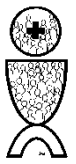




ST COLMCILLE'S CHURCH, HOLYWOOD PARISH



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“SANCTUS BOSCUS”

HOLY WOOD

14th June 1874- 14th June 2024

Parish Pastoral Centre

Celebrating 150 Years

as St Colmcilles Parish Church

Many thanks to all the parishioners who attend the meeting on Monday evening in our parish. It was a very full, frank and open meeting. The overall opinion which came from those gathered was that the priority was the Church, Tower and Pastoral Parish Centre for completion by June 2024. Today we will be circulating at all those who would like to make a comment a consultation form, which I have explained from the Alter. The forms will be available in the porch until the end of June. A box will be placed in the porch after all weekend Masses for the returned forms. Once again thank you for your support.

Fr Stephen



First Communion Blessing

May you always know the peace of Jesus, the light of His Love and the joy of His life within you.

On Saturday 8th June 39 boys and girls from St Patrick's PS, Glencraig IPS and from the Parish made their first communion. May God bless them today and always.

ROTAS – June 2019 for Readers of the Word and Eucharistic Ministers are now available in the room behind the altar & on the website

PARISH OFFERTORY COLLECTION Weekly Collection 2nd June **£1912.00**
Thank you for your continued support.



REMEMBERING OUR DEPARTED

Recently Deceased: Jessica Fernanda Sanchez, Brian Cunningham, Maura Harkin

Anniversaries: John Begley, Rose Horan, Mary James, Martie Johnston, Fiona McConnell, James McConnell, Jack Murphy, Mary Anne Overend, Silas Patrick Overend, George Smith, Tommy Campbell, Marga Frieu, Bobby & Kathleen Pollock. Bridget Thompson, V Rev John Laverty, Rev Colm Campbell, Rev Hugo Lynch, V Rev Vincent Leonard.

MASS TIMES

Saturday vigil Mass

6.30pm

Sunday

10am & 12noon

Weekday Mass

Monday, Tuesday,
Wednesday, Thursday

at 9.30am

& Friday at 7.00pm



Vocations Prayer

God, our Father at the very beginning of your Church your Son Jesus chose twelve apostles to continue your work. Send your Holy Spirit into the hearts of those you call to priesthood. Fill them with wisdom, reverence, understanding and knowledge that they may discern your will and that they may come to the joy of knowing you and of responding to your invitation.

“Come Follow Me”



Ascension of the Lord 2nd June 2019

"Gladden us with holy joys, almighty God, and make us rejoice with thanksgiving"



Beginning Experience

Are you suffering the pain of loss of a partner?

Looking for help and understanding? Beginning Experience (a support group for widowed, separated and divorced people) meets every **Wednesday evening from 8pm to 10pm** in St Bride's Hall, Derryvolgie Ave., Malone Rd., Belfast. **All welcome. For details please contact Phil Tel: 028 90 207645 or Marie Tel: 078 9611 966**

Anam Cara Armagh, the organisation that supports bereaved parents, is holding a Parent Evening for bereaved parents on **Wednesday 26th June at 7:20pm** in the The Armagh City Hotel, Armagh. This event is free and open to all bereaved parents regardless of the age your child died, the circumstances of their death, or whether their death was recent or not. Please note there will be no events in July or August, please contact us on info@anamcara.ie or 085 2888 888 for any queries

Mid-Summer Evening'

Wednesday 19th June 2019 St James', Whiteabbey. Bishop Treanor and the Diocesan Pastoral Council



invite all parishes to send representatives to a 'Mid-Summer Evening' event. It will take place at **7pm on Wednesday 19th June at St James', 463 Shore Road, Whiteabbey**, this will be our fourth 'Mid-summer evening'. This is an initiative of the Diocesan Pastoral Council that enables networking across our parishes and the sharing of experience and good practice. The evening will begin with a BBQ at 7pm – hoping for another beautiful sunny evening on the Loughshore - and will involve a time of prayer, some structured inputs and lots of opportunity to meet people who share a commitment to the life of the church in our diocese. Please confirm the numbers who are able to attend from your parish by Friday 14th June: livingchurch@downandconnor.org or telephone (028) 90690920.

Tobar Mhuire Summer Institute: "Finding a Home in Today's Church." The Summer Institute takes place on **Thursday 27th / Friday 28th June**, facilitated by Kevin Egan and Cora Lambert. At a time of growing uncertainty and confusion for many people in the church today, the Institute will help us reflect upon how we become a welcoming and a missionary church, when many people have a declining sense of belonging to what was once a core part of their life experience. Conference begins each day at 9.30am and concludes at 5pm. Costs: £35.00 each day (to include light lunch)

Further information from reception: 028448302342 or www.tobarmhuirecrossgar.com

SAVE THE DATE! A massive **All-Ireland Pro-Life Rally** will be held in **Dublin on Saturday 6th July 2019**. Join thousands from across Ireland to 'Stand for Life' for unborn children. Coaches will be travelling to the Rally from towns across Northern Ireland. For further details please contact the Rally for Life Committee on **02890278484** or click on www.rallyforlife.net



Mid-Summer Evening with the Priests on **Friday 21st. June** in St. Bernadette's Church, Rosetta Road Belfast at 8pm. Tickets £25 (under 19s free). Telesales Philip 07803 018891, Matchett Music, Wellington Place or

Bread & Banjo, Ormeau Road. Debit/credit card sales: www.stbernadettesparish.org

The Safeguarding Spring 2019 E-Bulletin is now available to view on our website, <http://www.downandconnorsafeguarding.com/>

Diploma in Pastoral Theology at Drumalis in association with St Patrick's Pontifical College, Maynooth. Applicants are now being accepted for this two-year, part-time, intensive course which begins in September 2019. Information available at www.drumalis.co.uk or by emailing maura@drumalis.co.uk or by phoning Drumalis during office hours Tel: 028 28272196/2827