



PARISH

of Aghagallon & Ballinderry

Covid Secure Safety Policies and Procedures: When visiting the Church and during all Liturgies, please continue to observe safety measures, such as good hand hygiene and 2m social distancing.

Face coverings must be worn by everyone while entering and exiting the Church – this is a legal requirement, unless you are exempt. Restrictions are still in place for Baptisms, Weddings and funerals. Please contact the office if you require more details.

Anniversary/Special Intention Masses and Sanctuary Lamp Intentions. Please book via email or telephoning the office.

The Parish Office: Will be closed from Tuesday 28th December 2021 until Tuesday 11th January 2022. There will be no Bulletin on 2nd January 2022 and 9th January 2022. Please remember that the emergency mobile is for sick calls only.

Parish Rota's: Available to view on the parish website or alternatively to collect from the sacristan.

Christmas Masses: Please remember that attendance at all Christmas Masses on 24th/25th December is by reservation only.

Christmas Eve: Friday 24th December at 7pm followed by Prayer around the Crib from 7.30pm

Christmas Day: Saturday 25th December at 9am and 11am. There will be no 7pm vigil Mass on Saturday 25th December.

St Stephens Day: Sunday 26th December at 9am and 11am

Confessions: Have ceased due to current restrictions. Information is available in the Church porch.

Adoration: There will be no adoration on Wednesday 29th December. Adoration will resume on Wednesday 5th January 2022.

Parish Calendar Available in the church porch.

Christmas Message from Bishop Noel Treanor available in the Church Porch.

A Special thanks to the Parish Pastoral Council, Finance and Safeguarding Committees, Church cleaners, volunteer Sacristans, Ministers of the Word and Eucharistic Ministers and to all parish volunteers for their support during the year. Thank you to everyone who sent cards and presents, and to everyone who participated in our Advent Night Prayer and made it special.

Fr Declan and our Parish Team wish all our parishioners a peaceful Christmas and New Year!

WEEKLY BULLETIN
Christmas & New Year
Bulletin

Weekly Collection: £1323

Recent Expenditure:
Heating Oil for the Church
£928.94

*Thank You for Supporting
out 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 before Mass

Saturday before Mass

MINISTRY OF WELCOME

We welcome Cristor, who was recently Baptised into our Parish Family.

Baptisms: Please email the office for a booking form and more details.

Weddings: Currently the number permitted to attend weddings is to be determined following individual risk assessments. Attendees must follow all guidance and adhere to policies and procedures put in place to ensure the safety of all. 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 here regularly.

NB: Parish Staff and volunteers are there to support us and ensure we remain Covid secure. Please engage respectfully with them at all times.

RECENT DEATHS

Anne Burns

Eileen McCarron

Mary McCavigan

Jane McCann

Rita McNulty

Months Mind Mass on Tuesday 4th January 2022 at 7pm

ANNIVERSARIES AT THIS TIME

Mary McDonald

James Kelly

Rory Campbell

Declan Loughran

Jim McGuinness

Gerry McDonald

Dan McHenry

Peter McGuinness

Anniversary Mass on Sunday 26th December at 9am

Anniversary Mass on Sunday 26th December at 11am

Anniversary Mass on Monday 27th December at 10am

Anniversary Mass on Tuesday 28th December at 7pm

Anniversary Mass on Wednesday 29th December at 10am

Anniversary Mass on Sunday 2nd January 2022 at 11am

Anniversary Mass on Monday 3rd January 2022 at 10am

Anniversary Mass on Tuesday 11th January 2022 at 7pm

Edward (Ned) Fegan

Imelda Armstrong

Patrick Louehran

Rory Campbell

James Mulholland

Charlotte Mulholland

Edward Doran

Hugh John Faloon

The Christmas Offering for the Support of the Priests in the Diocese will be taken up at all Masses on Christmas Eve and Christmas Day.

The Second Collection on Sunday 2nd January 2022 is the Monthly Stipend.

Aghagallon Apostolic: Thank you most sincerely to everyone who our supported the recent fundraising. Your continued generosity and support is appreciated. The list of prize winners is available in the porch, congratulations.

Wishing everyone a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

Parish Priest:

Fr Declan Mulligan

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**EMERGENCIES AND
SICK CALLS:**

07831 934 756

028 944 595 600

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.