

# ST. MARY'S HALL & Cinema

Buncrana (Tel. 9361572)

## Cinema Now Showing

**THE ROCKY HORROR PICTURE SHOW (15A) 95 Mins**  
Saturday 26th September - 8.15pm

**THE GREATEST SHOWMAN (PG) 104mins**  
Sunday 27th September - 3pm & 8.15pm

**CINEMA CLOSED 28TH - 30TH SEPTEMBER**

**SAVAGE (18) 99mins**  
Fri 2nd October - 8.15pm, Sat 3rd - 8.15pm  
Sun 4th - 8.15pm, Mon 5th to Thursday 8th - 8.15pm

**100% WOLF (PG) 95mins (Matinees)**  
Sat 4th October - 3pm, Sun 5th - 3pm.

**Burt GAA** No Jackpot winner this week  
numbers drawn were 9-14-17-18-21  
Kathleen Grant, Burt €30. Liam Mc Kinney,  
Carrowreagh €30  
Jackpot next week €4,900

**Foyle Hospice** volunteers needed in their  
Charity shops, please contact Rachael on  
04871351010 or email  
rachael@foylehospice.com

**The Net:** The September edition of The Net  
is now available online on  
[www.derrydiocese.org](http://www.derrydiocese.org). As always, it fea-  
tures a wide variety of news, interesting in-  
terviews, articles and photos from parishes  
across the diocese. There is a 'Remembering  
Bishop Lagan' feature and a 'Remembering  
John Hume' article in the September is-  
sue. You are invited to read The Net, on the  
diocesan website, at your convenience.

## SVP Assistance for Students

Students requiring assistance for 3rd  
level education, SVP may be able to  
help. Contact any member or call 086  
054 9976.

**Vacancies** SCCI Community Employ-  
ment Scheme require Groundspersons  
for local football pitches/ Youth Club  
Assistants and Tidy Towns workers.  
Please contact David Healey on  
0749361264 for details.

**Hail Holy Queen Conference** On Sat-  
urday October 10th, the **Hail Holy  
Queen Conference** will be Live &  
Exclusive on Radio Maria Ireland, be-  
ginning with the Rosary from  
12.30pm. Guest speakers include Da-  
na, Marino Restrepo, Fr Damian Polly,  
Fr Ruairi O'Domhnaill, Fr Marius  
O'Reilly and more.

# Fahan Parish Newsletter

**Burt, Inch & Fahan**

Last weeks col-  
lection was  
€1,000.  
Sincere Thanks

[fahanparish@derrydiocese.org](mailto:fahanparish@derrydiocese.org)  
[www.fahanparish.com](http://www.fahanparish.com)

**4th October 2020**  
Twenty-Seventh Sunday in  
Ordinary Time

Fr Bradley PP 9363455  
Fr Diggin 9368155  
Fr Mulhern 9360151  
Parish Office 9360151  
(Mon-Thurs 9am-12:30pm)

## OCTOBER MISSION MONTH 2020

Archbishop Kieran O'Reilly, SMA writes:

"Two significant events mark our October Mission Month 2020, the first and the most immediate being the COVID-19 Pandemic which is still raging throughout our world. Indeed, our world, especially the most disadvantaged areas, will be dealing with the effects of this pandemic, according to the experts, for many years to come.

The second significant event to be recalled this Mission Month is the publication of the document *Querida Amazonia* (Beloved Amazonia) from Pope Francis earlier this year. Tragically, we now learn that the COVID-19 pandemic is doing terrible damage to the little communities scattered throughout this vast region. Pope Francis calls for a renewed commitment to the Gospel of hope and life in the Amazon region.

He reminds us that we are all in the same boat on this small planet of ours whether we live in Ireland or in the distant lands of the Amazon: 'We have realised that we are on the same boat, all of us fragile and disoriented, but at the same time, important and needed, all of us called to row together, each of us in need of comforting the other,' From this pandemic, Pope Francis said, we 'have realised that we cannot go on thinking of ourselves, but only together can we do this.'"

This year's Mission Month theme 'Together we can do more - Blessed are the peacemakers' is highlighting that our Church is a global community that must stand together if it is to do more. The theme also recognises our missionaries as peacemakers.

In many of our poorer parishes in Africa, Asia, and Latin America, it is missionaries who are on the front line. We already owe these women and men so much, as they walk hand-in-hand with marginalised communities, long before and after any emergency.

