

Sunday (27th June)

Masses at 7.00 am, 9.30 am, 11.00 am, 12.30 pm and 7.00 pm

6.00 pm Benediction

Monday to Friday (28th June – 2nd July 2021)

Mass at 8.00 am, 10.00 am and 7.30 pm

12.00 noon The Angelus & Rosary

3.00 pm Divine Mercy Chaplet

8.00 pm Eucharistic Adoration, Rosary followed by Night Prayer

Saturday (3rd July)

Mass at 10.00 am, Vigil Masses at 6.15 pm and 7.30 pm.

Face Coverings: St Eugene's Cathedral ask all adults and children aged 14 and over to please wear a face covering at Masses and other liturgical celebrations ie Funerals, Baptisms, First Communion, Weddings (unless they are exempt from wearing mandatory face coverings). Medical advice is that wearing face coverings is first and foremost about protecting others.

Please continue to observe social distancing, to use the hand sanitiser on entering and leaving the Cathedral.

**Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament
on Tuesday beginning
after 10.00 am Mass
until 7.30 pm Mass.**



Please join us via the Webcam:

We invite you to join us via webcam in St Eugene's Cathedral by watching our live streaming which can be viewed online at www.churchservices.tv, churchmedia.tv/camera/st-eugenescathedral or the parish website at www.steugenescathedral.com.



A short reflection on today's Gospel: *Mark 5:21-43*

Little girl, I tell you to get up

Today's Gospel illuminates important truths about Jesus. One such truth offers us the beautiful consolation that he cares deeply about suffering in the world, so deeply that, far from subscribing to the prejudicial law which would have rendered the woman with the issue of blood unclean, he reaches out to her in kindness, generosity and admiration. He sees into the truth of the woman: her suffering, her courage which is greater than her natural timidity, her humility and, above all, her powerful faith. And her powerful faith brings us to another truth of Jesus illuminated by today's Gospel: if our faith is real, then that faith in itself is sufficient to bring about our own healing. The woman's undiluted faith meant that, in effect, she brought about her own healing. Jesus states this truth clearly:

'My daughter,' he said, 'your faith has restored you to health; go in peace and be free of your complaint.'

One cannot help but effect a contrast between the woman's faith and the lack of faith exhibited by Jesus terrified' disciples when the storm raged around their boat while Jesus slept serenely in the stern.

The healing of the woman happens between Jairus' plea to Jesus to come and save his young daughter who is dangerously ill, and the actual raising of the child from the dead by Jesus. Before they set off for the house of Jairus, word comes to them that the little girl has died. One can only imagine the grief, the heartbreak, of the child's father. Once again Jesus reaches out with pity and love in his response to human suffering. He tells the stricken father to have faith, to trust, and all shall be well. Faith and trust in Jesus prevail and the little girl is restored to life.

Jesus, teach us to surrender ourselves completely to you, trusting in your love for suffering humanity to see us through our trials and to heal our wounds.

Jesus, may our faith in you be as strong as that of the woman in today's Gospel; may it be as trusting as that of the grief-stricken Jairus. May we know that only in total faith and trust in you shall we find the healing we weep for.

Sympathy

We offer our sympathy to the family and friends of

Valerie Curran

John McDermott

Annie Sweeney



May they rest in peace.

Anniversaries

Charlie Callan and Eugene O'Donnell.

May they rest in peace.

Baptisms

We welcome as members of God's family

Jossa James McLaughlin

Kilian John Treamer



Sacrament of Marriage

We congratulate

Orla O'Kane & Kevin Keay



who recently celebrated the Sacrament of Marriage here in St Eugene's Cathedral.



Congratulations to the boys and girls from St Anne's Primary School, St Eugene's Primary School, Rosemount Primary and the Model Primary School who celebrated the Sacrament of First Communion or the Sacrament of Confirmation recently here in St Eugene's Cathedral.



Readers for next weekend – 3rd/4th July 2021

06.15 pm Claire O’Kane
07.30 pm Piaras O Meallain
09.30 am Kevin Finan
11.00 am Oran Gartland
12.30 pm Niamh Kehoe
07.00 pm Marian Boyle



Friday at 11.00 am: Exploring a selection of poems with Mary Murphy livestreamed from the Cathedral Hall. Join via the parish website at www.steugenescathedral.com and choose the link **CATHEDRAL HALL WEBCAM**.

