



MEDIA REVIEW - June 4

Bishop defends **Church** position and describes referendum celebrations as 'horrific'

Irish Examiner

In a wide ranging and forthright interview a Catholic Bishop has lashed out at recent criticism of the **Church** on a range of issues and suggested he ...

After **Ireland's** abortion vote, where does the Catholic **church** go now?

The Guardian

Since Éamon de Valera drew up the constitution of **Ireland** in 1937, believing that the Catholic **church** was central to Irish identity, nation and **church** ...

Fintan O'Toole: Catholic **Ireland** is now a **religious** rust belt of half-empty churches

Irish Times

On Friday of last week, the people of Dunleer in Co Louth went to the local national school to mark their ballot papers in the referendum. There is no ...

Guest Editorial: Irish vote on abortion affirms dividing line between **church**, state

Athol Daily News

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The people of overwhelmingly Catholic **Ireland** have officially broken with Vatican doctrine on abortion. Two-thirds of voters in a referendum Friday ...

[The abortion referendum was the latest move in a quiet revolution for social justice in Ireland](#)

iNews

Northern **Ireland** voted Remain in the referendum two years ago and is ... Today, there are a dwindling number of both **religious** Protestants and ...

[Guest Editorial: Irish vote on abortion affirms dividing line between church, state](#) - Athol Daily News

[Abortion: We won't quiz couples on their stance- Protestant Churches](#)

Belfast Telegraph

Methodist spokesman Rev Roy Cooper, a former president of the Methodist **Church in Ireland**, said that "in my years as a parish minister, preparing ...

[Catholic Church failed its own standards in institutions, archbishop says](#)

Irish Times

The Catholic **Church** allowed itself to become involved in forms of institutional care that failed its own standards, the Archbishop of Dublin said on ...

[Ireland Takes On the Catholic Church Again. This Time It's About Schools.](#)

New York Times

The Catholic Church controls 90 percent of **Ireland's** elementary schools, ... The policy is resented by parents who belong to smaller **religious** faiths, ...

[Peters: With anti-Catholic sentiment rampant, don't believe the propaganda](#) - Carroll County Times

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[What's next?: Breaking **religious** influence over education with a Citizens Assembly model](#)
[thejournal.ie](#)

The next constitutional cause must be to break **religious** influence over ... The vast majority of our schools are under **religious** patronage, with ... to a modern, secular and equality-based education system for a modern **Ireland**. **News** images provided by Press Association and Photocall **Ireland** unless ...

[Lifting of the baptism barrier shows time is ripe for change](#)
[Independent.ie](#)

Religion is one of those grounds but, in a different **Ireland** of 20 years ago, there was a derogation for education, to allow denominational schools to ...

[Baptism barrier to Catholic school places to go by next year](#)

The Irish News

It has allowed schools under Church control to give priority admissions to ... Other minority faiths, including the **Church of Ireland**, may continue the ...

['People's bishop' a champion of Catholic education](#)

Irish Times

Around this tempestuous time he famously lost his temper at a **news** ... “at a time of seismic and rapid change both in civil society and in the **church** family”. ... In tributes, Primate of All **Ireland** Archbishop Eamon Martin lauded his 56 ...

[Irish language scheme cut without equality tests](#)

BBC News

By Robbie Meredith BBC **News** NI Education Correspondent ... good relations between people of different political opinions, **religious** beliefs or racial ...

[Protestant culture in **independent Ireland** was ignored, not vilified](#)

Belfast Newsletter

As early as 1963, Bishop Arthur Butler addressed the General Synod of the **Church of Ireland**. His title? 'A confident minority'. No question mark.

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[Rathdowney NS in Laois is Irish Aid award finalist](#)

Leinster Express

With their teacher Mairéad Hogan, the 3rd to 6th Class group from the two teacher **Church of Ireland** school, showcased their project at the regional ...

[Anglican Diocese Invites LGBT People to Become Priests](#)

CBN News

They also hope to change the Church's perception of being "homophobic ... The House of Bishops of the **Church of Ireland** said the marriage service ...

[Ringling the Bells of Change as ICAD Celebrates Creativity at Annual Awards](#)

AdWorld

A total of 84 ICAD 'bells' were awarded at the ICAD Awards last week in Dublin's Christ **Church**. Of these 11 were gold, 24 silver while the remaining ...

[New visitor attraction for North Kilkenny opening this morning KCLR96FM.com](#)

St Lachtain's **Church of Ireland** in Freshford – built on a site dating from around the 6th Century – is opening to the public as an Arts and Crafts Centre ...

[Bishops in push for transgender vicars over perceptions of homophobia inside **Church** expressandstar.com](#)

Rev Gregory accepted people may question why people, who cannot marry inside a church, can become ministers, but said the **Church of England** ...

[Bishops' support for transgender reverends - shropshirestar.com](#)

[Churchgoers help stop modern slavery at car washes](#)

BBC News

Churchgoers are being asked to help tackle criminals involved in modern slavery. They are asked to report signs of slavery at car washes, using a new ...

BBC/BBC Radio 4 Sunday programme/S Times

Reports on the launch of the Safe Car Wash App by the Clewer Initiative, the Church of England's campaign against modern slavery, and the Santa Marta Group, the Catholic Church's anti-slavery project, aimed at helping to eradicate slavery in hand car washes in the UK. The Archbishop of Canterbury, Justin Welby, the Cardinal Archbishop of Westminster, Vincent Nichols, and the Bishop of Derby, Alastair Redfern are among those quoted. (See also News from the Church of England, above)

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/programmes/b0b4yzrf> (at around 25 seconds)

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/news/av/uk-england-derbyshire-44337746/churchgoers-help-stop-modern-slavery-at-car-washes>

<https://www.thetimes.co.uk/edition/news/church-to-end-slavery-at-car-wash-hz67ptgpm>

Sunday Times

Report that former Cabinet Minister Jonathan Aitken, who served a prison sentence in 1999 for perjury, is to be ordained at St Paul's Cathedral by the Bishop of London, Sarah Mullally on June 30. The Sunday Times reports that he plans to work as a prison chaplain.

<https://www.thetimes.co.uk/edition/news/ex-con-jonathan-aitken-to-be-prison-chaplain-qx6vcc06p>

<https://www.thetimes.co.uk/edition/news-review/jonathan-aitken-i-prayed-in-jail-with-blaggers-dippers-and-kiters-now-im-going-to-be-gods-man-inside-9w2t272ks>(Profile)

Mail on Sunday

Profile of Bear Grylls, adventurer and broadcaster, mentioning his Christian faith.

http://www.dailymail.co.uk/health/article-5798513/Former-SAS-soldier-TV-survivalist-Bear-Grylls-champions-joy-outdoor-living.html?ITO=1490&ns_mchannel=rss&ns_campaign=1490

