



MEDIA REVIEW - June 19

[Cork native appointed new Bishop of Meath by Pope Francis](#)

Irish Examiner

... post as Bishop of Meath, welcomed **news** of the appointment of his successor. ... to serve as Bishop among the priests, **religious** and lay people," he said. ... Smith, Bishop Emeritus of Meath, the longest serving bishop in **Ireland**.

[Two Irish bishops reflect on future of Catholic **Church** in separate homilies](#)

Irish Examiner

Two Irish bishops have today reflected on the future of the Catholic **Church** in a more secular and pluralist society predicting a greater evangelical role ...

[Losing our **religion**? 'People in **Ireland** have turned from God and it's sad'](#)

[Independent.ie](#)

The **Ireland** that Pope Francis will visit in August is unrecognisable to the ... people who are **religious** to be ashamed they have **religious** convictions."

[Father-of-two ordained a deacon in Enniskillen](#)

The Irish News

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Church of Ireland Bishop of Clogher, John McDowell and the Dean of ... life of Martin, Caitlín and their family, in the life of this parish and this diocese.

Ireland: 'Lay people are the new evangelists'

Independent Catholic News

Bishop Leo O'Reilly told the Kilmore diocesan pilgrimage to the Shrine of Knock yesterday: "The **Church** of today is, I hope, getting closer to being the ...

[Royal Black makes history as new leader elected at hall in Republic](#)
Belfast Telegraph

The **Church of Ireland** minister from Co Armagh succeeds Millar Farr, who announced he was stepping down last month. He had served as grand ...

[Col cleric takes reins at Royal Black Institution](#) - Belfast Newsletter

[Amnesty International says Northern Ireland has a huge racism problem](#)

Belfast Live

Racism is a "huge problem" in Northern **Ireland**, Amnesty International has said. ... which makes Northern **Ireland** a toxic place to live for too many people from minority ethnic and **religious** communities. ... But it is not all bad **news**.

Foster attending LGBT event 'important step towards dialogue'

<https://www.belfasttelegraph.co.uk/news/northern-ireland/foster-attending-lgbt-event-important-step-towards-dialogue-37023112.html>

Love cheat DUP MP Simpson quits as Orange Order member

<https://www.belfasttelegraph.co.uk/news/northern-ireland/love-cheat-dup-mp-simpson-quits-as-orange-order-member-37020177.html>

I'll not repent of Yes vote, insists Mary McAleese

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<https://www.belfasttelegraph.co.uk/news/republic-of-ireland/ill-not-repent-of-yes-vote-insists-mary-mcaleese-37020363.html>

Watchdog is called in to investigate whether same-sex ruling breaches charity regulations

<https://www.belfasttelegraph.co.uk/news/northern-ireland/watchdog-is-called-in-to-investigate-whether-samesex-ruling-breaches-charity-regulations-37008215.html>

Golfers' chance to get on fairway to heaven with fundraiser for Church

Irish Examiner

Up to this time, Catholic churches (as well as buildings of other non-**Church of Ireland** denominations) were not permitted in prominent locations, ...

[Vicky Beeching, the lesbian shut out by the stained glass ceiling](#)

The Times

Vicky Beeching was one of the **Church of England's** brightest prospects when the Archbishop of Canterbury urged her to join the priesthood.

[Half of primary school teachers give out soap to pupils from hard-up households](#)

Mirror.co.uk

Nicola Finney, 49, head of St Paul's **Church of England** primary in Stoke-on-Trent, Staffs, has spent thousands of pounds of her own cash helping ...

