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IRELAND

FAITH

Presbyterian assembly vote deepens schism with Church of Scotland

http://www.newsletter.co.uk/news/presbyterian-assembly-vote-deepens-schism-with-church-of-scotland-1-8000224

Tributes paid after death of Concern founder.

http://feeds.examiner.ie/~r/ietopstories/~3/ brM8X9oWgKM/tributes-paid-after-death-concernfounder-fr-jack-finucane-452056.html

Norman Hamilton: Christians have no monopoly of political wisdom

http://www.irishnews.com/lifestyle/faithmatters/ 2017/06/08/news/norman-hamilton-christians-have-nomonopoly-of-political-wisdom-1046634/

Bishop Miller in USA for Albany convention.

http://www.downanddromore.org/news/2017/06/Bishop-in-the-USA-for-annual-Albany-Convention

Magdalene justice group voices concerns.

http://feeds.examiner.ie/~r/ietopstories/~3/b9DI5OCJngg/justice-for-magdalenes-research-group-voices-redress-concern-452058.html

Church Times report on new publications

http://www.churchtimes.co.uk/articles/2017/26-may/books-arts/book-reviews/new-titles-just-published

Catholic Herald - Morning Catholic must reads

http://www.catholicherald.co.uk/news/2017/06/09/morning-catholic-must-reads-090617/

Glendanlough children's choral festival success

https://dublin.anglican.org/news/2017/06/08/west-glendalough-childrens-choral-festivalhttp://

Islamic radicals in Ireland now number 100, cleric

www.independent.ie/irish-news/islamic-radicals-in-ireland-now-number-100-or-more-warns-cleric-35805820.html

Public Ramadan celebration invitation.

http://www.irishtimes.com/news/social-affairs/public-ramadan-celebration-on-friday-invites-all-ages-to-attend-1.3112586

Belfasts hijab wearing GAA player.

http://www.bbc.co.uk/news/uk-northern-ireland-40175038

Quran wrapped in bacon sent to Limerick mosque

http://feeds.examiner.ie/~r/ietopstories/~3/6W62uxriYm4/quran-wrapped-in-bacon-was-sent-to-mosque-in-limerick-452014.html

NI ELECTION

DUP may be kingmakers

News Letter - A shock exit poll which put the Tories on course for a disastrous result last night had the DUP openly salivating at the prospect of being king-makers in a hung Parliament.

http://www.newsletter.co.uk/dup-relishes-prospect-of-role-in-hung-parliament-but-will-back-tories-1-8000545

Belfast Telegraph - DUP set to be 'kingmakers' with Tories in new hung Parliament

http://www.belfasttelegraph.co.uk/news/northern-ireland/dup-set-to-be-kingmakers-with-tories-in-new-hung-parliament-35806060.html?

Journal i.e. - Latest forecasts have Theresa May's Conservative Party ending with 318 seats, leaving a hung parliament.

http://www.thejournal.ie/dup-northern-ireland-uk-election-3434718-Jun2017/

BBC

http://www.bbc.co.uk/news/election-2017-40188101

RTE

http://www.rte.ie/news/ukelection-2017/2017/0608/881304-ni-count/

EDUCATION

Irish universities make gains in list of the world's top colleges

There were gains for Trinity, UCD and NUI Galway in the latest QS rankings.

http://www.thejournal.ie/university-rankings-ireland-3432717-Jun2017/

QUB drops out of top 200

http://www.bbc.co.uk/news/uk-northern-ireland-40206478

UCD echoes UCD on Irish student admissions

http://www.irishtimes.com/news/education/usi-echoesucd-warning-on-places-for-irish-students-1.3112740

Funeral of Vice Chancellor of QUB

http://www.belfasttelegraph.co.uk/news/northern-ireland/funeral-held-for-queens-university-vicechancellor-professor-patrick-johnston-35802749.html

OTHER

Funeral Legacy inquests

This is the final part in a series of four articles (links to the first three at the bottom of this article) by Mr Faris, a lawyer, which challenges the notion that Article 2 of the European Convention on Human Rights (ECHR) means we must hold separate legacy inquests into Troubles deaths caused by state forces. Here he draws some conclusions:

http://www.newsletter.co.uk/legacy-inquests-too-much-focus-on-state-troubles-victims-could-leave-the-many-victims-of-terrorism-with-a-deep-sense-of-injustice-1-7996961

