

(Month's Mind) Colin Mitchell, Riverside

Tue 23rd April 4th Week of Easter

8.00am Convent Pat, Leo & Cissie Smyth, Cornagrade Road

10.00am Elizabeth Cryan, Enniskillen and Navan

Wed 24th April 4th Week of Easter

8.00am Convent Maureen & Tony Curran, Aisling Crescent

10.00am Joe Scollan, Derrin Road

Thu 25th April St Mark, Evangelist

8.00am Convent Margaret & Francis McElroy, Derrin Park

10.00am Tom Meehan, Forthill Road

Fri 26th April 4th Week of Easter

10.00am Morris family, Derrin Road

7.30pm (First Anniversary) Helen Flynn, Corban Avenue

Sat 27th April 4th Week of Easter

10.00am Elizabeth McTeggart and John & Rebecca

McTeggart, Drumgallon;

William Brazil, The Bawn;

Brendan Flanagan and Margaret & John

Flanagan, Sligo Road.

Children's Liturgy each Sunday at 12.30pm Mass. Open to all primary school children. Come along to hear the Word of God made easy.

Holy Hour in the Convent Chapel this Wednesday, 24th April, 7.30pm – 8.30pm, led by Fr Brendan Shannon.

BLESSED FREDERICK OZANAM

PRINCIPAL FOUNDER OF THE SOCIETY OF ST VINCENT DE PAUL

Born 23rd April 1813 - Died 8th September 1953

This year marks the 200th anniversary of the birth of Blessed Frederic Ozanam. For a lot of people this is not a familiar name yet the organisation that he founded with some young friends – the Society of St Vincent de Paul – is known worldwide and operates in some 147 countries with over a million volunteers helping those in need.

In 1832 Frederic went to Paris to study Law at the Sorbonne. It was here that seeing the poverty on the streets of Paris, he decided with a few students friends to do something to help. They set up what they initially called the 'Conference of Charity' but soon after the 'Society of St Vincent de Paul' having chosen that saint as their Patron.

Frederic became a lawyer and a lecturer and despite the pressures of this work continued his work with the poor in Paris. These words of his are as valid today as then '*The question which is agitating the world today is a social one. It is a struggle between those who have nothing and those who have too much... Our duty as Christians is to throw ourselves between these two camps in order to accomplish by love what justice alone cannot do.*'

In 1841 he married Emelie Soulacroix and they had one daughter, Marie. He was troubled with poor health and despite taking rests from his heavy workload, he died on 8th September at the age of 40.

Frederic was beatified by Pope John Paul 11 in 1997.

St Vincent de Paul, Enniskillen urgently need good quality clothes.

Please leave at 'Vincent's', 24 Church Street. Shop open Monday – Saturday, 10.00am – 5.00pm. Tel 02866329893. Thank you for your support.

Deaths: *We pray for the recently deceased:* Mary Cooke, Ballydoolagh; Bill Monaghan Coa; Caroline Conaghan, Gortwood, Mount Charles, Co Donegal *May they rest in peace.*

Altar Servers: 27th / 28th April; Vigil – Team 6; 9.30am – Team 7; 11.00am – Team 8; 12.30pm – Team 9.

Second Readers 27th / 28th April; Vigil – Zoe Power; 9.30am – Caoimhe Cox; 11.00am – Wayne Moohan; 12.30pm – Aaron Nolan.

Any young person, 15-18 yrs, interested in leading the **Second Readings** at weekend masses please attend a meeting in **St Michael's Church on Thursday 25th April, at 4.00pm** All present Readers should attend.

Prayer of the Faithful: 27th / 28th April; Vigil – Katie Cassidy; 9.30am – Roxanne Dolan; 11.00am – Annie Masterson; 12.30pm – Matthew Murphy.

Any young person, 12 – 14 yrs, interested in leading the **Prayers of the Faithful** at weekend masses please attend a meeting in **St Michael's Church this Wednesday 24th April at 4.00pm**. All presently leading Prayers of the Faithful should attend.

