PARISH OF PORTRUSH & BUSHMILLS

Part of the North Connor Pastoral Community



Sunday 13th February 2022 6th Sunday in Ordinary Time Sunday C/Weekdays 2 Psalter week 2

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SVP Clothes Bank situated in the church car park



St Patricks Church Portrush portrushparish.website

MASSES THIS WEEK

Monday, Tuesday & Thursday 9.00am
Wednesday 7.00pm & Friday 9.30am
Saturday Vigil Mass at 6pm & Sunday at 12.00pm
Please book for all weekend Masses
either by phoning Brian 07799 065931
or online at EVENTBRITE

MASS IN PORTSTEWART

Saturday Vigil at 5pm, Sunday at 10am Tuesday Mass at 7.00pm, Wednesday - Saturday 9.30am

The church is open for private prayer from 10am-12 noon on Wednesday, Friday, and Saturday Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament on Thursday between 10am and 5pm.

MASS IN ST MALACHY'S, COLERAINE

Saturday vigil at 6pm, Sunday at 11am Tuesday & Thursday 10am

All Masses are streamed online on the parish website: portrushparish.website

'Watch Live' and on YouTube. Masses are recorded and can be watched on the website 45 minutes after Mass has ended.

The church is open for private prayer on Tuesday & Thursday until 2pm, Saturday until evening Mass at 6pm and Sunday after 12 noon Mass until 5pm.

FACE MASKS IN ST PATRICK'S CHURCH

Though the legal obligation to wear a mask throughout Mass is no longer in place,

it will remain mandatory for anyone attending Mass in our Church to always wear a mask.

REST IN PEACE

Recently Deceased: Mary McKenna
Anniversaries: Harry Duffy, Chris Culkin, Danny O'Neill,
Noreen Devlin

ST PATRICK'S ALTAR SOCIETY

5th February – 18th February – Mary Gordon & Evelyn Duggan

19th February – 4th March – Ann Maguire & Pat Neely

MINISTERS OF THE WORD

Sunday 13th February 12pm – Kate Conway Saturday 19th February 6pm – Mary McAlister Sunday 20th February 12pm – Mary McIntyre-Loveridge

SPECIAL DAYS IN THE CHURCH CALENDAR

Monday 14th February

St. Valentine



St Cyril & St Methodius



Thursday 17th February

St. Fintan



ST. PATRICK'S PRIMARY SCHOOL NEWS

St Patrick's Primary School will be closed next week for mid-term break.

A special thanks to all those who supported the school with the purchase of St. Brigid's Crosses.

EXPOLRING THE PSALMS FOR LENT



The Psalms are the ancient prayers/songs of both Judaism and Christianity and are included in our Liturgy as

well as the Divine Office of the Church. During Lent, when we are asked to give more time to prayer, we will explore and pray, in the company of C S Lewis, some of the most beautiful Psalms. The programme is for 'Anyone at all whose heart is open to new dimensions of human experience... like someone who has not had a good meal for a week or two. It is all there.' (N T Wright) The programme will run on -line: Date: Tuesday 1 March for 6 weeks until Tuesday 5 April A second programme will run as follows: Thursday 3 March for 6 weeks until Thursday 7 April Time: 7-8.30pm to register, please contact Kieran Hill stating your preference to attend either the Tuesday or Thursday evening session. Contact Details: kc.hill@btinternet.com Tel: 07964287839

LAUDATO SI

<u>Laudato Si' – grounding the teaching in our everyday</u> lives

Pope Francis' encyclical Laudato Si' highlights the beauty of the earth and our role as stewards of this great gift of creation.

To care for our common home there are many changes that we all need to make and the first change is a change of heart, an ecological conversion.

Join Prof John Barry, Fr Tim Bartlett and Rev Cheryl Meban in conversation as they explore Laudato Si' and how we can each embrace change in our everyday lives to care for the earth.

You can attend in person on Thursday 24th Feb at 7pm in St John's Church, Falls Road. Parking available and venue on main bus route. Online viewing via parish webcam www.stjohnsfallsroad.org

POPES PRAYER INTENTION FOR FEBRUARY

For Consecrated Women



"What would the Church be without religious sisters and consecrated laywomen? The Church cannot be understood without them. I exhort them to keep working and to have an impact with the poor, with the marginalized, with all those who are enslaved by traffickers," he said. "I especially ask them to make an impact on this. May you keep making God's goodness known through the apostolic works you do. But above all through your witness of consecration."

Pope Francis

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New directories for 2022 now available from the parish office at a cost of £3 each

ANY INCLUSION FOR THE BULLETIN MUST BE RECEIVED BY 5PM ON WEDNESDAY

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EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY

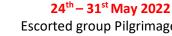


Exciting employment opportunity at the Sanctuary of St Patrick, Lough Derg, Pettigo, Co Donegal.

Applications are invited for an **Operations Manager** which is a key leadership role in delivering the Mission and Vision of Lough Derg, responsible for the smooth running of all day to day operational activities at the pilgrimage centre. For further details and Application Pack contact Mary at +353 7198 61518

or mary@loughderg.org

PILGRIMAGE TO FATIMA



Escorted group Pilgrimage. 7 nights departing from Dublin with 20kg check in bag. 4-star Styler hotel, breakfast, lunch & dinner each day. Excursion to Santarem, guided tour of Aljistrel & sights relating to the apparitions in the surrounding area.

£679 Per person sharing
For more information, contact Bride Gallagher 028
25644181. Pick up point in Ballymena, Maghera &
Castledawson