



PROGRAMME OF EVENTS

Maynooth Celebrates 225

The Official Launch of our 225th Anniversary Celebrations with guest speakers, guided tours, and a concert from the Maynooth College Chapel Choir providing a unique opportunity to experience the people, place and purpose of St Patrick's College, Maynooth

*Thursday 3rd October
3:00p.m. || Aula Maxima*

Feasts and Seasons II Workshop

Directed by Dr John O'Keeffe, this workshop is for singers, choirs, musicians and all who are interested in music in the liturgy

Registration via [Eventbrite.ie](https://www.eventbrite.ie)

*Wednesday 16th October
7:30p.m. || Renehan Hall*

Devlin Lecture

Professor Bradford Hinze of Fordham University, New York will speak on "Can We Find Our Way Together? The Challenge of Synodality in a Wounded and Wounding Church."

All are welcome, please indicate your attendance by emailing specialevents@spcm.ie

*Tuesday 22nd October 2019
7:30p.m. || Renehan Hall*

NOVEMBER 2019

Pontifical University Conferring

Special occasion for our graduates and their families to celebrate their recent qualifications

INVITATION ONLY

*Saturday 9th November 2019
7:30p.m. || Renehan Hall*

Mass for Deceased Benefactors, Staff and Students of the College

Annual Mass for deceased benefactors, staff and students of the College.

*Sunday 10th November 2019
9.30.a.m. || St Mary's Oratory*

Autumn Open Days

Come visit us on Friday 29th and/or Saturday 30th November, at our Autumn Open Days, run in conjunction with Maynooth University. Throughout the Open Days our student ambassadors, admissions officer and school liaison officer will lead personalised guided tours of the North and South campus.

All are Welcome

Friday 29th November - Saturday November 30th 2019

DECEMBER 2019

Maynooth College Plainchant Performance

A performance of a selection of seasonal chants by students of the Music Departments of St Patrick's College, Maynooth and Maynooth University.

All are Welcome

*Thursday 12th December 2019
1:00p.m|| College Chapel*

Maynooth Brass and Reed Band Christmas Concert

Award winning local concert band perform a combination of Christmas classics, surely to get you into the Christmas spirit!

Tickets available from [Eventbrite.ie](https://www.eventbrite.ie)

*Sunday 15th December 2019
7:30p.m|| Aula Maxima*



Maynooth Carol Services

In its 50th year, our traditional carol service returns again this year to help celebrate the festive season. Music is provided by the Maynooth University Choral Society under the direction of Dr John O'Keeffe, the Maynooth College Chapel Choir, the Schola Gregoriana and the Maynooth University Chamber Choir.

*Monday 16th December - Wednesday 18th
December 2019*

7:30p.m. || College Chapel

BY INVITATION ONLY

FEBRUARY 2020

Trinity College Dublin, Choral Evensong at Maynooth College

Please join the Chapel Choir of Trinity College Dublin for choral evensong in the historic College Chapel of St Patrick's College, Maynooth. Works to include settings by C.V. Stanford.

All are Welcome

*Tuesday 11th February 2020
6:00pm || College Chapel*

Maynooth College Gala Concert

The Schola Gregoriana, the Maynooth College Chapel Choir and Professor Gerard Gillen (honorary doctorate of SPCM) for a gala concert as part of the 225th anniversary celebrations.

Registration via [Eventbrite.ie](https://www.eventbrite.ie)

*Sunday 16th February 2020
4:00p.m|| College Chapel*

MARCH 2020

Bellarmino University Chorale and the Maynooth University Chamber Choir

'Choir of the World' Maynooth University Chamber Choir and the Bellarmino University Choir Kentucky present a joint concert of choral classics from the Renaissance to modern era.

Tickets available from [Eventbrite.ie](https://www.eventbrite.ie)

*Sunday 1st March 2020
7:30p.m|| College Chapel*

An tAthair Peadar Ó Laoighaire: Céad Bliain Ar Aghaidh óna Shaol Féin

There will be an exhibition featuring material from the Peadar Ó Laoighaire archive that will run for the whole month of March 2020 in the foyer of the John Paul II Library. This will commemorate the 100th anniversary Ó Laoighaire's death, and will also coincide with Seachtain na Gaeilge 2020 and the 50th anniversary of Leachtai Choilm Cille.

*Tuesday 3rd March - Tuesday 31st March
2020 || Foyer, John Paul II Library*



Haydn's Creation

The Maynooth University Choral Society presents Franz J. Haydn's 'Creation' under the direction of Dr John O'Keeffe (director of Sacred Music at St Patrick's College, Maynooth)

Tickets available from the Maynooth University Music Department

*Sunday 8th March 2020
4:00pm || College Chapel*

Trócaire Lecture

Joint lecture hosted by St Patrick's College, Maynooth and Trócaire.

More information to follow

Tuesday 10th March 2020

Postgraduate Open Evening

In conjunction with Maynooth University, the postgraduate open evening is an excellent opportunity to explore the range of Masters, Diploma and PhD programmes on offer here at St Patrick's College, Maynooth

All are welcome

*Tuesday 10th March 2020
4:00p.m. || Pugin Hall*



CORISH LECTURE

Professor David Morgan of Duke University will speak on, "The Visible Culture of Revelation: Dreams, Visions, and the Imagery that Make Them Visible."

All are welcome, please indicate your attendance by emailing specialevents@spcm.ie

*Wednesday 11th March 2020
7:30p.m. || Renehan Hall*

St Patrick's College, Patron's Day Celebration

An afternoon symposium celebrating our patron, followed by evening prayer.

More details to follow on www.maynoothcollege.ie

*Thursday 12th March 2020
2:00pm || Renehan Hall & Colledge Chapel*

APRIL 2020

Holy Week Ceremonies 2020

Come and experience the Easter Triduum at St Patrick's College, Maynooth. All ceremonies take place in the College Chapel accompanied by music from the Maynooth College Chapel Choir directed by Dr John O'Keeffe

All are Welcome

*Holy Thursday || 9th April 7:30pm
Good Friday || 10th April 3:00pm
Easter Saturday || 11th April 10:00pm*

Spring Open Day

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*Friday 25th April 2020
College Grounds*

Maynooth Choral Festival

Choirs, both national and international will come together to Maynooth College to attend workshops, concerts and compete for coveted prizes including, 'Choir of Choirs'.

More information to Follow

*Friday 24th April - Sunday 26th April
Aula Maxima || College Chapel || College
Grounds*



MAY 2020

Diaconate Sunday

Diaconate is the last phase in the formation of a seminarian before his ordination to the Priesthood.

*Sunday 31st May 2020
11:00am || College Chapel*

Invitation Only

This programme gives the best available information regarding anniversary events at the time of going to press. It is, however, inevitable that some changes will take place. Please check the following link for updated information regarding events:

<https://maynoothcollege.ie/maynooth-celebrates-225>

JUNE 2020

Union Day

The Maynooth Union was founded on the 27th of June, 1895, at a meeting held during the Centenary Celebration of St Patrick's College, Maynooth. The object of the Union is to foster a spirit of mutual sympathy between the College and its past students and friends. It is also an opportunity to celebrate Diamond, Gold and Silver anniversaries of our alumni.

*Tuesday 9th June 2020
College Chapel*

SPCM Alumni Soiree

Save the Date! This will be an evening of fun and reminiscing for all alumni, lay and clerical and an opportunity to reconnect with your classmates. We would love for all alumni to connect with us on LinkedIn (Pontifical University, St Patrick's College, Maynooth) or by email alumni@spcm.ie

More information to Follow

Saturday 13th June 2020