

20p ST MICHAEL'S PARISH Enniskillen & Lisbellaw Building Faith, Friendship, Community Parish Messenger 6th September 2026 TWENTY-THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME Parish Priest: Mgr. Peter O'Reilly Parish Curate: Rev. Raymond Donnelly Assistant Priest: Rev. Joseph McVeigh Visiting Priest: Fr. Bartholomew Uzoma Parish Deacon: Rev. Martin Donnelly Contact: Tel: 028 66322075 (leave a message) / Email: enniskillen@clogherparishes.ie / Visit us: www.st-michaels.net St Michael's Parish is on Facebook. Like us at: Facebook.com/stmichaelsparishenniskillen All emergency hospital calls for the Priest on Duty are made by the Staff Nurse on the Ward. If you need to speak to a priest in an emergency, please phone the Switchboard on 028 66382000 and ask for the Priest on Duty. MASSES FOR THE COMING WEEK Available to watch online @ https://mcnmedia.tv/camera/st-michaels-parish-eniskillen Sat 5th Sept 6.00pm (Vigil) George & Nellie Haggins and Annie Clarke, Yoan Road, Sheila Clarke, Corban Avenue and deceased members of the McDonagh family, Abbey Street. Sun 6th Sept 8.00am Donor's Intention Sun 6th Sept 10.30am (First Anniversary) Caroline Reilly, Derrin Road. (First Anniversary) Glenn Parkes, Drumlin Heights. 12pm Mass resumes in St Michael's on 13th September Lisbellaw Next Sunday 9.30am 13th September (John Bannon & Shane Bannon, Ballinatarson) Mon 7th Sept 23rd Week in Ordinary Time 10.00am Donors' Intention Tue 8th Sept The Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary 10.00am Donors' Intention Wed 9th Sept St Ciaran, Abbot 10.00am Mary Morris, Ingleby Gardens. Thurs 10th Sept St Peter Claver, Priest 10.00am Donors' Intention Fri 11th Sept 23rd Week in Ordinary Time 10.00am Donors' Intention Sat 12th Sept The Holy Name of Mary 10.00am Edmund & Bridget Tierney, Galliagh Terrace. Declan Swift, Anna & Dessie Murphy, Derrin Road, Tommy & Rita Swift, Hillview and deceased members of the Swift family. Annie, Redmond, Marius and Peter McBrien, Hillview Park and deceased members of the Cassidy family, Teemore. Pat & Philomena Blake, The Limes. Catherine Gunn, Old Rossorry Road. 6.00pm (Vigil) (Month's Mind) Bryan Gallagher, Drumclay Link.	Sunday Collection Sunday 30th August - White Envelope - Weekly Offering to the Parish - £2729.03 This Sunday 6th September - Blue Envelope - Monthly Offering to the Priests and Pastoral Care Next Sunday 13th September - White Envelope - Weekly Offering to the Parish Deaths: Adelaide Fiddis, Drumcor Hill; Anthony "Tony" Gallinagh, The Bawn; Fr Jim Moore, PP, Clones. May they Rest in Peace. Enniskillen VSOSJ Branch monthly Holy Hour Devotion and Benediction for Vocations will be held in St Michael's Church this Friday 4th September at 7pm. Everyone is welcome to attend. Five Saturday Devotion to Our Lady Next devotion will take place this Saturday morning 5th September at 9am in St Michael's Church. St Michael's Parish Library As the Parish Library celebrates its 3rd birthday, everyone is invited to a Coffee Morning on Tuesday 8th September from 10.30am to 12.30pm in the Library, upstairs from the Bookshop. Lough Derg 2026: One Day Retreats: September: Saturday 5th, Sunday 6th, Wednesday 9th, Saturday 12th, Tuesday 15th, Saturday 19th and Sunday 20th. Advance Registration is essential for all events. Call 00353 71 9861518. Email info@loughderg.org. Save Our Acute Services Public Meeting (SOAS): Our next meeting will take place on Monday 7th September at 7pm in the Westville Hotel in Enniskillen. We need to talk to you and alert you as to what plans are being made for us and how we must fight and resist them. This is a very important meeting. Your support is essential. Padre Pio Prayer Group is taking place in St Michael's Parish Centre on Thursday 10th September at 6pm. Padre Pio said 'Pray, Hope & Don't Worry' Everyone welcome to join us in prayer. Family Tree Healing Mass in St Mary's Church, Arney on Friday 11th September at 7.30pm. Celebrant