



PARISH

of Aghagallon & Ballinderry

We remember Bishop Alan in our prayers as he has been appointed Bishop of Down and Connor.

Holy Week

Palm Sunday Our final Sunday night prayer will be this evening Sunday 24th March 2024 at 6pm. We will begin with adoration at 5pm. Fr Declan will be available in the church for confessions from 5pm-6pm.

Wednesday 27th March

Mass at 10am followed by adoration.
Adoration 10am-6pm & 8pm-10pm
Confessions 5pm-6pm.

Holy Thursday 28th March

Mass of the Lord's Supper at 7pm followed by adoration
Commissioning & Renewal of Commitment for readers and eucharistic ministers during Mass

Night Prayer at 9pm

Good Friday 29th March

Passion at 3pm
Station's of the Cross at 7pm

Holy Saturday 30th March

Easter Vigil at 8pm

Easter Sunday

Mass 9am & 11am

Good Friday - There will be no Liturgy of the Word at 10am

Parish Draw Congratulations to the Winners this month.

1st Prize £500 Thomas McCavigan

2nd Prize £100 Michelle Nelson

3rd Prize £50 Jacinta Kelly

Our next draw will be on Wednesday 17th April 2024. If you would like to purchase a ticket for £5 per month, contact the parish office/Kelly's shop.

WEEKLY BULLETIN

Sunday 24th March 2024
Palm Sunday

Weekly Collection:

£1715.32

Online/Card Machine:

£181.74

Needy Parishes

£260.00

The Sanctuary Lamp will burn this week for a Special Intention (H&C)

WEEKLY MASS SCHEDULE

Monday: 10.00am

Tuesday: 7.00pm

Wednesday: 10.00am

Thursday: 7.00pm

(*Novena Prayers*)

Friday: 10.00am No Mass

Liturgy of the Word

Saturday: 7.00pm

(*Vigil*)

Sunday: 9.00am &

11.00am

CONFESSIONS

Thursday before Mass

MINISTRY OF WELCOME

We welcome Cohen, 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. Families must also be present at 11am Mass on the morning their child receives the sacrament and be ready to begin immediately after Mass. 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.

RECENTLY DECEASED

Martin Mulholland

Gabriel Poland

Marie Fitzpatrick

Angela Crudden

Months Mind Mass Thursday 18th April at 7pm

ANNIVERSARIES AT THIS TIME

Jerome Doris

Noreen McHenry

Margaret Walsh

Geraldine Mitchell

Tony King

Patsy Tallon

Patrick McCavigan(28)

Joseph McKeveney

James McCrory

Jim McKeveney

Philip McCrory

Anthony Cushley

Madeline Cushley

Agnes McCrory

Anniversary Mass Saturday 23rd March at 7pm
Anniversary Mass Sunday 24th March at 9am
Anniversary Mass Sunday 24th March at 11am
Anniversary Mass Tuesday 26th March at 7pm
Anniversary Mass Thursday 28th March at 7pm
Anniversary Mass Sunday 31st March at 9am

'Christians must lean on the Cross of Christ just as travellers lean on a staff when they begin a long journey. They must have the Passion of Christ deeply embedded in their minds and hearts, because only from it can they derive peace, grace and truth.' *Saint Anthony of Padua*

Trocaire Boxes can be returned over the Easter weekend. Please leave at the baptismal font at the front of the Church.

Holy Thursday We would like to invite all Eucharistic Ministers and Readers to the 7pm Mass.

Commissioning & Renewal of Commitment for readers and eucharistic ministers during Mass

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.