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IRELAND - FAITH

St George's Belfast Sexton prepares for Everest marathon

<http://connor.anglican.org/2017/07/26/st-georges-sexton-prepares-everest-marathon/>

Claudy remembrance service has ‘message of hope’

A remembrance service tonight marking the 45th anniversary of the Claudy bombings is a chance for the entire community to show solidarity with all those affected by the terror attack, a victims' group has said.

Claudy survivor: I don't think we will ever get justice

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A survivor of the 1972 Claudy bombings has said she has lost all hope of justice ever being done for the victims of the atrocity.

Irish Protestants ‘must feel free to talk about their past’

<https://www.irishtimes.com/news/ireland/irish-news/irish-protestants-must-feel-free-to-talk-about-their-past-1.3171740?mode=amp>

Croagh Patrick numbers hold up despite competition from GAA

<http://www.irishtimes.com/news/social-affairs/religion-and-beliefs/croagh-patrick-numbers-hold-up-despite-competition-from-gaa-1.3171674>

Mass-goers seek sanctuary at church after travellers mass brawl in Ballymena street

<http://www.belfasttelegraph.co.uk/news/northern-ireland/massgoers-seek-sanctuary-at-church-after-mass-brawl-in-street-35983120.html?>

Appointment to Drumbo Parish

<http://www.moneyreaghcommunitychurch.org/rev-mervyn-jamison-appointment-to-holy-trinity-ballylesson-in-drumbo-parish/>
<http://www.downanddromore.org/news/2017/07/Appointment-to-Drumbo-Parish>

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**Invite to Tea at Sea at Mission to Seafarers,
Belfast**

<http://connor.anglican.org/2017/07/26/invite-mission-seafarers-tea-sea/>

Dean of Belfast pens his final blog

<http://www.downanddromore.org/news/2017/07/Dean-of-Belfast-pens-his-final-blog>

C of I Priorities Fund open for applications

<https://dublin.anglican.org/news/2017/07/28/priorities-fund-open-for-applications>

**Politicians must go extra mile for Stormont -
Presbyterian minister**

Life it has been said is like an onion – you peel it off one layer at a time and sometimes you weep.

<http://www.newsletter.co.uk/rev-david-latimer-our-politicians-must-go-extra-mile-to-reinstate-stormont-1-8075629>

IRELAND - SOCIAL AND POLITICAL

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Taoiseach takes hard line on border post Brexit

<http://feeds.examiner.ie/~r/ietopstories/~3/t0nNIQuE8oA/taoiseach-takes-hard-line-on-post-brexit-border-455977.html>

Irish premier ‘politicking’ over Brexit border issue

The DUP has accused the Irish government of “pure politicking”, after its latest intervention in the Brexit border issue.

Luxembourg finance boss blasts Ireland’s ‘false accusations’

The head of Luxembourg’s financial lobby group has accused Irish politicians of making “false accusations” against the Duchy as the battle to snare London-based firms looking for a new home after Brexit intensifies.

Number of foreign couples attempting to marry in Ireland drops 58% since new laws

Gardaí are now using new laws to tackle sham marriages.

<http://www.thejournal.ie/sham-marriages-ireland-gang-3502733-Jul2017/>

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Sunday Times confirms Kevin Myers won't write for them again after offensive equal pay column

The article, written by Irish journalist Kevin Myers, has been sharply criticised.

<http://www.thejournal.ie/sunday-times-equal-pay-3521490-Jul2017/>

Abusive husband allowed back into home after wife couldn't afford €130 legal aid fee

The woman's case has been highlighted by Flac today as it calls for this fee to be waived for victims of domestic abuse.

<http://www.thejournal.ie/flac-report-3521683-Jul2017/>

Call for transparency over Belfast council bonfire vote

A call has been made for Belfast City Council to publish the names of those councillors who voted in favour of an injunction to stop people from accessing a number of loyalist bonfires sites.

<http://www.newsletter.co.uk/call-for-transparency-over-belfast-council-bonfire-injunction-1-8079686>

Segregated schooling Hugh waste of cash - Adrian Dunbar

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NI's segregated schooling system senseless and huge waste of cash, says Dunbar

<http://www.belfasttelegraph.co.uk/news/northern-ireland/nis-segregated-schooling-system-senseless-and-huge-waste-of-cash-says-dunbar-35982169.html?>

Community in mourning for teacher who 'changed countless lives for the better'

<http://www.belfasttelegraph.co.uk/news/northern-ireland/community-in-mourning-for-teacher-who-changed-countless-lives-for-the-better-35982514.html?>

Weekly newspaper review: Maiden voyage, gas explosion and new CCTV

The Claudy bombing anniversary and a coffee shop cyber-attack also feature in the weekly papers.

<http://www.bbc.co.uk/news/uk-northern-ireland-40726193>

UNITED KINGDOM

Newspaper headlines: Motor 'rip-offs' over insurance and rental

Stories about motor insurance and car rental occupy the front pages of Monday's papers.

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<http://www.bbc.co.uk/news/blogs-the-papers-40771891>

Passchendaele: Ypres lights up to remember a dark past

A century since the city became a muddy battlefield, Britons flock to Ypres to remember Passchendaele.

<http://www.bbc.co.uk/news/uk-40752279>

Passchendaele 100: William and Kate join commemorations

<http://www.bbc.co.uk/news/uk-40767601>

Where is the Church of England Evangelical Council when we need it?

A long time ago, in a land that certainly now feels far, far away, the renowned Anglican evangelical theologian John Stott had a good idea.

