



Parish of Ballymoney & Derrykeighan

18th SEPTEMBER 2022
Twenty Fifth Sunday of Ordinary Time



SLAVES TO MONEY - OR MONEY WORRIES?

In the readings this week Jesus warns us not to be slaves to money. We can't serve God and other people with love if we care more about money or possessions. But worries about money can also enslave us, and in these tough financial times more and more people are trapped in stress and anxiety.

Jesus regularly tells his followers to 'be not afraid' and to trust him with their problems. And he asks his people to care for each other when times are tough. That's why it's important to promote the work of St Vincent de Paul, Christians Against Poverty and other local groups who help people going through financial difficulties or unexpected situations. You'll find details of these groups in this bulletin. If times are tough for you right now remember that the Lord is with you and that help is available.

THIS WEEK

Parish webcam can be viewed on our YouTube channel (search for Ballymoney Parish)

SATURDAY 17th	5.30-5.50pm Confessions 6pm Vigil Mass
SUNDAY 18th	10am Mass 5pm Mass
MONDAY 19th	10am Mass
WEDNESDAY 21st	10am Mass
FRIDAY 23rd	6-6.40pm Confessions 7pm Mass

Our Lady & St Patrick's is open every day for private prayer - usually from 11am to 6pm.

Other Sunday Masses in this area

Saturday 5pm - Portstewart
Saturday 6pm - St Malachy's, Coleraine
Sunday 10am - Portstewart
Sunday 11am - St Malachy's, Coleraine
Sunday 12noon - Portrush

WE PRAY FOR THE FAITHFUL DEPARTED

Anniversaries

Fr Vincent McKinley PP, Elizabeth Graham, Thomas Graham, Danny Hendrie, Joseph McCollam, George McMillan, Sean McQuillan, Joe O'Boyle, William O'Connor, Norah Rodgers

REQUIESCAT IN PACE



PARISH FINANCES

Thank you so much for supporting all our collections. Envelopes can be left in the church at Mass times or at the parochial house. You can also set up a standing order or make a one-off payment with these details:

Parish of Ballymoney & Derrykeighan
Sort code: 95-06-79
Account No: 10020192.

Please make cheques payable to:
Parish of Ballymoney & Derrykeighan

ST VINCENT DE PAUL OUTING

Our parish SVP are hosting their annual outing for senior citizens and those living alone on **Sunday 18th September**. For those who have booked the bus will be leaving the car park in Castle St opposite the church at **11.15am** sharp!

ONLINE BIBLE COURSE

Explore the first part of Acts of the Apostles and discuss its relevance for today in this course called *A Taste of the Bible: How the Early Church was Born*. It will run on Thursday evenings from 8pm to 9.30 by Zoom for 10 weeks from **22nd September to 24th November 2022**.

For further information email: tasteofbible@gmail.com or tel: Ernestine 07760 647665 or Bernadette 07941 733502

PILGRIMAGES TO KNOCK

The Legion of Mary are organising a bus trip to Knock next Saturday 24th September. The bus will leave the Castle St car park opposite the church at **7.15am**. To reserve your seat contact Sally on **27638512**. £20 per person.

Another trip to Knock takes place on Saturday 1st October with a bus leaving from St Patrick's Church, Loughgiel at 6am. Contact Patricia Campbell on **028 2764 1120** or **07871 626940**. Price approx £25/£30 depending on numbers.

ST VINCENT DE PAUL

If you need help or you would like to find out more about getting involved in the work of the SVP contact us on **07860 455549** or by speaking to any member of the society after Mass. Thank you for supporting our collections.

CHRISTIANS AGAINST POVERTY (CAP)

CAP is a UK wide Christian charity offering help with managing debt, setting up repayment plans and budgeting. Their Ballymoney branch is based at St Patrick's Church of Ireland. To make an appointment with one of the local debt coaches phone free **0800 328 0006** Monday -Thursday 9.30am-5pm; Fridays 9.30am - 3.30pm. Website www.capuk.org

ADVICE NI

Advice NI provide advice on many issues including debt, benefits, tax, housing, employment and family issues. Their main helpline is free **0800 915 4604** (Mon-Fri 9am-5pm) The local office is at **Community Advice Causeway**, 1-5 Brook Street Coleraine, telephone **028 703 44817**. You can email them at advice@advicecauseway.com

BALLYMONEY FOOD BANK

The foodbank helps local people in a crisis. It is run on a referral system so you need to get a voucher to use it. The quickest way to reach them is to phone **07565 840571** or the Advice NI main helpline **0800 915 4604**. They can then direct you to the most appropriate agency to give you a foodbank voucher.

WINTER WARM PACKS

Special packs of warm winter clothing are available for senior citizens (over 60) and people with ongoing health issues from Causeway Coast & Glens Borough Council. Phone **028 2766 0200** during working hours for more information.

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OLD & NEW@No.5

There are lots of new things in our parish shop this week. Check out our lovely Royal Doulton dinner set, our large collection of Masons Ironstone, our child/doll's pram and our collection of Doulton and Hummel figurines! There's also a good selection of pre-loved saucepans new to the shop and we're delighted that our old friends, the llamas, sheep and hens will be back in stock this week too!

We're open Wednesday- Saturday 10.00am-4.30pm and you'll find us at 5 Gate End, Ballymoney. Check us out on Facebook [@oldandnewatno5](https://www.facebook.com/oldandnewatno5)

REELROBICS CAUSEWAY

ReelRobics, the Irish dance fitness class for adults, is coming to Ballymoney. Classes will be for fun, fitness, and friendship. No previous Irish dance experience is required; all are welcome to attend. It starts on Wednesday 21st September in the parish hall 7-8 pm. For more information and to book your place contact Aileen McAlister on **07513 159505**.

PRAYER FOR THE SEASON OF CREATION

Creator God, who made our beautiful world,
appointed us as its guardians
and gifted us with everything we need,
forgive us
for the times we cause it harm;
for the times our way of life
affects our neighbours.
Inspire us
to care for the environment;
to help rebuild lives and communities;
to share in the griefs and anxieties,
joys and hopes of all your people,
so that all your creation may flourish.
Amen.



HYMNS FOR MASS

Tantum ergo Sacramentum Veneremur cernui: Et antiquum documentum Novo cedat ritui: Præstet fides supplementum Sensuum defectui.	Praise, my soul, the King of heaven; to his feet your tribute bring. Ransomed, healed, restored, forgiven, Who like me his praise should sing? Praise him, praise him, Praise him, praise him, Praise the everlasting King!
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Genitori, Genitoque Laus et Jubilatio, Salus, honor, virtus quoque Sit et benedictio: Procedenti ab utroque Compar sit laudatio. Amen.	Angels, help us to adore him; you behold him face to face. Sun and moon, bow down before him, dwellers all in time and space. Praise him, praise him, Praise him, praise him, Praise with us the God of grace!
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