



PARISH of BALLYMONEY & DERRYKEIGHAN

22 February 2015

First Sunday of Lent

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Anniversaries

Father Dan McBride, Wilfred Connor, Anthony Doherty, Patrick Dunbar, John Farrell, John Kelly, May Kelly Bridget & John McErlain, Anne Martin

Month's Mind

John McKay Vigil Mass 21 Feb 7.00pm
Rosaleen Coyles 22 Feb 11.00am

Weekday Mass

Wed 25 Feb, morning Mass 9.30am.

Eucharistic Adoration

On Tuesday 24 Feb, Eucharistic Adoration will commence at 2.30 pm.

Collections

Weekly Collection: £ 1089.00
Golden Mile: £ 22.00
Sick & Retired Priests £ 704.00

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

Sun Collections: 22 Feb

Weekly Offering & Church Renovation Fund.

Lenten Renewal

During the holy season of Lent there will be renewal sessions for Ministers of the Eucharist, Ministers of the Word and the choir. This invitation is being made in all the parishes in the Pastoral Area today and the sessions will take place in Ballymoney Parochial Hall at different times for each ministry. If you are involved in one of these ministries, you will receive an invitation to these events, please do your best to attend.

Trocaire

The Trocaire boxes are available at each of the porches.

Coffee Morning Club

Next Coffee morning is 25 Feb after 9.30am Mass.

Life Source, 5 Session Course on Prayer

Use this time of renewal during Lent to discover the joy and delight in prayer. Using scripture and a range of activities and discussions we will be introduced to different types of praying from our rich Christian heritage. We will be encouraged and supported to try out different ways to pray and to refresh our prayer life.

Starting on **Thursday 26 February at 7.30pm in the Parochial Hall** this short course will run for 5 weeks.

'You learn to pray by praying' (Elizabeth Obbard)

Cleaning

The Church cleaning team for March is St Mary's

Catholicism

Portrush, Callaghan Centre, 4 Wednesdays from Ash Wednesday at 7.30pm. All welcome to come and explore their faith with enquiring adults.

Spring Retreat

A special Spring Retreat will take place in Tobar Mhuire Retreat and Conference Centre, Crossgar on Sunday 1 March 2015. This is being organised by the Diocesan Pioneer Council and the cost for the full day is £25.00. This retreat is open to everyone but spaces are limited. For booking or further information, please contact the Pioneer Office on 028 90894070 or email dandcpioneers@gmail.com.

Marriage Preparation

Engaged Encounter: - See notice at back of church and for further information/ booking, please contact: www.marriageencounter.ie or 028276 38512

Medjugorje Pilgrimage

For further information please contact Cathal 02882241888.

Castle Community Association

Are having a Health Fair on Friday 27 Feb. 7pm -9pm Admission free.

Woman's World Day of Prayer

St James's Presbyterian Church Ballymoney, **Fri 6 March** commencing 7.30pm. Everybody welcome

<p>Sunday Masses Ballymoney: Sat 7.00pm & 11.00am Dervock: Sun 9.00am</p> <p>Week-day Masses Mon - Thurs & Sat: 10.00am Fri: 7.30pm, & Stations of The Cross will commence at 7.00pm during Lent</p>	<p>Confessions Sat: 6:15pm – 6:45 pm First Fri: After Evening Mass</p> <p>Eucharistic Adoration Tues 11.00am – 10.00pm</p> <p>Holy Hour Dervock (First Wed of each month at 7.30pm)</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">21 March 2015</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Readers Sat 7.00pm: Jim Henry Sun 11.00am: Emma Quigg Weekly Readers: Group A</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Eucharistic Ministers Group 3 Anne McKeever</p>
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