

'News Sheet'

Donegal Group of Parishes



Sun 20th Oct (Trinity 18)

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

Prayer for Today

Almighty and everlasting God:
Increase in us your gift of faith
that, forsaking what lies behind,
we may run the way of your
commandments and win the crown of
everlasting joy; through Jesus Christ
our Lord. Amen

Today's Services

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

Next Sunday's Services

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

Readings for Today

Isaiah 40: Verses 18-26
Page 726 of the Bible

Psalms 96
Page 703 of the Prayer Book

Acts 14: Verses 11-18
Page 1109 of the Bible

Prayer Diary for week ahead

Monday - those who maintain order

Tuesday - those who maintain the life
of the community

Wednesday- those who feel unloved

Thursday- all Christians in this place

Friday - all who seek to bring care and
relief.

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Announcements Oct 20th 2019

Harvest Thanksgivings: Thanks to everyone who helped with our Harvest Thanksgiving Services across the 4 parishes. Thanks also to all who have given to the collection for Bishop's Appeal.

Sunday Night Youth: For 6th class and up. Meets twice a month from 7:30-9pm in the Presbyterian Church halls. Dates: 13th and 20th Oct, 10th and 24th Nov, 8th Dec.

10 for 10: Cof I-Methodist joint discipleship group, meeting on alternate Wednesday nights. Focusing on following Jesus in everyday life. It's not too late to join – next meeting 23rd October at 8pm in Donegal Methodist Church.

Donegal Parish Sale: a meeting to plan the sale will be held on Thu 24th Oct 8pm in the hall.

The Mustard Seed Film Club: Tuesday 29th October @ 7pm watching the movie 'Escape' "a tremendous story of redemption" Doctors Paul and Kim Jordan are struggling after the tragic loss of their baby's life. They escape reality and flee to exquisite islands of Southeast Asia. Paradise becomes a nightmare when Paul is kidnapped, but there is hope as the story unfolds. 12 rating.

Big Sing: A special outing to the BBC Songs of Praise Big Sing in Belfast hosted by Aled Jones and Claire McCollum will take place on Saturday 23rd November. Bus leaves Donegal Town at 12.30 with pick up in Laghey, Kesh and Enniskillen. Cost €30pp for bus and ticket. To book contact Mandy Ellis or Doreen Morrow. Full payment required at time of booking.

Wednesday morning fellowship group: 10.30am in the Mustard Seed each Wednesday for tea, chat, Bible study and prayer.

Inver Gospel concert: Friday 25th October at 7.30pm in St John's Church Inver. Leslie Matthews & Rev David McBeth along with Inver NS and parish choir. Refreshments afterwards, collection in aid of parish funds. All welcome!

Faith Mission Rally: Donegal Methodist Church 8pm on Tuesday 22nd October. With Trevor Matthews, Jim Lyons and Garry Tutty. All very welcome.

Ladies' Book Group: The visit of Maud Kells has been deferred to the new year. 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.

Light Parties: These are a good alternative for children at Halloween time. There is one in Ballintra Methodist Church on Thursday 31st Oct 6:30-8:00pm. Fancy dress – sports stars, princesses, Disney characters and superheroes (not scary stuff please). There is also a Derry & Raphoe Light Party in Castlederg on Tuesday 29th Oct from 2:00pm to 4:00pm in the Youth Hall.

Team Hope Christmas Shoebox Appeal: Come and join us for a social get together at the Mustard Seed to fill and wrap shoeboxes on Wed 30th Oct at 7 pm. If you can, please bring wrapping paper boxes and small items along with you. The Mustard Seed will supply some also. Team Hope leaflets are available in church. For more info contact Louise.