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ST PATRICK'S PARISH BULLETIN

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10th June 2018

Office Opening Hours

Monday to Thursday

10 am to 1 pm and 2 pm to 5 pm

Closed Friday, Saturday and Sunday

Parish Team

Very Rev Eugene O'Neill Adm
Rev Manuelito Milo CC
Dean Brendan McGee (Retired)
Sr Mary Carlin CP

PARISH SCHEDULE

Weekday Masses

Monday to Saturday 1 pm

Sunday Masses

5.30 pm (Vigil), 8 am, 10 am,
12 noon and 7 pm

Eucharistic Adoration

Saturday 12 noon to 1 pm

Confessions

Saturday 12 noon to 1 pm
and 4.30 to 5.20 pm

BAPTISMS

Baptisms are generally held on the second and third Sundays of the Month. Parents should contact the Parish Office at least four weeks in advance and bring with them their child's long birth certificate.

Godparents for Baptisms: Only one Godparent is required by Canon Law and can either be male or female. If you have two Godparents, they must be male and female. Only two Godparents permitted. Practicing Christians from other denominations can act as a Christian Witness.

MARRIAGES

To arrange a wedding please contact the Parish Office at least 6 months before the proposed date of marriage.

THE BARRACKS GROTTO

Every Monday at 7 pm the Rosary is recited in Our Lady's Grotto at the Barracks. Prayers are said especially for the sick and children of the Parish. Everyone welcome.

COLLECTIONS

Weekly Collection: £1,725

Monthly Collection: £1,312

Thank you for your generous contribution and support.

PARISH DRAW – WEEK 23

£100 - Hazel Murphy, Rowelston Way

£50 - Fr Manuelito Milo, St Patrick's

£50 - Maura O'Neill, c/o Stanhope Street

Promoter's Prize: Geraldine Gallagher

CONGRATULATIONS

DECEASED

Pray for the repose of the souls of **John Montague** late of Cliftonpark Avenue and **Mary Lawlor** late of Hopefield Avenue. May their souls and the souls of all the faithful departed through the mercy of God, rest in peace.

NOTES FOR YOUR DIARY

FRANK CARSON – ‘A REBEL WITHOUT A PAUSE’: Bus leaving from **St Patrick’s Church** at **7 pm sharp** on **Tuesday 19th June** for this event at **7.45 pm** in the **Lyric Theatre**. Tickets £19 (including return transport from St Patrick’s). Many of you will remember Frank Carson, comedian and late parishioner of our parish. Frank was born and lived in Sailortown and he was once a choirboy in our Church. We thought it would be an enjoyable outing for those who may remember him, to organise a trip to the Lyric Theatre for a one man show performed by Dan Gordon. Please contact the parish secretary **before Thursday, 14th June** to book your place. Payment is due at the time of booking.

ORDINATION TO THE PRIESTHOOD: Bishop Treanor will ordain Deacon Tony McAleese to the priesthood on **17th June** this year in the **Church of St Vincent de Paul, Ligoniel**. All of us in the North Belfast Pastoral Community are asked to pray for Tony in these last weeks of preparation for life of service. There will be a **Vocation Triduum** from **8th to 10 June** in **St Vincent de Paul, Ligoniel** (programme details displayed on a poster in the Church) to pray in support of vocations and in particular for Deacon Tony. All are welcome to take some time and visit St Vincent de Paul’s Church during the Triduum to pray before the Blessed Sacrament.

LEICESTER UNIVERSITY CHAMBER CHOIR: Leicester University Chamber Choir will be singing at **1 pm Mass** at **St Patrick’s Church, 199 Donegall Street, Belfast** on **Wednesday 13th June**. A selection of sacred motets will be sung.

