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IRELAND

CHURCH

Archbishop sued by Church of Ireland minister over job termination

A Dublin-city based Church of Ireland minister has brought High Court proceedings aimed at preventing what he claims is the termination of his ...

<http://www.irishtimes.com/news/crime-and-law/courts/high-court/archbishop-sued-by-church-of-ireland-minister-over-job-termination-1.3055754>

Laity to lead prayers in Limerick diocese

<http://feeds.examiner.ie/~r/ietopstories/~3/iq6-mPxHI2Q/lay-led-prayer-trials-in-limerick-448445.html>

Harney wonders why Sisters of Charity wish to own hospital

<http://www.irishtimes.com/news/health/harney-wonders-why-sisters-of-charity-wish-to-own-hospital-site-1.3057178>

Sisters of Charity heavily criticised in HIGA reports

<http://www.irishtimes.com/news/social-affairs/religion-and-beliefs/sisters-of-charity-run-facilities-heavily-criticised-in-higa-reports-1.3057123>

NORTHERN ELECTION

Nesbitt may try to take McDonnell's Westminster seat in South Belfast

<http://www.belfasttelegraph.co.uk/news/northern-ireland/nesbitt-may-try-to-take-mcdonnells-westminster-seat-in-south-belfast-35643943.html?>

Victim will shun SDLP if pact with SF is agreed

A woman whose sister was killed by the IRA whilst leaving Mass has declared “decent, law-

abiding nationalists” may well shun the SDLP if it cuts an electoral deal with Sinn Fein.

<http://www.newsletter.co.uk/ira-victim-i-will-never-back-sdlp-again-if-it-does-election-deal-with-sf-1-7926934>

IRISH LANGUAGE

Arlene Foster will be meeting with Irish language groups “in the near future” the party has said, confirming a report that Pobal in west Belfast is one of those lined up to host a meeting.

<http://www.newsletter.co.uk/foster-to-meet-pobal-irish-language-group-1-7926864>

Issues of culture and identity have featured at the heart of the Stormont talks and in its simplest terms this manifests itself in the main ask of Sinn Fein for an Irish Language Act (ILA).

<http://www.newsletter.co.uk/time-to-de-politicise-irish-and-wait-for-commission-findings-1-7926263>

Historic Orange Order involvement - Now that some unionist politicians are to “listen to and engage with those from the Gaelic Irish background, people who genuinely love the Irish language and don’t want to use it as a political

weapon”, perhaps they might like to reflect on some historical facts:

<http://www.newsletter.co.uk/orangemen-in-the-past-had-no-problem-with-the-irish-language-1-7923103>

Five Sinn Féin members resign in Kildare over allegations of bullying

“We have been insulted, disrespected,” said councillor Sorchá O’Neill.

<http://www.thejournal.ie/sinn-fein-members-resign-naas-kildare-3351794-Apr2017/>

LGBT charity orders full review of services in light of Charities Regulator investigation

The charity is being investigated by Charities Regulator.

<http://www.thejournal.ie/glen-charity-review-3352732-Apr2017/>

The Citizens' Assembly votes on abortion today. Here's how it will play out

Up to four votes could take place over the course of two days.

<http://www.thejournal.ie/citizens-assembly-4-3351544-Apr2017/>

GREAT BRITAIN

BBC Review of today's Newspapers

http://www.bbc.co.uk/news/blogs/the_papers

Sir Eric Pickles to quit as MP

Sir Eric Pickles, the former Conservative Party chairman, has announced he is standing down as Brentwood and Ongar MP after 25 years.

<http://www.bbc.co.uk/news/uk-politics-39677950>

Reality Check: How much does the UK spend on overseas aid?

<http://www.bbc.co.uk/news/uk-politics-39658907>

INTERNATIONAL

Paris shooting: Fr Aidan Troy on extra security

Something was 'in the air' with extra security ahead of Thursday's attack, says Fr Aidan Troy.

<http://www.bbc.co.uk/news/uk-northern-ireland-39664572>

Why did Aaron Hernandez write 'John 3:16' on his forehead before killing himself?

The verse is popular among football players. Before his conviction for murder, Hernandez had

several other Christian symbols tattooed on his body. [More from Religion News Service](#)

Arkansas puts Ledell Lee to death, in its first execution since 2005

Lee, who requested holy communion as his last meal, had been the focus of intense efforts by death penalty opponents to halt his execution and several more planned by the state before its supply of chemicals used to kill convicted murderers expires. [More from www.nytimes.com](#)

How Bill O'Reilly used religion to fuel fear — and his show

He acted as an aggressive right-wing prophet decrying the elitist secular left, writes Christopher Hale. [More from www.washingtonpost.com](#)

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A Bronx church's O'Reilly factor

What do you say when the deposed Fox News host turns out to have given a lot of money to help a struggling parish run by his friend, a Catholic priest? [More from www.nytimes.com](#)

After Columbine, martyrdom became a powerful fantasy for Christian teenagers

Cassie Bernall and Rachel Scott weren't just victims — they became part of a bigger

narrative, with far-reaching effects. [More from Vox](#)

[This Islamic school helps students build their American and Muslim identity](#)

The Al Fatih Academy in Virginia is one of about 270 Islamic schools in the U.S. The staff aim to give their students a well-rounded education and promote civic awareness. [More from NPR.org](#)