# 'News Sheet'

# Donegal Group of Parishes



Sun 16th Feb (2 before Lent)

A warm welcome to you all, especially if you are visiting us today

### **Prayer for Today**

Almighty God, you have created the heavens and the earth and made us in your own image: Teach us to discern your hand in all your works and your likeness in all your children; through Jesus Christ our Lord ,who with you and the Holy Spirit reigns supreme over all things, now and for ever .Amen

#### **Today's Services**

Killymard- 9.30 am MP Laghey - 10.45 am MP Donegal - 12 noon MP

Next Sunday's Services Lough Eske- 9.30 am MP

Laghey - 10.45 am FS Donegal - 12 noon FS

## **Readings for Today**

Genesis 1:1-2:3
Page 3 of the Bible

**Matthew 6**: Verses 25-34 Page 971 of the Bible

# Prayer Diary for week ahead

Monday - our own country

Tuesday - the unemployed

Wednesday- children deprived of home

Thursday- the unity if the Church

Friday - the refugees

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#### Announcements 16th Feb 2020

**Ash Wednesday**: We will mark the beginning of Lent with a Holy Communion service in Donegal Church at 7pm on Wed 26th February. Note the earlier time.

**10 for 10:** Next meeting on Wednesday 26th Feb at 8pm in Donegal Methodist Church. **Nigeria:** Information & prayer about David's visit to Nigeria, Thursday 27th Feb at 8pm in the Rectory.

**Quiz Night:** arranged by Glebe National School PTA. At Dom's Pier One Friday, February 28th 9pm. Entry is €5 per person in teams of 4. Don't worry if you don't have a team, we will help organise these on the night. Plenty of raffle prizes and finger food available! Everyone welcome.

**Women's World Day of Prayer:** Friday evening 6th March in St Patrick's RC Church. **The Mustard Seed:** Open for tea, coffee, sandwiches and treats every Thursday and Friday 10am-2pm. Prayer time on Fridays at 1pm.

**Lough Eske Clothing Collection:** We are collecting used clothing to raise money for repairing church lane. Please note this time we are looking for wearable clothes, useable pairs of shoes, curtains and duvet covers (not the duvets themselves). Bags can be dropped off at the Rectory Mondays and Fridays 2:30-4:30pm or contact Sherrell Bell to arrange collection. We are collecting up to end of February.

**Prayer Ministry Training:** 29th February 2020, Drumcliffe Church, Sligo 9.30am – 3.30pm. Biblical teaching and practical guidelines that will equip you to be intentional about praying for others as Jesus prayed. This is for anyone who wants to explore or grow in this ministry! Tea and coffee provided, bring your own lunch. More info from Sandra or at www.newwineireland.org/events/prayer-ministry-training-5/

**Derry & Raphoe Youth Invites:** Praise service on Sunday 1st March 4pm in Raphoe Cathedral. Worship led by the Mark Ferguson Band. Speaker Bishop Andrew. Everyone welcome NB this is for people of all ages.

**Ladies' Book Group:** The visit of Maud Kells has been deferred. Meanwhile, you can get going on the next book, John Hindley's 'You can really grow.' Copies available from Bev or at the Mustard Seed priced €6.50.

**On the Move:** This Derry & Raphoe Youth event will be coming to Donegal Town & Laghey 24th – 26th April. It's a weekend where young people from across the diocese come to an area to do practical works of service to bless the community. More info will follow!

**Dance:** Donegal Parish are holding a dance on Thursday 23rd April in the Abbey Hotel. Save the date!

**Glebe NS open day** for new pupils wishing to enrol in 2020 is being held on Thursday 27th Feb. If you have not received an invitation and wish to enrol your child please contact school before this date. Thank you

**Coffee Morning :** This takes place on Sat 7<sup>th</sup> March in Donegal Parish Hall from 11 am to 3pm in aid of Glenda Mc Ginty's trek to Everest for Alzheimer's research in memory of her Granny Jenny.