



PARISH

of Aghagallon & Ballinderry

Mission Appeal

We are delighted to welcome Fr Paddy Moran to our Parish, he will celebrate all Masses this weekend and take up a collection.

Mission Appeals is a very important aspect of Spiritan work. Unfortunately, it has been on hold since March 2020 due to Covid-related restrictions and so it is with gratitude that work resumes and they have the opportunity to share their missionary story. This year Mission Appeals have been assigned to the Diocese of Killaloe and Area 1 of the Diocese of Down and Connor. From Brazil to Vietnam, Ethiopia to South Africa, Spiritan men walk with the poor and marginalised, working with communities on issues as basic as clean water and sanitation, access to sustainable food supplies and education. Supported by their Promotions Office in Kimmage Manor, a team of confrères who have spent many years overseas with the poor and marginalised do the appeals. In over a decade in Ethiopia, Fr Paddy did innovative prison ministry including painting and pottery, and practical initiatives such as improved sanitary facilities and new classrooms in Arba Minch prison.

Receiving Holy Communion: We are still encouraging everyone to receive Holy Communion on the hand. If you wish to receive Holy Communion on the tongue, please join the end of the procession and request this from the priest.

Liturgy of the Word with Holy Communion: There will be Mass with Fr Paddy on Monday 5th June at 10am. Communion Services, led by lay people in the absence of a priest, will continue in the parish on Tuesday 6th and Wednesday 7th June.

Sick Calls: For all sick calls and emergencies from Thursday 1st June to Wednesday 7th June please contact Fr Colm McBride in Glenavy on 02894 459560.

Diocesan Annual Knock Live/Virtual Pilgrimage: Sunday 11th June 2023. Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick at 2.30pm, followed by Mass at 3pm. Petitions and candle requests can be made in person or by visiting the Knock Shrine Website. All petitions will be placed before the Altar during Mass. All ceremonies will be streamed live on the shrine website www.knockshrine.ie and on Knock Shrine Facebook page for those participating virtually.

WEEKLY BULLETIN

Sunday 4th June 2023
The Most Holy Trinity

Weekly Collection:
£1362.00

Online/Card Machine:
26/05/22 -01/06/23
£395.25

Recent Expenditure:
Annual Fire Safety
Checks £218.26

*The Sanctuary Lamp will
burn this week for
Brian Doris*

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 before Mass

MINISTRY OF WELCOME

We welcome Aisling, who was recently Baptised into our parish family.

Baptisms: Please email the office for a booking form and more details. Baptisms take place the 1st and 3rd Sunday of the month directly after 11am Mass and on Thursday evenings at 6pm. At least one month's notice is required, during which parents meet with a member of our Baptismal Team and the family attends the 11am Sunday Mass weekly, prior to the Baptism. If families are unable to complete the preparation or attend Mass, the Baptism will be rebooked to a time when they can. A total of 20 people are permitted to attend.

Weddings: Wedding guests must continue to follow all guidance and adhere to policies and procedures put in place to ensure the safety of all. Couples must contact Fr Declan 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 only offered to those who attend Mass in their parish *weekly* during the six-month notice of marriage period.

**NB: Parish Staff and volunteers are there to support and help us.
Please engage respectfully with them at all times.**

RECENTLY DECEASED

Fr Clement MacManuis

Brian Crawford

Mary Kearney

Geraldine Creaney

ANNIVERSARIES AT THIS TIME

John Hamill

Kathleen Walsh

Brian Doris

Elizabeth Toland

Frances McDonald

Mary McCusker

Madge Jordan

John McAlinden

Anniversary Mass on Saturday 3rd June at 7pm

Anniversary Mass on Sunday 4th June at 11am

Anniversary Mass on Thursday 8th June at 7pm

Anniversary Mass on Friday 9th June at 10am

Anniversary Mass on Saturday 10th June at 7pm

Anniversary Mass on Sunday 11th June at 9am

Maureen Mulholland

The Most Holy Trinity

“Be united; live in peace, and the God of love and peace will be with you.” (2 Cor 13:11)

Corpus Christi: We would like to invite all the children who recently celebrated their Holy Communion to join us on the feast of Corpus Christi next Sunday at 11am Mass in their First Communion outfits.

GIFT Retreat: If your child is in Year 9 or 10, they are welcome to attend our retreat which will take place on Saturday 24th June to Newcastle, Co Down. Transport and lunch will be provided. Application forms will be posted out this week. If you do not receive one and your child would like to attend, please contact the parish office during opening hours to book a place.

P7 School Leavers Mass: There will be a special Mass on Friday 23rd of June at 10am for all the children who are leaving St Patrick's and St Mary's Primary schools. Please remember to keep the children doing exams in your prayers.

Africa Magazine: Available for collection from the Church porch.

**The Second Collection this week is the
Monthly Stipend**

EMERGENCIES AND SICK CALLS:

07831 934 756

(in the event you are unable to reach
Fr Declan on the emergency number)

028 944 595 600

Parish Priest:

Fr Declan Mulligan

Tel: 028 9265 1214

St Vincent De Paul Contact
Number: 028 9035 1561

www.svp.ie

Lifeline Freephone 0808 808 8000

The Order of The Knights of

St Columbanus 028 92 528 916

Diocesan Safeguarding Office

028 9049 2798

Parish Office Tel: 02892651214

Email: parishofaandb@yahoo.co.uk

Parish Office open Tuesday – Thursday 10am-4pm.

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Parochial house red post box, email or phone the
parish office before 4pm on Tuesday.