## PARISH OF PORTRUSH & BUSHMILLS

**Part of the North Connor Pastoral Community** 



Sunday 20<sup>th</sup> November 2022 33<sup>rd</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time

Sunday C/Weekdays 2

Psalter week 3

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Parish Office this week:
Monday 9.30am-2.30pm, Tuesday & Thursday
9.30am – 1.00pm

**MASSES THIS WEEK** 

Monday, Tuesday & Saturday at 10.30am Sunday at 12.00pm

MASS IN PORTSTEWART

Saturday Vigil at 5.00 pm
Sunday at 10.00am
Tuesday: Mass at 7.00pm
Wednesday – Saturday: Mass at 9.30am

MASS IN ST MALACHY'S, COLERAINE
Thursday & Friday 10am

Saturday vigil at 6pm, Sunday at 11am

**SVP Helpline** 07508 549 574 SVP Clothes Bank situated in the church car park

All Masses are streamed & recorded online
At <u>www.churchmedia.tv</u> . Masses are available to
view for up to two weeks.

The church is open for private prayer Monday – Saturday 9am – 5.30pm and Sunday after 12 noon Mass until 5.30pm.

Any item for inclusion in the Parish Bulletin
Must be received by Wednesday 5pm

### ST PATRICK'S ALTAR SOCIETY

12<sup>th</sup> November – 25<sup>th</sup> November – Mary Gordon & Evelyn Duggan

26<sup>th</sup> November – 9<sup>th</sup> December – Ann Maguire & Pat Neely

### **MINISTERS OF THE WORD**

Sunday 27<sup>th</sup> November – Caroline McWilliams-Owen

### **MINISTERS OF THE EUCHARIST**

Sunday 27th November – Stephen O'Neill



REST IN PEACE: Freda Devlin
ANNIVERSARIES: Colm Coulson, Victor
Crawford, Collette Foster, Christopher Trolan,
Reece Meenan, Anne Brolly, Shaun
Richardson



### CONFESSIONS

Confession will be available before Monday & Friday Masses (1<sup>st</sup> Friday of the Month)



#### **CHRISTMAS CARDS**

A selection of Christmas cards are available to purchase after Mass or from the Parish office at a price of £5 for a ten pack. Various designs available.

Proceeds to: Aid to the Church in Need



### POPE FRANCIS' PRAYER INTENTION FOR NOVEMBER



### **Children Who Suffer**

We pray for children who are suffering, especially those who are

homeless, orphans, and victims of war; may they be guaranteed access to education and the opportunity to experience family affection.

# FOR STUDENTS & YOUNG PEOPLE (18-30yrs old) Join us this ADVENT to reflect on God's Living Word as we prepare for Christmas

**WHEN:** 4 Wednesdays beginning 23<sup>rd</sup> November **WHERE:** Marian Hall, Portstewart (access through the Church)

**TIME:** 5.30pm – 7.00pm

Each evening will begin with light refreshments at 5.30pm.

### Annual Mass for Deceased Knights of St Columbanus



The Annual Mass for Deceased members of the Knights of Columbanus will be celebrated on Monday 28th November at 7.00pm

in St Malachy's Church, Coleraine. Everyone is welcome and we'd particularly like to welcome members of family/relatives of the deceased.

Refreshments will be served in the Crypt after Mass for relatives and friends of the deceased.

### **NOVEMBER MASS FOR THE DEAD**



Our annual November Mass for the dead will take place on Thursday 24<sup>th</sup> November at 7.00pm

Refreshments will be served in St. Patrick's Hall after Mass everyone welcome

### **SVP FESTIVE LUNCH**



Saturday 10<sup>th</sup> December 1.30pm Atlantic Hotel Portrush

Names will be taken after each Mass on 27<sup>th</sup> November & 3<sup>rd</sup> December of those over 60 years of age who wish to attend.

A donation of £10 per person would be greatly appreciated.

For further information please contact the Parish Office

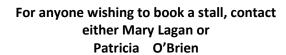
### **CHRISTMAS FAIR**

(In association with St Patrick's Hall Committee)

Sunday 4<sup>th</sup> December 1.30pm – 4.00pm

St Patrick's Hall

- Music
- Stalls
- Tombola
- Arts & Crafts
- Festive Food
- Santa



Admission £5 – Children FREE

### Al-Anon offering Family support for those affected by alcoholism Alcohol Awareness Week 18-25 November 2022

Local people, from all backgrounds are being urged to think about drinking and the effects on Families as we approach Alcohol Awareness Week 18th – 25th November.

Al-Anon wishes to remind the community that help is available for anyone who needs it.

In Northern Ireland there are 30 Al-Anon groups, and more than 700 Groups throughout the UK and the Republic of Ireland. They provide support to anyone whose life is, or has been affected by someone else drinking.

A spokesperson said 'Whatever your story, you can expect to be warmly welcomed, and not judged or pressurised in any way. Anything discussed within an Al-Anon meeting is treated as confidential, including your presence at the meeting.'

By attending Al-Anon Family Group meetings, individuals discover that they didn't cause the problem, and cannot control or cure it. They also learn how best to cope with their situation by switching their focus from the alcoholic to themselves.

Whatever your relationship to the drinker, whatever your story, Al-Anon can help. We hold regular meetings where members share their own experience of living with alcoholism. Our Information Office, based in Belfast is opened from 10am – 1pm Monday to Friday; contact number 02890682368.

All meetings are listed on the website <a href="https://www.al-anonuk.org.uk">www.al-anonuk.org.uk</a>, or you can call our Confidential Helpline on 02890682368 10am – 1pm or 6pm – 10pm daily.

## SING CAROLS WITH COLERAINE COMMU NITY CHOIR

The Coleraine Community Choir will be hosting an evening of carols on Friday 9<sup>th</sup> December at 7.30pm in Holy Trinity Church Portrush.

Featuring Glenkeen Flute Band and Sophie Giraudeau Soprano.

The Choir will be conducted by Roberta Scott, Accompanist Julie McClelland & Organist Peter Wilson.

Offerings in aid of the shipwrecked fishermen and mariners Royal Benevolent Society

### SPECIAL BELFAST PILGRIMAGE TO FATIMA

9-14th June 2023 Ex Dublin for Feast Day of Saint Anthony Patron Saint of Portugal visit Saint Anthony's birthplace and baptismal font in Lisbon contact James Treacy 0035361921470