Just like Jesus, the Prince of Peace, missionaries emulate love and harmony as they reconcile fragile people, from fractured communities, with God and with each other.

**READINGS FOR 27<sup>TH</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

**Is. 5:1-7.** If a vineyard that has had everything possible done for it, produces only sour grapes, then it can be expected that a Master will withdraw his care and allow it to go to ruin. The vineyard was an Old Testament metaphor for the people of Israel. Isaiah wrote this over 100 years before the destruction of Jerusalem and the exile of her people.

**Phil. 4:6-9.** Paul writing from prison in Rome is coming to the end of his letter to his dear friends at Philippi. "Never worry...but tell God of all your desires ...and your gratitude. And that peace of God, which is so much greater than we can understand, will guard your hearts and your thoughts in Christ Jesus." The date is about 63 ad.

**Mt. 21:33-43.** Addressing the chief priests and elders Jesus uses a parable beloved of the prophets and familiar to his hearers. But he inserts the son of the master of the vineyard into the story. "They will respect my son." But the tenants kill him too. Yet God will raise and make him into "the keystone" of salvation. "...and it is wonderful to see." So the Kingdom would be taken from the first century Jews to be received gratefully by non-Jews. They too in their turn must produce the required fruit

**MASS TIMES**

*Due to Stage 3 restrictions there will be no congregation at any of the Masses.*

*Masses can be viewed at [churchservices.tv/Cockhill](http://churchservices.tv/Cockhill) at the following times:*

**Sat 3rd Oct at 7pm**

**Sun 4th October at 9am & 11am**

**Mon 5th October at 7pm**

**Tues 6th October at 10am**

**Wed 7th October at 7pm**

**Thurs 8th October at 10am**

**Fri 9th October at 10am**

**Fri 9th October at 7pm**

**Sat 10th October at 7pm**

**PARISH OFFICE OPENING HOURS**

Monday - Thursday  
9am - 12.30pm  
Tel 074 93 60151

**FAMILY ROSARY CRUSADE**

Archbishop Eamonn Martin is asking families to pray the Rosary together for the month of October in what is called the **Family Rosary Crusade**.

**FEAST DAYS THIS WEEK**

**Tuesday 6th October - St Bruno, priest.**

**Wednesday 7th October - Our Lady of the Rosary.**

**Friday 9th October - St John Newman, priest**

**DEATHS**

Your Prayers are asked for **John Burns, Moness, Burt and Rosaleen Molloy (née Brown ) Kilmackilvenny, Burnfoot** who died recently and for their families & friends saddened by their loss.

We also offer our sympathy to the family and friends of

**William Joseph Green,**

Coventry and late of Grange , Inch.

William's funeral Mass is on Thursday 8th October at 10 30am and can be viewed at Christ the King church , Coventry or go to youtube.

**SAFEGUARDING NOTICE**

If you have a concern about safeguarding in this parish, please contact Noel O'Donnell on 048 71362475 or 00447596500793.

**COVID-19 CONFIDENTIAL HELPLINE**

Tel 0830107089, providing support to families within Inishowen who are experiencing difficulties due to the **Pandemic**, promoting inclusion & equality. Going LIVE Monday's Wednesdays & Fridays from 10am - 1.00pm.

**FACE COVERINGS**

The use of face coverings is recommended and encouraged at all Masses and Liturgies in our Chapels, other than for those who are exempted from the wearing of face coverings even in situations where it would otherwise be mandatory.

**Rosary on the Coast for Life & Faith in Ireland**

On Sunday October 11th the **Rosary on the Coast for Life & Faith in Ireland** will take place. This year we will again join in with many other countries from around the world. We will gather on our coasts, at our grottos, our churches, our river banks, our homes, or wherever we can to pray the Rosary safely together, at 2.30pm.

Please do remember to observe Covid 19 guidelines.

See [www.coastalrosaryireland.ie](http://www.coastalrosaryireland.ie)

**MISSION SPIRITUALITY TODAY**

To mark Mission Month in October, a series of online discussions and reflections on Mission Spirituality Today focusing on social justice and the environment will take place on Thursday 8th, 15th, 22nd and 29th October at 7:30pm via Zoom. All welcome to join in the discussion.

To register to take part please email [buncranafaith@gmail.com](mailto:buncranafaith@gmail.com)

**Messenger** The October edition is now available in the Sacristy for the Parishioners who have paid the annual subscription.

**A Thought...** Look behind and be grateful, look ahead and be hopeful, look around and be helpful.