The Matt Talbot Prayer Society – Praying for those suffering from Addiction: This Prayer Society has been created to pray for people who are suffering from any form of addiction, to pray for those recovering from addiction, and to pray for all those affected by addiction, especially family members. As we know addiction takes many forms from alcohol, drugs, gambling, pornography, to other less acknowledged addictions.

To join the Matt Talbot Prayer Society, you are invited to enrol the name of the person to be prayed for and the addiction we are praying that they will be freed from.

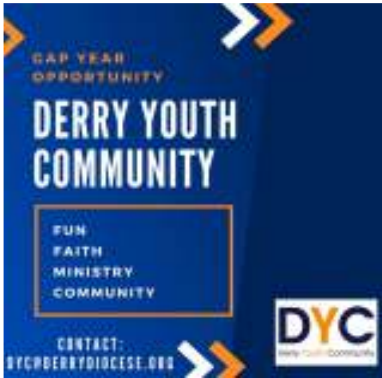
Those enrolled will be prayed for specifically every day by members of the Matt Talbot Prayer Society. Mass will be offered for those enrolled on the first Monday of every month here in St Eugene’s Cathedral at 7.30 pm. You will also receive an enrolment card to enable you to join in the prayer.



To enrol someone in the Matt Talbot Prayer Society please phone St Eugene’s Cathedral at 028 71262894 or email steugenes@btconnect.com or private message St Eugene’s Cathedral Facebook page.

The Matt Talbot Mass will be celebrated here in St Eugene’s Cathedral at 7.30 pm on Monday, 5th July.

Derry Youth Community



- Are you aged between 18-25 years old?
- Deciding what to do in the future (September 2021)?
- Thinking about a Gap Year?
- Want to do something faith based?

Blessed Carlos Acutis

Blessed Carlo Acutis, an Italian Catholic teenager, was beatified in Assisi, Italy on 10th October 2020. He documented Eucharistic miracles around the world and catalogued them all onto a website that he created himself in the months before his death from leukaemia. Carlo was known for his cheerfulness, his care for others, his computer skills and his deep devotion to the Eucharist, saying it was his “highway to heaven”. There is a display in the Cathedral dedicated to Blessed Carlo Acutis and prayer cards which you are welcome to take.



Thank you

Fr Farren acknowledges with thanks a donation for: **Trócaire:** £20, £50.
Building Fund: £80.

Last Week's Collection amounted to £4,387.
Parish Development Collection amounted to £892.

Trócaire
Working for a just world.

Fr Farren thanks you for your generosity to Trocaire's Lenten Campaign. The total contributed here in St Eugene's Cathedral amounted to **£38,500.**

St Vincent de Paul Society (St Eugene's Conference) wish to acknowledge with thanks a donation of £1,000.

There is a box at the back of the Cathedral for weekly parish envelopes and contributions for the upkeep of the Cathedral. **Please note cheques should be made payable to St Eugene's Cathedral.** If you would like to make your weekly envelope contributions by online banking or standing order, please find St Eugene's Cathedral's bank details below:

Account Name: St Eugenes Church No 1 A/C
Account Number: 55192935
Sorting Code Number: 90-49-74
IBAN: GB45 BOFI 9049 7455 1929 35
Branch: Bank of Ireland, 15 Strand Rd, Derry, BT48 7BT

Thank you for your understanding and your continued support to the parish.

Diploma in Pastoral Theology: Drumalis Retreat Centre, in association with St Patrick's Pontifical College, Maynooth invites applications for this two-year, part-time, intensive course which begins in September 2021. The course will run on the basis of 6 in-house days and 18 evening sessions per year for two years. The main aim of this course is to equip people for skilled and supervised active lay ministry within a parish or church community. The course is knowledge and skill-based and grounded in experiential learning. During the course, participants will:

- study and reflect on Christian life and ministry,
- combine pastoral theology and the acquisition of skills with supervised experience in pastoral placements,
- develop the skills of theological reflection, so as to enable them to relate theology and ministry to everyday life,
- engage in ongoing formation of social, organisational, communication and leadership skills.