LIVING CHURCH DOWN & CONNOR LOUGH DERG PILGRIMAGE: The sixth Living Church Lough Derg 3 day Pilgrimage will take place this year from **Friday 29th June to Sunday 1st July**. The pilgrimage will be the traditional three day format. Those who took part in the pilgrimage over the last few years spoke of the many blessings they received from being on the island of Lough Derg, as countless people have throughout the years. There is quietness and deep spirituality to be found there that is very special. Please consider coming along. The cost of the pilgrimage is £65. We are now offering two departure points Belfast and Ballycastle. For details of travel arrangements and to book a place please call the Living Church Office on 02890690920 or email livingchurch@downandconnor.org **by Friday 15th June**. Registration forms on request from Living Church Office or your Parish Office.

INVITATION: “Walking Together as Families Today”: **Gathering in Preparation for the World Meeting of Families**. St Patrick’s College, Maynooth, **19-20 June 2018**. Speakers, workshops, conversations, prayer, and much more, on variety of topics relating to family life. Registration: €15 (incl lunch and teas/coffees). Tickets available on www.eventbrite.ie (under “Walking Together as Families Today”). Further info: contact Aoife at specialevents@spcm.ie **Be part of it!**

SMA SUMMER SCHOOL 2018: Takes place from 29th June to 1st July in Dromantine Conference Centre, Newry. The theme is Radical Discipleship: Healing for a World in Pain. Keynote Speakers are Professor Tina Beattie, John Lonergan (former Governor of Mountjoy Prison) and Cardinal Vincent Nichols and a choice of nine workshops on relevant themes will be led by a range of experts and practitioners. For details of the full programme, costs etc. email laity@sma.ie or phone 028 3082 1024

BOOK LAUNCH: "The Bishops of Down and Connor Revisited" by Jim O'Hagan. Venue – Dorrian Room, St Malachy's College 36 Antrim Road, Belfast, BT15 2AE, **Thursday, 14th June** at **7.30 pm**. Light refreshments provided.

THE POOR CLARES IN BELFAST 1924 - 2012: This book written by Fr Martin Magill will be launched on **Tuesday 19th June after 7 pm Mass** at **Sacred Heart Church**, 1a Glenview Street, Belfast BT14 7DP. The book will be on sale priced £10 in the parish centre adjoining the church.

ICON PAINTING WORKSHOP: Will take place from 8 – 13 October in the Alexian Brothers Monastery, Knock, Co Mayo. For further information visit: www.theodoreicons.com/knock

AA MEETINGS: Held in St Patrick’s Old School each Saturday 8 am to 9 am.

ST VINCENT DE PAUL: If you live in St Patrick's Parish and need help from St Vincent de Paul please phone 028 9035 1561.

CHRISTMAS PILGRIMAGE GROUP TO THE HOLY LAND: Ex Dublin 19^h – 27th December 2018. Taking in Bethlehem, Jerusalem (Mount of Olives, Garden of Gethsemane, Last Supper Room and Calvary), Mount Tabor, Cana, Nazareth, Jericho, River Jordan, Dead Sea and Sea of Galilee. Contact James Treacy 0353 61921470 or 00353 860572216 payments can be made in instalments and it's perfectly safe to go otherwise you will get your money back.

CRUSE BEREAVEMENT CARE'S 4th ANNUAL GET TOGETHER ROAD SHOW: To be held at **Lagan Valley Island on Wednesday, 27th June from 7.30 – 9.30 pm.** This is an opportunity to:

- Learn how to help families in their grief journey
- Hear directly from bereaved families about what we really need, what helped and hindered most through our bereavement.
- Explore Get-Together's new programme for refugee families.

To attend this free event and receive a CPD certificate, **RSVP by 14th June** to elaine.roub@cruse.org.uk with your name and number of guests attending.



30th Anniversary Concert
Saturday, 23 June 2018 @ 7.30pm
St Brigid's Parish Church, Ballyclare Road, Glengormley

Admission £8.00 (inc light refreshments)

All proceeds to the Martin Residential Trust and St Brigid's Church

Tickets Available From
Molly Grattan (077 6553 9879) & Dorothy Greer (074 5095 7364)