



Parish Update

Donegal, Killymard, Lough Eske and Laghey

6th October 2024 – Nineteenth Sunday after Trinity

Bible Reading for Today – Psalm 8

- 1 LORD, our Lord, how majestic is your name in all the earth!
You have set your glory in the heavens.
- 2 Through the praise of children and infants
you have established a stronghold against your enemies,
to silence the foe and the avenger.
- 3 When I consider your heavens, the work of your fingers,
the moon and the stars, which you have set in place,
- 4 what is mankind that you are mindful of them,
human beings that you care for them?
- 5 You have made them a little lower than the angels
and crowned them with glory and honour.
- 6 You made them rulers over the works of your hands;
you put everything under their feet:
- 7 all flocks and herds, and the animals of the wild,
- 8 the birds in the sky, and the fish in the sea,
all that swim the paths of the seas.
- 9 LORD, our Lord, how majestic is your name in all the earth!

Collect for Today

O God, without you we are not able to please you; Mercifully grant that your Holy Spirit may in all things direct and rule our hearts; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Rector's Thoughts

This week's reading is a wonderful psalm of praise about creation – and more. I hope you can join us for our Harvest services over the next few days and weeks.

God bless, David

In-Church Services

- 9.30 Killymard (1st, 3rd, 5th Sunday*)
Lough Eske (2nd & 4th Sunday)
10.45 Laghey (every Sunday)
12.00 Donegal (every Sunday) +online

Phone Service

074 9710199

Online Services

Fri 1pm, Sun 12.00

Pray for peace 🙏

Announcements

Sunday services: incl. **Harvest:** 6th Oct HC (K,L,D); 13th Oct HC (LE), MP (L,D); 20th Oct MP (K,L,D); 27th Oct FS (LE,L,D).

Contemporary Worship Service: Sunday 6th Oct 7.30pm Laghey. Music, teaching & prayer in informal setting.

Harvest Thanksgiving: at 8pm Donegal Fri 4th Oct Rev Graham Hare (Omagh), Laghey Fri 11th Oct Rev Johnny McFarland (Sion Mills), Killymard Fri 18th Oct Rev Chris Matchett (Fanad). Offering for [Yakaar Football Centre, Senegal](#) – [learn more](#) on Saturday 12th October 11am at Presbyterian church where David & Nicola Perry will share about their recent visit.

Sunday Schools: On 13th & 20th Oct in both Laghey & Donegal. **The 100-mile month:** All finished! Donations accepted.

Trash to Cash: The collecting of bottle & cans for Laghey roof is now coming to a close. No further donations will be received after Sat 5th Oct. Thank you to everyone who donated and to Desmond Kee for his work behind the scenes.

The Mustard Seed: Tea Room Wed-Fri 10.30am–2pm, **Prayer time** Fridays @12.30pm. **Bags from Nigeria** on sale now!

Late night café: Fridays at the Mustard Seed 7pm till late. Good company, tasty treats, nice coffee.

Thursday Bible Club: Ballintra Methodist Hall 6.30 – 7.45pm 17th Oct, 21st Nov, 12th Dec (National School age).

Youth Drop-in: Donegal Methodist Hall 7.30 – 9pm Fri 4th Oct, 18th Oct, 8th Nov, 22nd Nov... (Secondary School age).

Walking Warriors: Bereavement walking group Mondays from 9th Sep. Meet 7pm Bosco Centre, Tea & talk in hall 8pm. Glenda 087 6418681 / Tracy 087 7386558 for details.

Bible Study: Colossians. Wednesdays at 8pm (Methodist Hall) or Thursdays at 11am (Presbyterian Hall) from 16/17 Oct.

Donegal Protestant Orphan Society: Meeting on Wed 9th October at 7.30pm in Conwal Church, Letterkenny.

The Early Birds: This small group of ladies meeting in the Mustard Seed Fridays 9.15-10.15am for Bible study and prayer would love to welcome others to join them. Speak to Glenda Love or Sandra Ross for more info.

Methodist Harvest Showcase: Look out for details of their special events over the weekend of 11th – 13th October.

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