



# Parish Update

## Donegal, Killymard, Lough Eske & Laghey

### 28<sup>th</sup> June 2026 ~ the Fourth Sunday after Trinity

#### In-Church Services this Sunday

9.30 Lough Eske (Morning Prayer & commissioning)  
 10.45 Laghey (Morning Prayer & mission update)  
 12.00 Donegal (Morning Prayer & mission update)

#### Online Services (on Facebook)

Friday prayer time 1pm; Sunday service 12 noon

#### Phone Service

Dial 074 9710199 from any phone at any time

#### Bible Reading for Today – Matthew 28: 16-20

<sup>16</sup>Then the eleven disciples went to Galilee, to the mountain where Jesus had told them to go. <sup>17</sup>When they saw him, they worshipped him; but some doubted. <sup>18</sup>Then Jesus came to them and said, 'All authority in heaven and on earth has been given to me. <sup>19</sup>Therefore go and make disciples of all nations, baptising them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, <sup>20</sup>and teaching them to obey everything I have commanded you. And surely I am with you always, to the very end of the age.'

#### Collect 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. Amen.*

#### Announcements

**Sunday Services:** 28<sup>th</sup> Jun MP (LE,L,D) with CMSI; 5<sup>th</sup> July MP (K,L,D); 12<sup>th</sup> July MP (LE,L,D); 19<sup>th</sup> July MP (K,L,D).

**Sunday Schools:** are now on summer break, back in September.

**The Mustard Seed:** Open Wed-Fri 10.30am–2pm.

**Late Night Café:** 2<sup>nd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> Friday of each month from 7pm till late. This Friday 26<sup>th</sup> Paint your own plant pot at 8pm, cost €5.

**CMSI Sunday:** Gillian Maganda from Church Mission Society will be with us at all services on 28<sup>th</sup> June. At Lough Eske she will commission Emma Glenn for her mission visit to Kenya and at Laghey & Donegal will bring updates from our global partners.

**Donegal Chamber Orchestra:** 20<sup>th</sup> anniversary concert in Donegal Parish Church Saturday 27<sup>th</sup> June 7.30pm. Tickets from [Eventbrite](#) or call 074 9176293 or email [musiceducation@donegaletb.ie](mailto:musiceducation@donegaletb.ie).

**Doorin Rock:** Open-air Methodist service Sunday 28<sup>th</sup> June 4pm.

**DPOS:** If you wish to donate to Donegal Protestant Orphan Society but don't have a collector calling to your house, please place it in an envelope marked 'DPOS' in the collection plate. Thank you.

**Coffee Morning:** Sat 4<sup>th</sup> July 11am-2pm Donegal Church Hall.

**Rev John Montgomery:** Farewell event before the move to Bray. Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> July 8pm at Donegal Methodist Church. All are welcome.

**Safeguarding:** The Church of Ireland Child Safeguarding Policy has been updated. You will see new posters in the churches & halls. Further information is at [safeguarding.ireland.anglican.org](http://safeguarding.ireland.anglican.org).

#### Rector's Thoughts

*Please be sure to come along on Sunday when Church Mission Society will be with us to commission Emma and to bring updates from Yei.*

*Even in our small corner of Donegal we are part of a global church family with a global gospel mission! 🌍 ☩*

#### Prayer Points

Thank God for the worldwide work of mission and for our global church family.

Pray for Christian mission around the world and for the leaders of churches.

Pray for the sick & housebound.

#### Sunday Service Pattern

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

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