New threat to Evangelicals in Britain

Recently, Barnabas Fund has drawn attention to the increasing hostility to evangelical Christians that has characterised some sections of the media and even some government institutions. Over the past 12 months we have seen [Christian](#)

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[politicians](#) asked overtly theological questions and attempts by some mainstream media in the recent UK general election [to](#)

["out"](#) parliamentary candidates as Christians, declaring them "unfit" to hold public office because they held mainstream Christian beliefs such as believing in miracles.

<http://anglicanmainstream.org/new-threat-to-evangelical-christians-in-the-uk/>

Gafcon bishop loses permission to officiate.

<http://anglicanmainstream.org/gafcon-bishop-loses-his-permission-to-officiate/>

Revealed - why Moderators wear lace

Why do Moderators of the General Assembly wear lace?

Search is on for Wales' favourite church/chapel

From medieval cathedrals to hilltop chapels – Wales has some of the most beautiful and historical religious buildings in the world and now you have the chance to vote for your favourite. To celebrate and raise awareness of Wales' religious heritage, the National Churches Trust, the UK's church building support charity, has launched 'Sacred Wales' – 'Cymru

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Sanctaidd' by giving people a chance to choose Wales' favourite church or chapel.

Mail

AFP report that Archbishop of Canterbury, Justin Welby yesterday declared Sudan the 39th province of the Anglican Communion, six years after the predominantly Christian south gained independence from the north. Article notes that the archbishop said that creating a 39th Anglican province with its own Khartoum-based archbishop was a "new beginning" for Christians in Sudan.

<http://www.dailymail.co.uk/wires/afp/article-4743894/Archbishop-Canterbury-declares-Sudan-new-Anglican-province.html>

Mail/Sun/Mirror/Premier/Get Surrey

Reports that Canon Martyn Neale, vicar of Hawley in Hampshire, was found dead. Articles include quote from a diocese of Guildford spokesman.

<http://www.dailymail.co.uk/news/article-4743232/Vicar-60-dies-setting-fire-himself.html>

<https://www.thesun.co.uk/news/4130514/quietly-spoken-vicar-60-died-after-setting-himself-on-fire-at-his-village-recotory/>

<http://www.mirror.co.uk/news/uk-news/vicar-sets-himself-on-fire-10901617>

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<https://www.premier.org.uk/News/UK/Vicar-dies-after-setting-himself-on-fire>

<http://www.getsurrey.co.uk/news/hampshire-news/vicar-hawley-dies-police-investigation-13406145?service=responsive>

BBC

A village carnival at Bonsall, in Derbyshire could be axed after 90 years if land owned by the Church is sold, organisers have said as this year's festival begins. Acting Archdeacon of Chesterfield, Tony Kaunhoven, is quoted: "The diocese has a legal responsibility to look at what it owns. Professional advice is that the car park would be suitable for development but we know local people want to see the carnival continue and that absolutely will be fed into the consultation."

<http://www.bbc.co.uk/news/uk-england-derbyshire-40764906>

Investment and Pensions Europe

Further coverage of the Church of England Pensions Board's annual results, noting the return of 21.2% as the highest since records began in 2003.

<https://www.ipe.com/countries/uk/index-linked-gilts-help-church-pensions-board-to-record-returns/10020048.article>

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Church Times, United Christian Broadcasters (radio interview from around 1.39)

Interviews with the Church of England's Head of Digital Communications, Adrian Harris, to mark the launch of Church of England Digital Labs, part of the Renewal and Reform programme. The initiative will gather together Christian coders, creative and techies with the skills and passion for using technology to aid the church.

<https://www.churchtimes.co.uk/articles/2017/28-july/news/uk/c-of-e-builds-up-its-digital-presence#.WXrcCNr8akE.twitter>

<http://www.ucb.co.uk/catchup/20532092/stream/311?client=ucb>

Profound and unique experience in Taize for Yorkshire teenagers

- Teenagers from five schools in northern England have just arrived home after a pilgrimage with the Archbishop of York, Dr John Sentamu, to Taize in France. The Taizé Community is an ecumenical monastic order of more than one hundred brothers, from Catholic and Protestant traditions. Founded in 1940 by Roger Louis Schutz-Marsauche (known as 'Brother Roger'), the Taizé Community every year

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attracts over 100,000 young people from around the world.

INTERNATIONAL

Salvation Army takes international action against human trafficking

To mark the United Nations World Day Against Trafficking in Persons, The Salvation Army will begin innovative work in Nigeria and the Philippines.

Gender-justice abortion fight now heads to European Court

The Christian Legal Centre has filed a claim to the European Court of Human Rights on behalf of pro-life campaigner Aisling Hubert.

Liturgy institute to be revamped as centre promoting Catholic culture

A liturgical institute established in 2014 by Archbishop Salvatore Cordileone of San Francisco will be revamped to broaden its focus beyond forming ministers of sacred music and liturgy and to “reclaim the Catholic imagination”, especially through literature. The Benedict XVI Institute for Sacred Music and Divine Worship will be re-imagined “as a centre for promoting Catholic...

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China tells journalists not to call Cardinal Zen ‘emeritus bishop’

A state-run news agency in China has directed mainland journalists to refer to Cardinal Joseph Zen Ze-kun not as the “emeritus” bishop of Hong Kong, but to use the word “former.” The new terminology on how to refer to Cardinal Zen was part of a broader list of words and phrases to be “banned or used with care”, issued by the Xinhua News Agency to media workers...

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