



PARISH

of Aghagallon & Ballinderry

Obligation to attend Sunday/Holyday Masses: Mass on Sunday and Holydays is once again deemed to be an obligation.

Parish Office Opening Hours: Interim office opening hours remain Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday, from 9am-5pm

We welcome Fr Derek Kearney to our Parish; he will be celebrating all Masses this weekend.

Franciscan Brothers: We would like to thank everyone who joined us last weekend in welcoming Br Brian Johnson to our Parish and to everyone who donated. The collection amount currently stands at £850.00. We are still accepting donations up to Sunday 25th September. Your continued support and generosity are appreciated.

Celebration of the Liturgy of the Word: We would like to thank all the Ministers of the Word and Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion who provided such a prayerful space with the Celebration of the Liturgy of the Word last week.

Schools Mass: We welcome a few of the classes from St Patricks and St Mary's Primary Schools, they will be joining us in the Church on Friday 23rd September at 10am for their opening year School Mass.

Pilgrimage to Fatima: Special Belfast Pilgrimage to Fatima - Easter 2023. Departing from Dublin on Wednesday (Holy Week) 5th April for 5 nights. Includes Full Easter ceremony, tour of Lisbon and an optional tour to seaside on Easter Saturday. For more information contact James Treacy 0035361921470.

Youth 2000 Country Barn Dance: Join in a night of food, craic and dancing in the Mellon Hotel, Omagh on Saturday 24th September. Over 18's event. Cost £35. Tickets available on www.youth2000.ie

Legion of Mary Annual Rosary Procession: Commencing from St John's, Belfast at 2.45pm on Sunday 9th October. Procession to St Michael's for Benediction begins at 3pm. Everyone welcome.

Important days this week

St Januarius (Mem) – Mon 19th Sept

St Andrew Kim Tae-Gon & Companions (Mem) – Tues 20th Sept

St Matthew (Feast) – Wed 21st September

St Pius of Pietrelcina (Mem) – Fri 23rd September

WEEKLY BULLETIN

Sunday 18th September
2022

25th Sunday in Ordinary
Time.

Weekly Collection:

£1240.00

Youth Ministry: £250.00

Thank you

Recent Expenditure:

Graveyard Bin

Maintenance £ 76.80

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 Violet, who was baptised recently 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 at 12 noon 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 the parish *weekly* during the six-month notice of marriage period.

RECENTLY DECEASED

Edna Downing

Baby Aoiheann Mulholland

Seamus Walsh

Maura Mulholland

Bernice Haughian

Patrick Scullion

Months Mind Mass on Tuesday 20th September at 7pm

Months Mind Mass on Tuesday 27th September at 7pm

ANNIVERSARIES AT THIS TIME

Mary Campbell (1)

Dan Tallon

Stephen McGarry

The Deceased Members of the Campbell Family

Agnes Hannon

Sean McKavanagh

James Bann Lavery

John Campbell (8)

Sean Campbell (2)

Anniversary Mass on Sunday 18th September at 11am

Anniversary Mass on Wednesday 21st September at 10am

Anniversary Mass on Thursday 22nd September at 7pm

Anniversary Mass on Saturday 24th September at 7pm

Anniversary Mass on Sunday 25th September at 9am

Anniversary Mass on Sunday 25th September at 11am

Desmond McVeigh

Brendan Campbell (20)

Maurice Campbell (10)

Tony Mulholland

Liam Campbell (26)

Gerald Kelly

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 Catherine in the parish office to collect an application form.

The Second Collection this week is the Harvest Offering for the Support of the Priests.

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.

All insertions for the bulletin please leave in the Parochial house red post box, email or phone the parish office before 4pm on Tuesday.