Fr. Gerry Campbell. Everyone welcome. Enniskillen VSOSJ Branch 1st of the 2026/27 year new monthly meetings will be resuming on Monday 14th September in St Michael's Parish Centre at 7pm. Present members and new members are invited to attend by offering your support for an hour of your time at each monthly meeting. Bishop Heber MacMahon Remember Bishop Heber MacMahon on 17th September, killed on 17th September 1650. Enniskillen VSOSJ Branch will run a bus to Knock Shrine on Wednesday 7th October on the Feast of Our Lady of the Rosary. Early booking is advisable. To reserve a bus seat, send a text message or what's app to Adrian Brophy 07817451959, Dympna Clarke 07749411433 or Pat Clarke 07788433683. Bus leaves St Michael's Parish Shop at 8.30am sharp. Annual Dawn Culicagh Trek Saturday 12th September to mark World Suicide Prevention Day. Book via Eventbrite https://AC2026.eventbrite.co.uk or contact Aisling Centre for information info@theailsingcentre.com Young at Heart Group returns on Sunday 4th October at 3pm in St Michael's Community Centre. St Michael's Scout Group Registration night will take place on Tuesday 8th September 7pm to 8pm in St Michael's Scout Hall, Erne Road. Beavers: 6-8 years, Cubs: 9-11 years and Scouts:12-15 years. Padre Pio A Triduum in preparation for the Feast of Padre Pio will take place at the Franciscan Friary, Rossnowlagh from Sunday 20th - Wednesday 23rd September (inclusive). Mass, Homily & Blessing with Mitten at 7.30pm each evening. Preacher Fr Pius McLaughlin OFM. Foundations of Faith Starts on Wednesday 23rd September at 7pm in St Michael's Parish Centre. A clear and engaging 20 part journey through the Catechism of the Catholic Church, featuring Dr Edward Sri, Dr Marcellino and Fr Mike Schmitz. Ideal for anyone wishing to deepen their understanding of the Catholic Faith. All welcome, email: smp.bible@outlook.com OCIA (Order of Christian Initiation of Adults) formerly known as RCIA Do you or someone you know wish to become a Catholic or complete your Faith Journey in the Catholic Church? If so, the OCIA (Order of Christian Initiation of Adults) program, is available in St Michael's Parish, Enniskillen. Our next program began on 2nd of September 2026. If you wish to find out more please contact 02866322075 or your local Priest for more information. November Service for the Dead will take place on Sunday 15th November 2026.
The Season of Creation Sept 1st - Oct 14th "We scientists don't know how to do that" "I used to think the top environmental problems were biodiversity loss, ecosystem collapse and climate change. I thought that with 30 years of good science we could address those problems. But I was wrong. The top environmental problems are selfishness, greed and apathy.... and to deal with those we need a spiritual and cultural transformation - and we scientists don't know how to do that" Parish Draw - Month 7 Will take place on Monday 7th September Promoters please make your returns to the Upper Room at the Parish Shop between 7 - 8pm Night Prayer will resume on Saturday 19th September at 10pm.	Planning a Baptism When presenting a child for Baptism, parents are encouraged to contact the Parish Office in good time so that the preparation process can be explained and any questions answered. The Church asks that a child have either one sponsor (Godparent) or, where two sponsors are chosen, one male and one female sponsor. Sponsors should normally be practising Catholics, at least 16 years of age, who have received the Sacraments of Baptism, Confirmation and the Eucharist, and who are willing to support the child in the practice of the faith. Where this is not possible, we will be happy to explain the role of a Christian witness. Please speak to the Parish Office, who will be happy to advise.  ANNUAL BLESSING OF GRAVES - This Sunday 6th September Cross Cemetery at 2pm & The Convent & Breandrum Cemeteries at 3.30pm Remember to bring Holy Water and Rosary Beads