



# PARISH

of Aghagallon & Ballinderry

*There will be a second collection after Communion next week for the Diocesan Cathedral Fund.*

*Trocaire East African Collection: £1,250.56.*

*Feast of the Assumption – Holy Day of Obligation: Tuesday 15<sup>th</sup> August 2017 - Mass at 10am and 7pm.*

**Save the Date! St Patrick's Primary School are entering their 50th year on the current site.** To mark this milestone there will be a celebratory Mass at 7pm on Thursday 7th September in our Church. Following this celebration, all past pupils, staff and friends of St Patrick's are invited to the school for refreshments and to reminisce over old photographs and memories. On the night the Friends of St Patrick's are hosting a variety concert featuring the talents of our past and present pupils. If you would like to step back onto that school stage, please contact Joe McDonald on 07885 174 944. Everyone welcome.

**Invitation for New Eucharistic Ministers:** Have you ever considered becoming more actively involved in the celebration of Mass? The Eucharistic Minister's function is to facilitate the distribution of Holy Communion within Mass when there is a large number of communicants and to administer Holy Communion to those who are sick or housebound. After a short induction, you will be on the rota every 4-6 weeks for the Mass of your choice. If you are 16 years or older and are interested in this special Ministry, please contact the parish office for more information.

**Aghagallon and Ballinderry Happiest Pet Photo Competition at the Parish Family Fun Day** (10<sup>th</sup> September after 11am Mass). Pet owners are asked to bring along their favourite photo of their pet(s) to our Family Fun Day. We will have them on display and decide who has the happiest pet in our parish.

**Active Aghagallon Fun Run 5K & 10K:** Sunday 3<sup>rd</sup> September 2017 at 1pm. Registration from 11:45am on the day at The Gate Inn. For more information and updates find us on Facebook: Active Aghagallon. All proceeds going to youth team development.

## WEEKLY BULLETIN

13<sup>th</sup> August 2017

Weekly Collection

£1,039.01

Monthly Collection:

£1,097.00

Recent Expenditure:  
Magheranagaw  
Graveyard Maintenance  
£1,080.00

Thank-you for supporting our Parish!

## Weekly Mass Schedule

Monday: 10.00am

Tuesday: 7.00pm

Wednesday: 10.00am

Thursday: 7.00pm

(Novena Prayers)

Friday: 10.00am

(First Friday 7pm)

Saturday: 7.00pm

(Vigil)

Sunday: 9.00am &

11.00am

Confessions

Thursday 6:30pm

Saturday: 6:30pm

## MINISTRY OF WELCOME

**Baptism:** Schedule: 1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday of each month. To book a baptism, a parent must bring the long birth certificate to the Sacristy after any Mass. One month's notice is required during which families attend the 11am Sunday Family Mass. If families are unable to attend, the baptism will be rebooked.

**Weddings:** All couples must contact Fr Declan after any Mass six months before the date of their wedding to arrange to complete the necessary paperwork. Couples are also required to attend a pre-marriage course. A Wedding Mass is offered to those who attend Church regularly.

## RECENTLY DECEASED

Colm Kennedy

Geraldine Tallon

Jimmy Livingstone

Month's Mind Saturday 19<sup>th</sup> August at 7pm

## ANNIVERSARIES AT THIS TIME

Betty McStravick

Anniversary Mass Sunday 13<sup>th</sup> August at 11am

Fidelis Walsh (5)

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Michael Mallon

Rosaleen Barbour (54)

Kathleen O'Neill (47)

Bridget McCorry

Daniel Crossey (23)

Margaret McNally

Billy Savage (25)

Betty Hyndman (13)

**The Pope's Prayer Intention for August: For Artists.** That artists of our time, through their ingenuity, may help everyone discover the beauty of creation.

**Sewing Machine and Patchwork/Quilting Classes for 50+ age range** will take place in the Community Centre from Monday 11<sup>th</sup> September 2017 for 11 weeks. For further details contact Julie on 028 9265 1364 or email [aghagalloncc@btconnect.com](mailto:aghagalloncc@btconnect.com).

**Parish Registration Forms** – If you have recently moved to the parish, please contact the office for a Parish Registration Form. Filling in this form makes it a lot easier when you need any information or services such as baptism certificates, marriages, etc. Please also contact the parish office if you moved house within the parish or if any of your details have changed (e.g. your phone number etc.).

**Parish of Glenavy and Kilead Retreat Day** – Sunday 17<sup>th</sup> September at Drumalis, Larne. The theme will be "The Joy of Rest – Rediscovering the Sacred Rhythm of Sabbath Rest." The cost is £50 per person which includes refreshments, lunch and a light supper. This can be paid in full or by monthly instalments to the Glenavy parish office. For more information please contact Clive Duffield on 07967 704 592.

**Grandparents National Annual Pilgrimage** – 10th September 2017, Knock Shrine at 2.30p.m. Everybody welcome to honour & thank Grandparents alive & dead for all they have done for us down through the ages.

Ballina School Choir - Dana sings 'Our Lady of Knock'.

Chief Celebrant Archbishop Eamon Martin.

All insertions for the bulletin please leave in the Parochial house red post box, phone 02892651214 during Parish Office hours or email before 4pm on Tuesday e: [parishofaandb@yahoo.co.uk](mailto:parishofaandb@yahoo.co.uk) w: [aghagallonandballinderryparish.ie](http://aghagallonandballinderryparish.ie)

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