

### **MEDIA REVIEW - May 10**

### Archbishop Martin will continue to push for Pope to visit Northern Ireland

Belfast Telegraph

I will continue to advocate a Papal visit to Northern **Ireland**, if not now then as soon as possible. "I'm encouraged that the other main **churches** have ...

### Enniskillen bomb families call on head of Irish Church

**BBC News** 

Some of the families of those killed in the Enniskillen Poppy Day bomb want the head of the Catholic **Church** in **Ireland** to intervene in a row over a ...

### Enniskillen bomb families ask Catholic Primate for help BBC News

Some of the families of those killed in the Enniskillen Poppy Day bomb want the head of the Catholic **Church** in **Ireland** to intervene in a row over a memorial. Twelve people were killed and 68 others were injured in the bombing in Enniskillen, County Fermanagh on Remembrance Sunday 1987.

Foster offers to act as facilitator in Enniskillen memorial row http://www.bbc.co.uk/news/uk-northern-ireland-44046963

### Bishops warn against 'abortion on demand'

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Irish Times

The law and the teaching of the **Church** have always found a way, with ... an impediment to saving the life of a mother as **Irish** doctors have always had ...

### Bishop says 'absent fathers can be blamed for terminations' Independent.ie

The leadership of the Catholic **Church** has stepped up its campaign against ... "Let there be no doubt that this is a watershed moment in **Irish** society.

#### Churches' stance against abortion is 'virtue signalling' Irish Times

Article 40.3.3 – which was correctly opposed in 1983 by the **Church** of **Ireland**, the Presbyterian **Church** and the Methodist **Church** because the ...

# Irish campaigners in abortion referendum vie for online impactBangkok Post

### <u>Ireland's abortion referendum: Young liberals look to bury Church's influence</u>

ChristianToday

The Catholic **Church** in **Ireland** has issued numerous statements against abortion and in favour of the right to life. However it appears to be less influential than it once was in what remains a highly Catholic country culturally, but one that is changing and in which social liberalism has spread.

#### Removal of 'Baptism barrier' may prompt legal action Irish Times

However, minority faiths, such as the **Church** of **Ireland**, would be allowed to prioritise members of their religion in order to protect their ethos in cases ...

Journal.ie

http://www.thejournal.ie/baptism-barrier-4001281-May2018/

# Millions of Christians worldwide prepare to join ecumenical prayers + video

Independent Catholic News

In the UK, thousands of churches will be organising activities for the 11 ... the Baptist Union of GB and the Catholic **Church of England** and Wales to ...

### Merging four County Down Catholic schools 'is right' BBC News

Bishop Donal McKeown tells parents that merging four schools is 'the right thing'.

http://www.bbc.co.uk/news/uk-northern-ireland-44045813

## Sailortown church reopened by Belfast Lord Mayor BBC News

St Joseph's Church, Sailortown, was closed by the Catholic Church in 2001 despite parishioners' protests.

http://www.bbc.co.uk/news/uk-northern-ireland-44043309

## RHI Inquiry: As cash for ash was starting to implode, a more lucrative tariff was proposed

**INews** 

At the point where Stormont officials were unaware that the RHI scheme was beginning to run out of control they were exploring the possibility of introducing an even more lucrative tariff, it has emerged. The Department of Enterprise, Trade and Investment (DETI), was also considering a second change which would have made RHI more financially attractive to claimants, the public inquiry into the cash for ash scandal was today told.

https://inews.co.uk/news/northern-ireland/rhi-inquiry-as-scheme-was-starting-to-implode-a-more-lucrative-tariff-was-proposed/amp/? twitter impression=true

### Mental health and faith: how churches can help to lift the lid and relieve the pressure

**Church Times** 

As Mental Health Awareness Week approaches, Johanna Derry looks at the help churches can offer. Stories about mental health are making the headlines more than ever before. In February, it was the turn of the clergy. In a survey published by the Church of

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England and the Church Urban Fund, clergy reported that mentalhealth problems were now one of the biggest social issues that they were encountering. The proportion of the senior clergy who think that mental health is a serious issue in their community rose from 40 per cent in 2011, to 60 per cent last year (News, 9 February).

https://www.churchtimes.co.uk/articles/2018/4-may/features/features/mental-health-and-faith-how-churches-can-help-to-lift-the-lid-and-relieve-the-pressure

### The Ministry of the Disabled

Christianity Today

https://www.christianitytoday.com/ct/2018/may/ministry-of-disabled.html

### 'Irrevocably Redefining Marriage': Episcopal Church Deletes the Words 'Husband' and 'Wife' From ...

**CBN News** 

According to LifeSite News, the change aims to make the church's marriage ... According to the Telegraph, the Church of England's Secretary General William ... Another liberal faith organization affiliated with the Church of England ...

