

There will be a second collection after Communion next week for the Harvest Offering for the Support of the Priests.

Children's Liturgy recommences this Sunday during 11am Mass. If your child did not receive an application form yet, please lift one from the porch and return to the sacristy or the post box at the Parochial house. All Primary School children welcome. **Parish Fun Day:** A huge thank-you to everyone who helped make

our Parish Fun Day such a success. It was great seeing you all there enjoying yourselves! Thank you to all the volunteers who helped with making the day so colourful and fun. See you all at next year's Fun Day!

Faith and Life Convention

Bishop Treanor invites you to attend our fifth Faith and Life Convention on Saturday 29th September 2018 in Our Lady and St Patrick's College, Knock, Belfast. Doors open at 8.45am with registration taking place from 9:00am. The Convention begins at 10:00am. The Faith and Life Convention is a forum for people from across the diocese, and beyond, to gather together and to take part in a range of conversations about the meaning of faith and its relevance to every area of our lives. This year we are delighted to welcome Cardinal Cardinal Óscar Andrés Rodríguez Maradiaga, S.D.B. as our keynote speaker. In the afternoon each delegate will have the opportunity to take part in two workshops from a range of twenty seven. The workshops fill up quickly so it's best to book now! Perhaps the best part of the day is the pleasure of meeting up with a great crowd of committed people from all over the diocese and beyond. Online booking is available at: www.faithandlifeconvention.org. Cost per delegate £20.00. We look forward to seeing you there.

Family Care Adoption Services is presently seeking to recruit adoptive families for babies and young children. For a free information pack please contact us at: 028 7136 8592 or 028 9069 1133, Monday to Friday 9am–5 pm. Email: anne.ohagan@familycaresociety.org Website: www.familycaresociety.co.uk.Thank You.

WEEKLY BULLETIN

16th September 2018 Weekly Collection:

£ 1,206.73

Parish Youth Ministry: £652.92

Recent Expenditure: Planning Application -Grave Yard Extension £ 831.00 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

We welcome into our Parish Family: Nadine Nancy

Baptism: Schedule: 1st & 3rd 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

Pat Lavery Seamus Loughran Elizabeth McCorry Mena Lyons Sean McKay Kaye McGee Rose McPhillips Vincent McCann

Month's Mind Thursday 20th September at 7pm

ANNIVERSARIES AT THIS TIME

Maurice McStravick Agnes Hannon Dan Tallon John Mulholland James Mallon Matthew Murphy Annie Murphy Joseph (Josie) Hannon Anniversary Mass Sunday 16th September at 11am Anniversary Mass Sunday 23rd September at 9am Anniversary Mass Sunday 23rd September at 11am

James Bann Kevin McClelland Bernadette Fitzpatrick

Sacramental Preparation for Children in Non-Catholic Schools: Faith development is primarily the responsibility of parents. However, in Aghagallon and Ballinderry parish we try to emphasise the partnership between home, school and Church. If you chose to send your child to a non-Catholic school and would like to present them for First Penance (P3), First Holy Communion (P4) or Confirmation (P7) in the parish this year they must be prepared appropriately. Please contact their teacher to ensure that they are part of a catechetical programme and enrol them in children's liturgy in the parish. If schools do not provide sacramental preparation, the parish can assist with providing classes. Please contact the parish office to collect an application form and return it before 25th September 2018. Parents are expected to attend classes with their children and there will be a small charge to offset costs.

Aghagallon Community Centre wish to employ a Part time Supervisor for Birthday Parties. For further details please contact Gerry or Kim at 02892652304 or email aghagalloncc@btconnect.com.

Ceili and Old Time Dance every Monday evening, 8pm-10pm in Cranagh Hall. Admission £2. Everyone welcome.

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 w: aghagallonandballinderryparish.ie

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