St Michael's Parish Draw – Month 6

£1000	Mamie Leonard, Boho
Promoter:	Patricia McBrien, 69 Lisgoole Park
£500	David Bannon, 29 Wesbridge House
Promoter:	David Bannon, 29 Wesbridge House
£300	John Slowey, 52 Castlecoole Road
Promoter:	Seamus O'Connell, 18 Coole Drive
£200	Sheila O'Callaghan, 26 Erne Drive
Promoter:	Pat Dooris, 93 Cornagrade Road
Next draw will take place on Monday, 13 th May	

Weekly Offering: 14.04.13 £ 2960.15
Trócaire Collection to date: £17,202.89

Please do not leave Trócaire boxes at back of Church.

Coffee Morning in the Parish Centre this Saturday, 20th April, after 10.00am Mass, in aid of the Calcutta Schools' Programme. Local Volunteer Andrea Connolly, Lisbellaw.

Fermanagh Friends of Marie Curie Cancer Care – Blooming Great Tea Party this Saturday, 20th April 10.30am – 1.00pm in Rosahilly House (beside St Angelo Airport, Enniskillen). Please support this worthy cause!

YEAR of FAITH – Keeping the Doors Open...50 Years After Vatican 2 VENUE: Tara Centre, Omagh, this Sunday 21st April, 2.30pm
SPEAKER: Perry Gildea CM. Organised by the Conference of Religious of Ireland
ALL WELCOME: suggested donation: £5.00: Tea & Scones provided.

Aglow International meeting will be held in Killyhevlin Hotel this Monday, 22nd April at 8pm. Speaker: Glenda Crawford from Fivemiletown.

Day Retreat in Honour Of Jesus The Divine Mercy, in the Convent of Mercy, Belmore St. on Saturday, 27th April. Main Speaker: Fr Cathal Price and Devine Mercy Group Dublin, Regristation 9.30am, Retreat 10.00am - 5.30pm.

Outdoor Youth Mass (organized by Clogher don Óige), on Sunday 5th May in Centenary Prayer Garden, Sacred Heart Church, Irvinestown at 4.30pm. All welcome.

Defibrillator Training Courses will be held at St John's Ambulance Centre on 22nd April and 15th May from 8pm – 10pm 15-20 people per class. £10 per person. Please give your name in the Parish Office, or telephone 028 66322075.

Lough Derg Sunday: Next Sunday, 28th April has been designated *Lough Derg Sunday* in the diocese of Clogher. We will be reflecting on the mission of Lough Derg in the context of the **Year of Faith**.

Lough Derg Pilgrimage & Retreats This Year of Faith journey to Lough Derg, where pilgrims have been *gathering* for over 1,000 years, and celebrate **your faith** with people from every parish in Ireland. For information contact Maureen in the Lough Derg Office Tel: 071 9861518 / email: info@loughderg.org

The Novena of Hope at the Graan this year is from Sunday 28th April to Monday 6th May. Sunday services 9am, 10.30am, 12 noon and 4pm. Weekdays 12.30pm and 8pm except Wednesday which is at 11am and 8pm. Saturday 4th Mass at 11am and 6.30pm. In addition, there are services for the sick on Wednesday 1st and Saturday 4th at 2.30pm. Contact - The Graan phone 028 66 322272.

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A BIG THANK YOU

I would like to take this opportunity to thank all those who helped out at the Flower Festival. That may have been preparing food, serving food, serving teas and coffees. For those who created the floral exhibits and those who helped to erect and dismantle displays and those who helped in the church in any way, **THANK YOU.**

On behalf of Clogher don Óige and all the young people going to World Youth Day I would like to say a special '**Thank You**' to Canon Peter and the people of the parish for the generous use of St. Michael's Church. I know it was an inconvenience for some but we really appreciate your words of encouragement and support.

I would like to take this opportunity to thank all our sponsors. Without their generous support the Flower Festival simply could not have happened.

The generosity of all the people who visited St. Michael's Church was simply overwhelming. The amount raised for our 52 young people from across the diocese of Clogher was £15,000. Simply saying 'Thank You' seems so inadequate, so please be assured of our prayers and a special 'Mass of Sending', for all our young people going on pilgrimage this year, World Youth Day, Lourdes and Taizé, is being organised for June 29 at 7pm in St. Macartan's Cathedral, Monaghan and we would love if you could join us as it will be offered for your intentions as a mass of 'Thanksgiving' for all you have done for us.

May God continue to bless you and hold you close and all you hold dear.

Fr. Martin O' Reilly
On behalf of Clogher don Óige

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