

# 'News Sheet'

## Donegal Group of Parishes



Sun 14<sup>th</sup> July (Trinity 4 )

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

### Prayer for Today

O God, the protector of all who trust in you, without whom nothing is strong, nothing is holy: Increase and multiply upon us your mercy; that with you as our ruler and guide, we may so pass through things temporal that we finally lose not the things eternal: Grant this, heavenly Father, for Jesus Christ's sake, our Lord.

### Today's Services

Lough Eske- 9.30 am MP  
Laghey - 10.45 am MP  
Donegal - 12 noon MP

### Next Sunday's Services

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

### Readings for Today

**Deut 30** : Verses 9-14  
Page 208 of the Bible

**Psalms 25**: Verses 1-9  
Page 617 of the Prayer Book

**Luke 10**: Verses 25-37  
Page 1041 of the Bible

### Prayer Diary for week ahead

**Monday** - the peace of the world

**Tuesday** - those in research

**Wednesday**- relationships in daily life and work

**Thursday**- the mission of the Church

**Friday** - the persecuted

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## Announcements July 14<sup>th</sup> 2019

**Summer Saturdays @ the Mustard Seed:** We will open on Saturdays 10am-12noon from 22<sup>nd</sup> June throughout the summer with a series of true stories @10.30 where ordinary people tell us part of their life story and how Jesus has made a difference to them. July 20<sup>th</sup> 'surviving disappointments' – Ros. 27<sup>th</sup> 'God's forgiveness and grace' – Elsie. The Mustard Seed is also open as usual on Thursdays and Fridays 10am-2pm, with prayer time on Fridays at 1pm.

**New Wine 2019:** A week of worship, ministry and teaching for all ages @ IT Sligo 14-19 July. Come along for a taster on Sunday evening 14<sup>th</sup> (lifts provided from the Mustard Seed) or book for a day or evening. Ask Sandra or Brian Ross for more details .

**Rosnowlough evening services:** in the Presbyterian Church, Rosnowlough at 8pm each Sunday in July and August. Everyone welcome. PLUS: two special events: Friday 26<sup>th</sup> July the Life & Music of Fanny Crosby, brought to life through the drama and song of Eva Baxter. Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> August Film Night 'I can only imagine,' the true story behind a great song. Both at 8pm.

**Lough Eske event:** We are planning a steak night at Laghey hall on Saturday 31<sup>st</sup> August in aid of Lough Eske avenue repairs. Save the date – details to follow!

**Strawberry Tea:** 10<sup>th</sup> August at Donegal Church. Save the date!

**Ladies' Book Group:** The next book, 'An Open Door' is now available from the Mustard Seed, priced €7.50. The inspiring true story of Maud Kells' life and ministry in Congo.

**Annual Barn Service:** Sunday 28<sup>th</sup> July at 4:30pm at the Jervis' barn, Mountcharles Road, Donegal Town. Speaker Trevor Matthews, Music Donal Gallagher. Families welcome, refreshments afterwards. Followed from 4<sup>th</sup>-18<sup>th</sup> August by 'Mission in the Barn' each night at 8pm.

**Holiday Bible Club:** Monday 12<sup>th</sup> – Friday 16<sup>th</sup> August at Donegal Presbyterian Church Hall. 10:30am – 1pm (Thursday 10:30am – 2pm). Cost €10. All National School age children welcome. Please register online at [donegalpresbyterianchurch.com](http://donegalpresbyterianchurch.com) or contact Rev Stephen Richmond 0861953833.

**Please pray:** For the process of appointing a new Bishop of Derry & Raphoe. The first meeting of the electors took place on Monday 24<sup>th</sup> June and the next is Thursday 29<sup>th</sup> August. *Almighty God, who by the power of your Holy Spirit moves the hearts of your people; so direct those who are appointed to choose a bishop for this Church and diocese, that we may be given a pastor who in faithfulness and wisdom shall lead your flock in the way of holiness; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.*