



PARISH

of Aghagallon & Ballinderry

Holy Week 2025

Palm Sunday

We will have a Holy hour with adoration this evening Sunday 13th April from 6pm-7pm. During this hour confessions will be available from 6pm-6.30pm, we will light the candles on the shrines for all of the sick and housebound in the Parish and we will finish with night prayer with Fr Declan at 6.40pm. You are very welcome to join.

Wednesday 16th April

Mass at 10am followed by adoration.

Adoration will run until 6pm. Then again from 8pm-10pm.

Thursday 17th April

Mass of the Lord's Supper at 7pm followed by Adoration until Night prayer at 9pm.

During the Mass we would like to invite all readers and eucharistic ministers for commissioning and renewal.

Good Friday 18th April

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

We will have a collection for the Holy Lands

Holy Saturday 19th April

Easter Vigil at 8pm.

Easter Sunday

Mass at 9am & 11am

There will be no Liturgy of the Word on Good Friday

Trocaire boxes can be returned over the Easter Weekend. Please leave at the baptismal font at the front of the church.

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 provide such a prayerful space with the Celebration of the Liturgy of the Word. This is a communion service led by lay people in the absence of a priest. During the service readings of the day will be reflected upon and a eucharistic minister distributes Holy Communion consecrated during a previous Mass. We would like to invite new members to join our liturgy group, if you are interested in joining we will meet in the sacristy on Tuesday 20th May at 10am, full training will be provided.

Parish Draw Wednesday 16th April after 10am Mass.

WEEKLY BULLETIN

Sunday 13th April 2025
PALM SUNDAY

Weekly Collection:

£1,066.00

Online

£707.50

Total = £1,773.50

Monthly Stipend

£1,165.00

Thank you for your continued support

WEEKLY MASS SCHEDULE

Monday: 10.00am

Tuesday: 7.00pm

Wednesday: 10.00am

Thursday: 10.00am

(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 Baby Jesse, who was recently baptised into our Parish Family

Booking Masses, Baptisms and Weddings As parish office opening hours have been reduced slightly, we are returning to our previous practice of booking Masses, baptisms and weddings in person, in the sacristy after Masses.

Masses can be booked well in advance to ensure your preferred dates are available. Please remember that bookings are at the discretion of the priest and the date may have to change, when funerals and other liturgical celebrations take precedence. If you include your telephone number when booking, we will endeavour to contact you and make alternative arrangements.

Baptisms can only be booked by the child's parent or legal guardian. At least one months notice is required. To book a baptism parents must present the child's long birth certificate, complete the baptism request form, meet with one of our Baptism team and attend weekly Mass during the month prior to the date of the Baptism. It is a requirement of the Diocese of Down and Connor that at least one Godparent is a practicing Catholic i.e. regularly attending Mass.

If you wish to have your child baptised outside the parish, please call into the sacristy after any Mass and bring your child's long birth certificate with you to collect a courtesy letter for the Priest performing the Baptism. Please remember that you will be asked to complete Baptism preparation even if you request your baby to be baptised outside the parish.

Weddings can be booked by the couple themselves. Couples are required to give at least six months' notice of marriage to ensure the preferred date is available and that there is adequate time to complete all Civil and Church paperwork. Couples are also responsible for ensuring that they attend a marriage preparation course prior to the wedding. A Wedding Service is offered to all couples. A Wedding Mass is only offered to couples who attend Mass regularly.

RECENTLY DECEASED

Liam Delaney

Kenny Poland

Brian Grieve

Martha Fitzpatrick

John McCorry

Joe Cinnamond

Month's Mind Mass Thursday 8th May at 10am

Month's Mind Mass Sunday 27th April at 9am

Month's Mind Mass Sunday 13th April at 9am

Month's Mind Mass Sunday 4th May at 11am

ANNIVERSARIES AT THIS TIME

Hugh Hamill

Patsy Tallon

Phyllis O'Rourke(15)

Albert Hannon

Brian Mulholland(2)

Brian Haughian

Seamus O'Neill

Frances O'Neill Walker

Betty Lavery(13)

Josephine Douglas

Anniversary Mass Saturday 12th April at 7pm

Anniversary Mass Sunday 13th April at 11am

Anniversary Mass Tuesday 15th April at 7pm

Anniversary Mass Wednesday 16th April at 10am

Anniversary Mass Sunday 20th April at 9am

Anniversary Mass Sunday 20th April at 11am

Parish Priest:

Fr Declan Mulligan

Tel: 028 9265 1214

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

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.