

23rd OCTOBER 2022

Thirtieth Sunday of Ordinary Time



### SUPPORTING THE MISSIONS

This weekend the Church marks World Mission Sunday. It's a chance to show love and solidarity to our brothers and sisters overseas who share our faith. In offering our prayers, we join with missionaries everywhere to support them in spreading the Good News, and by giving a donation to our second collection we respond to Christ's call to feed the hungry and clothe the naked

As we do our bit to support the missions around the world through prayer and generosity, we should remember that we have to be missionaries ourselves here at home. There are many people in our own town (and among our own friends, families and colleagues) who need to see the love of Christ reflected in us. Let's ask God to help us share the Good News with those around us this week.

#### THIS WEEK

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

SATURDAY 22nd 5.30-5.50pm Confessions

6pm Vigil Mass

SUNDAY 23rd 10am Mass

5pm Mass

MONDAY 24th 10am Mass

7pm Candlelight Rosary Hour

**WEDNESDAY 26th** 10am Mass

FRIDAY 28th 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**

Patsy Beckett, Eilish Gillan, Ena Healey, Pat Kelly, Eileen McAllister, Maresa McGarry, Vera McGonigle, Margaret McKendry, James McSheffrey, Jeannie McSheffrey.

**REQUIESCAT IN PACE** 

# **CONGRATULATIONS**

to the family of Edith D'Souza-Bento who was baptised here last Sunday.



#### 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

# OLD & NEW@No.5

Our parish shop is open and there's lots to see this week once again. Check out our selection of black and bronzed prints by George Gourley, our two Royal Grafton tea sets and coffee set and our large selection of Beswick animal figurines!

We also have a lovely selection of table lamps and shades and a very nice modern standard lamp and shade! An interesting collection of new pre-loved clothes has been added this week, including some nice coats and jackets to keep you warm this winter.

Did you know National Book Week is approaching and we have a large and varied selection of hardback and soft back books, so why not call in and pick up a new novel?

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

### MINISTRY TO CHILDREN

We are relaunching our ministry for Primary School aged children this month:

#### Do This In Memory

This Sunday (23rd October) we are bringing back our Do This In Memory programme for Primary 4 children who make their First Holy Communion next spring. P4s and their families are invited to come together to our Sunday 10am Mass once a month to listen to God's word and receive a blessing. The next Do This In Memory Mass will be on Sunday 20th November.

### Children's Liturgy

Next Sunday (October 30th) our Children's Liturgy will return at the 10am Mass. Primary school age children are invited to take part in their own service for the first part of Mass. They will hear the readings and do activities based on them before rejoining the rest of the congregation for the liturgy of the Eucharist.

We are looking for more volunteers to help organise these sessions. If you are interested you can get in touch with the coordinator, Mark Fleming, on 07710 006455.

### 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

#### CANDLELIGHT ROSARY HOUR

To mark the month of the rosary, we will be having an hour of prayer on Monday evening (24th) at 7pm to pray the joyful, sorrowful and glorious mysteries of the rosary by candlelight. If weather permits we will end the rosary at our Lourdes shrine outside. This is being organised and led by the Legion of Mary and other parishioners. All welcome to attend.

#### THE MONTH OF THE ROSARY

October is the month of special devotion to the rosary. This week we might focus on the Sorrowful Mysteries:

- 1 The Agony in the Garden (Matthew 3: 13-17)
- 2 The Scourging at the Pillar (John 2: 1-12)
- 3 The Crowning with Thorns (Mark 1:15)
- 4 The Carrying of the Cross (Luke 9: 28-35) 5 The Crucifixion (Mark 14: 22-25)
- **NOVEMBER DEAD LISTS**

November is the month of special prayer for the Holy Souls. From this weekend November Dead Lists and envelopes are available in the church. Please take them home and write down the names of your deceased family and friends who you want to be prayed for.

From next weekend they can be left in the church at Mass time or posted through the door of the parochial house. The names will be placed before the altar throughout the month of November and prayed for at every Mass and devotions. You may wish to include an offering in your envelope and these are very gratefully received.

# **KEEP THE DATE!**

The next Holy Day of Obligation will be All Saints' Day on Tuesday 1st November. Masses in Our Lady & St Patrick's will be at 10am and 7pm.

### PARISH OF BALLYMONEY & DERRYKEIGHAN

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# **HYMNS FOR MASS**

Morning has broken like the first morning Blackbird has spoken like the first bird Praise for the singing, praise for the morning Praise for them springing fresh from the world

Sweet the rains new fall, sunlit from Heaven Like the first dewfall on the first grass Praise for the sweetness of the wet garden Sprung in completeness where His feet pass

Mine is the sunlight, mine is the morning Born of the one light, Eden saw play Praise with elation, praise every morning God's recreation of the new day

To praise, my soul rejoices in God, To praise, my soul shall glorify the Lord. He who is mighty has done great things for me Behold the servant of God.

Magnificat, Magnificat, anima mea Dominum; Magnificat, Magnificat, anima mea Dominum.

To bless, to bless the people of God, To bless, to bless the name of the Lord. All generations shall call me blessed, Behold the servant of God.