



PARISH

of Aghagallon & Ballinderry

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

Funeral Arrangements

During Covid-19 restrictions, funeral liturgies were facilitated at many different times, to ensure that families could have the maximum amount of people in attendance. This had an impact on the overall provision of pastoral care within the parish. We are returning to the previous practice, which ensures that all parishioners access similar levels of pastoral care in a planned and manageable way. This may mean that families have to wait to avail of the time they prefer, as is the case in many other parishes. A Vigil Reception to the Church one or two days before the funeral is an option in these circumstances.

Times for Requiem Masses in St Patrick's Church, Aghagallon

Monday, Wednesday, and Friday at 10am
Tuesday, Thursday, and Saturday at 10am or 12 noon
Sunday funeral times will depend on Children's Liturgy Mass schedules.

Funeral Services

Some families may prefer a funeral service at home, a funeral home or Crematorium instead of a Requiem Mass in Church. This is a better option when a family feels restricted by liturgical readings, poems, and music available to them within a Church setting. Please ask the priest for more information if you feel a service is more appropriate for you.

Visiting Priests

Visiting Priests and deacons are welcome to preside at funerals, but only during the above times/days. The Diocese of Down and Connor has a safeguarding policy which insists on visiting clergy completing paperwork prior to exercising ministry. All visiting priests and deacons must contact the parish prior to attending and provide a celebret or letter of good standing. Without this, the priest or deacon will not be permitted to preside or concelebrate.

WEEKLY BULLETIN

Sunday 25th September
2022
26th Sunday in Ordinary
Time.

Weekly Collection:

£1475.50

Harvest Collection:

£330.00

Thank you

Recent Expenditure:

Liturgical Goods

£244.75

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 Lucy, 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 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 their parish *weekly* during the six-month notice of marriage period.

RECENTLY DECEASED

Annette Campbell

Baby Aoibheann Mulholland

Bernice Haughian

Edna Downing

Seamus Walsh

Months Mind Mass on Tuesday 27th September at 7pm

ANNIVERSARIES AT THIS TIME

The Deceased Members of the Campbell Family Anniversary Mass on Saturday 24th September at 7pm

Agnes Hannon Anniversary Mass on Sunday 25th September at 9am

Sean McKavanagh Anniversary Mass on Sunday 25th September at 11am

Ambrose Doone Anniversary Mass on Monday 26th September at 10am

Micky McCorry Anniversary Mass on Thursday 29th September at 7pm

John McCavigan Anniversary Mass on Friday 30th September at 10am

Mary Campbell (1) Anniversary Mass on Sunday 2nd October at 9am

Comgall McPhillips (1) Anniversary Mass on Sunday 2nd October at 11am

Tony Mulholland John Campbell (8) Maurice Campbell (10) Sean Campbell (2)

Brendan Campbell (20) Liam Campbell (26) Gerald Kelly James Mulholland

James Bann Lavery Desmond McVeigh Brendan Douglas (6) Lily Mulholland

Henry Faloan William John Mulholland Patrick Russell

Volunteers Required: Can you spare a few hours to plant some bulbs and do a bit of gardening in our new graveyard extension to help make it a peaceful special place. For more information contact the parish office during opening hours: 02892 651214/parishofaandb@yahoo.co.uk. All help greatly appreciated.

Autism NI Aghagallon Support Group: Are collecting pre-loved summer clothing up to the end of October to help raise funds for the group. All donations welcome.

Down & Connor Apostolic: Apostolic answer the call to help ordinary people and make a difference. This year a total of £88,080 has been donated globally by Down and Connor Apostolic for numerous life-giving projects. If you would like to join the Parish group, please contact the Parish Office during office opening hours with your details.

Eucharistic Ministers & Readers: New rotas are now available to collect from the Sacristan or alternatively, to view on the parish website.

Parish Priest:

Fr Declan Mulligan

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**EMERGENCIES AND
SICK CALLS:**

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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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parish office before 4pm on Tuesday.