

PARISH of BALLYMONEY & DERRYKEIGHAN

<u>3 May 2015</u>

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Anniversaries

Mary Boyle, John McKenna, Mary McMullan, Gerard Mulholland, John Mulholland, Gerald Shannon, Patrick Shannon

Eucharistic Adoration

Eucharistic Adoration 5 May will not commence until 1.00pm.

<u>Baptism</u>

We welcome into the family of our parish, Max Alexander McIntyre, & Dakota David Lyons, both from Ballymoney and we congratulate their parents.

Collections

Weekly Collection:		£1	063.00
Golden Mile:		£	19.00
Church Renovation Fund		£ 1	069.00
Trocaire	(to date)	£	5728.00

Important

If anyone still wishes to contribute to Trocaire, their donations **must be with the parish by 10 May** as the government will match amounts given by that date, see website for more info

We wish to thank you for your generosity to all the Church Collections

Sun Collection: 10 May: Weekly Offering

Sick and Housebound

The sick and housebound will be attended during the coming week

Baptism Preparation Course – Training

Are you interested in helping parents prepare for their children's baptism and encouraging them afterwards? Training for the Pastoral Area is being organised – please contact Fr O'Brien.

Fifth Sunday of Easter

Church Cleaners

Cleaning Team for May is St Gemma's

St Brigid's Primary School

The Sacrament of Confirmation will be celebrated in the Parish on Mon 11 May at 11am.

Lourdes Associate Membership Collection will be held on the weekend of the 9th/10th May.

Parish Annual Knock Pilgrimage

Sun/Mon 17/18 May. See posters for further details.

Vocations

Please pray for Rev Andrew Black whose ordination takes place Sun 3 May in St Colmcilles's, Holywood at 3.00pm,

Portstewart Parish Pastoral Council Youth

Survey on Faith.

Portstewart Parish need people 12-25 to complete a survey, please go to parish website.

Dominican College Portstewart

Transfer Information for P6 Parents Monday 18 May at 7.00pm Registration packs will be available on the evening There is no charge for registering for the assessment

St Patrick's College Ballymena

Post 16 transition information evening Tuesday 5 May at 7.30.

Lough Derg, will hold a special Day Retreat *'Hope and Encouragement for a New Beginning'* on Wed 20 May. Fr Ben Hughes, who promotes healing and well-being, will facilitate the day which will be beneficial to anyone who is living with or struggling with any issue that is holding them back or hurting their life. Advance booking is essential. For more info contact Lough Derg on 071 9861518 (from NI 00353 71 9861518)

Parish Cemetery

It would be appreciated when visiting the cemetery if parishioners attending to loved ones graves would as a mark of respect dispose of old wreaths etc using bins provided rather than littering the cemetery.

Sunday Masses	Confessions	10 May 2015
Ballymoney: Sat 7.00pm & 11.00am	Sat: 6:15pm – 6:45 pm	Readers
Dervock: Sun 9.00am	First Fri: After Evening Mass	Sat 7.00pm: Gemma McKenna
		Sun 11.00am: Martin Mullan
Week-day Masses	Eucharistic Adoration	Weekly Readers: Group B
Mon - Thurs & Sat: 10.00am	Tues 11.00am – 10.00pm	
Fri: 7.30pm		Eucharistic Ministers
,	Holy Hour Dervock	Group1 Marie Henry
	First Wed of each month at 7.30pm	

To ensure inclusion in the Parish Bulletin, **all notices** should reach the Parish by **6pm on Wednesday**. Notices can be emailed or left in the Parochial House and you should continue to put Anniversary notices in the box in the church porch.