Continuity IRA to end 'futile' campaign

http://www.independent.ie/irish-news/continuity-ira-saysit-will-end-its-futile-campaign-35805826.html

http://www.irishtimes.com/news/ireland/irish-news/continuity-ira-to-end-armed-campaign-statement-claims-1.3112954

Former PSNI chief sues over wrongful arrest

http://www.bbc.co.uk/news/uk-northern-ireland-40193217

GREAT BRITAIN

SCOTTISH EPISCOPAL DECISION

Anglican news report on SEC's deciaion

http://episcopaldigitalnetwork.com/ens/2017/06/08/scottish-episcopal-church-votes-to-allow-equal-marriage/

Anglican Secretary Generals response to SEC

http://episcopaldigitalnetwork.com/ens/2017/06/08/ secretary-general-of-the-anglican-communion-respondsto-scottish-episcopal-church-vote-to-allow-same-sexmarriage/

C of E statement on SEC.

https://www.churchofengland.org/media-centre/news/2017/06/statement-on-marriage-in-scottish-episcopal-church.aspx

Church Times

http://www.churchtimes.co.uk/articles/2017/16-june/news/uk/scottish-episcopalians-revise-canon-law-to-permit-gay-marriage-but-with-conscience-provision

http://www.anglicannews.org/news/2017/06/scottish-episcopal-church-votes-to-allow-equal-marriage.aspx

Belfast Telegraph

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http://www.belfasttelegraph.co.uk/news/uk/scottishepiscopal-church-votes-to-allow-samesex-marriageceremonies-35803981.html

Guardian

http://anglicanmainstream.org/scottish-episcopal-church-votes-to-allow-same-sex-weddings/

The business of Gafcon, Jensen writes

http://anglicanmainstream.org/the-business-of-gafcon/

Daily Telegraph - Gay marriage splits Anglicans

https://digitaledition.telegraph.co.uk/editions/edition m3OYH 2017-06-09/data/335311/index.html

GENERAL ELECTION

BBC

http://www.bbc.co.uk/news/election-2017-40188101

SNP takes hits

http://www.belfasttelegraph.co.uk/news/uk/nicolasturgeon-rules-out-rash-decisions-on-indyref2-aftermajor-snp-losses-35806572.html

RTE

http://www.rte.ie/news/ukelection-2017/2017/0608/881331-uk-electionconservatives-labour/

INTERNATIONAL

Trump fired me to thwart probe - Comey

http://www.independent.ie/world-news/north-america/president-trump/liar-trump-fired-me-to-thwart-probecomey-35805786.html

http://www.bbc.co.uk/news/world-us-canada-40208691

Debate about Islam and security dominates British election

After three major terror attacks in as many months, Muslim leaders are under pressure to acknowledge a connection between their faith and jihadi violence, while the government is under pressure to take firm action.

More from Religion News Service

Canadian Catholic killed in London Bridge attack inspires charitable gifts

Christine Archibald worked with the homeless and was remembered by her family as someone who "had room in her heart for everyone and believed strongly that every person was to be valued and respected." More from cnstopstories.com

Islamophobes want to recreate the Crusades. But they don't understand them at all.

They weren't a clash of civilizations, or a war of Christianity against Islam, writes Matthew Gabriele. More from www.washingtonpost.com

The 'Splainer: What is the Ayatollah Khomeini mausoleum and why was it attacked?

The mausoleum is one of the most important symbols of Iranian pride. It's famously referred to within Iran as "the holy shrine."

More from Religion News Service

Haroon Moghul writes candidly about growing up Muslim in America

Moghul is not afraid to bare all: his flirtation with atheism, the breakup of his marriage, his diagnosis of bipolar disorder and his work facilitating dialogue between American Muslims and Jews.

More from Religion News Service

Religious ritual 1, chickens 0

A New York court rules Orthodox Jews may swing chickens before slitting their throats in a pre-Yom Kippur ritual. More from Religion News Service