Closing date for submission of applications is Wednesday, 30th June 2021. Full details are available at: derrydiocese.org/news/diploma-in-pastoral-theology

Certificate in Christian Thought: Drumalis Retreat Centre, in association with St Mary's University College, Belfast, invites applications for this two-year, part-time, intensive course which begins in September 2021. The course will be delivered over 7 Saturdays in each of two successive years, from 10.00 am until 4.30 pm. The Certificate in Christian Thought programme aims to offer a space where adults can explore, reflect upon, discuss and study faith and how it relates to life in today's world, both at a personal and community level. During the course, participants will cover topics on: Spirituality, Pastoral Theology, The Eucharist, Living the Christian Life, The Sacraments, The Scriptures, Where in the World is God? And much more. Full details are available at: derrydiocese.org/news/certificate-in-christian-thought.

Lough Derg 2021: Lough Derg regrets that it will not be possible in 2021 to reopen Station Island for the Traditional Three Day Pilgrimage or even for the autumn programme of Day Retreats. Lough Derg will again offer the opportunity to "*Do Lough Derg from wherever you are*" on 3rd to 5th July. The outdoor *Pilgrimage on the Lough Shore Pilgrim Path* will also be available as the summer goes on. Please contact Lough Derg office 0(0353) 71 9861518 or www.loughderg.org for further information.

Irish Volunteer Agency Creates Online Global Network: Viatores Christi, a faith-based development organisation has specialised in the recruitment, training and deployment of overseas volunteers since 1960. VC have just launched, along with our partner agencies in Volunteering for Humanity, a new Online Discussion Forum that is open to all! The Forum is an online community that is free for everyone to join and to start discussions about volunteering - how to become a volunteer; to share stories and to find volunteering opportunities such as the #EUAVI. To learn more about the forum go to our website www.vcvolunteers.ie

Volunteers Needed for the Foyle Hospice Charity Shop, Waterloo Place: Do you have a few hours to spare a week? Would you like to join a fantastic team of volunteers? Meet new friends? Learn new skills? And most importantly have fun while helping and supporting your local hospice. If this is something that would interest you, please get in touch with Rachael Osbourne, Volunteer Co-ordinator, Foyle Hospice, 61 Culmore Road, 028 71351010 or email rachael@foylehospice.com.



ACCORD DERRY Virtual Interactive Marriage Preparation Programme (*limited to 15 couples per course*). Booking now online at www.accordni.com.

Course Dates

July 6th/7th 2021

20th/21st July 2021

August 10th/11th 2021

Sept 14th/15th 2021

Oct 12th/13th 2021

Nov 9th/10th 2021

Preparing for Marriage? Catholic Engaged Encounter: A 'Zoom' online Marriage Preparation course is planned for [11th-12th September 2021](http://www.marriageencounter.ie). This 2-day course is a positive way of preparing for Marriage where you will discover how you can enrich your future relationship. Information/Booking: [marriageencounter.ie](http://www.marriageencounter.ie) or [028276 38512](tel:02827638512)

Aid for the Children of Yemen: Fr Neal Carlin's new book, *The Eagle, The Tiger and Covid*, is now on sale at €10/£10 and can be purchased by contacting goldenagecentre@hotmail.com. All proceeds are being sent via a direct contact to aid the Children of Yemen.

The Net, is now available online at

<https://www.derrydiocese.org/images/the-net/the-net-june-2021.pdf>.

As always, it features a wide variety of news, interesting and inspiring interviews, articles and photos from parishes across the diocese.

Radio Maria Ireland is an Irish-run Catholic Talk-Radio Station with commercial-free broadcasting of Prayer, Catechesis, Music, Talks, Interviews and Testimonies. You can tune in to the station in a variety of ways:

- *Digital TV - Saorview Channel 210/ Freeview TV (Channel number varies per location in NI)*
- *Download FREE App "RADIO MARIA IRELAND"*
- *Streaming on website, www.radiomarie.ie (subscribe and donate here also)*
- *'Listen Live Radio' link on Facebook Page. (Like, Share and Follow us on Facebook)*
- *Phone – get live radio feed by calling 003531 437 3277 (no extra charges apply).*

The Messenger: Messenger Publications are offering a free online copy. Please visit: https://issuu.com/messengerpublications/docs/messenger_june_v11.3_low_res. If you have any difficulty accessing the link or if you have any further queries, please email c.henry@messenger.ie.

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