HOLY FAMILY PARISH

North Belfast Pastoral Community (Holy Cross, Holy Family, Sacred Heart, St. Patrick's & St. Vincent de Paul)

03 July 2022 Readings: C 14th Sunday of the Year Psalter: Week 2



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Pastoral Community Churches

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WEEKEND MASS

Holy Family Church: 6.30pm Vigil & 11.30am St Thérèse Church: 6pm Vigil, 10am & noon

MIDWEEK MASS

Holy Family Church: Monday – Friday @ 9.15am St. Thérèse Church: Monday – Saturday @ 10am

CONFESSION

Holy Family Church: Saturday 5.30pm-6.15pm St. Thérèse Church: Saturday after 10am Mass

CHILDREN'S LITURGY

... can now be found on our parish website, by pressing the 'Readings & Prayer Times' button.

PILGRIM PRAYER WITH DEACON BRENDAN

Every Tuesday night at 8pm on Facebook and on the Holy Family website. For Facebook users simply like the Holy Family Facebook page.

REST IN PEACE

Recently deceased: Joseph Kelly (England) & Michael

Month's Mind: Teresa Murphy

Anniversaries: Jack Segherdahl, Mary & William Agnew, Roisin Savage, Maurice Jordan, Mark Mooney (5th), Bridget McCaughey, James (30th) & Eileen McGarrity, Mary McGarrity (20th), Margaret & Patrick Beggan & NU Joseph

PARISH WEBCAM

Live streaming of all Masses takes place in Holy Family Church and St. Thérèse Church. For both Churches, click on the Live Webcams button on the Home Page of the Parish website www.holy-familyparish.com.

DIOCESAN PRIVACY POLICY

The Privacy Policy for the Diocese of Down and Connor, including Holy Family Parish, is available in the Safeguarding section of the Parish website. A paper copy may be obtained from the Parish Office if required.

COLLECTIONS

The **weekly collection** for Sunday 26 June came to £2,205.22. Thank you for your contribution.

CAN THE HOLDER OF ENVELOPE NUMBER 766 PLEASE CONTACT THE PARISH OFFICE?

MASSES IN THE COMING WEEK HOLY FAMILY

Monday 04th (9.15am) NU Joseph Tuesday 05th (9.15am) Teresa Murphy MM Saturday 09th (6.30pm) The McBride family Sunday 10th (11.30am) Daulat Khursetjee

ST. THÉRÈSE

Sunday 10th (noon) Doreen Gilfedder

AN ACT OF SPIRITUAL COMMUNION

My Jesus, I believe that You are present in the Most Holy Sacrament. I love You above all things, and I desire to receive You into my soul. Since I cannot at this moment receive You sacramentally, come at least spiritually into my heart. I embrace You as if You were already there and unite myself wholly to You. Never permit me to be separated from You.

100 CLUB BUILDING FUND WEEK 33

£100 – Brenda Killough, Somerton Mews; F Pelan, Lothair Avenue; P&M Henderson, Brookvale House and Mr & Mrs Rogan, Salisbury Gardens **Promoter:** Bernadette Keenan

EUCHARISTIC ADORATION

We continue to appeal for your help in filling some slots:-Tuesdays 4pm – 5pm; Wednesdays 11am – noon & 4pm-5pm; Thursdays 4pm-5pm; 8pm-9pm & 9pm-10pm and Saturdays 12noon-1pm; 2pm-3pm & 3pm-4pm. Please contact the Parish Office. (This is a Diocesan shrine for prayer for the priesthood).

SUMMER MONTHS

If you could cover an hour per week, occasionally, to assist Eucharistic Adoration during the holidays, please contact the Parish Office.

THERE WILL BE NO EUCHARISTIC ADORATION ON MONDAY 11th & TUESDAY 12th of JULY.

COMMUNITY FUN DAY TODAY SUNDAY 3rd JULY

Holy Family Parish, together with Newington Day Centre, invite everyone to a fun afternoon in the grounds of Holy Family Church TODAY, SUNDAY, 12:30pm - 2:30pm. ADMISSION FREE! There will be something for everyone – fun inflatables, face painting, candy floss machine, ice cream, hot food and lots more. Please come along and bring your friends. Children under 12 years must be accompanied by an adult. Please note that car parking is not available in the church grounds today.

COVID-19 UPDATE

The obligation to attend Mass on Sunday and Holy Days of Obligation has returned, however for those whose health is vulnerable, or who are unwell, will not be under any obligation. Please do not attend if you have any symptoms of COVID-19. A section with formal 2m socially distanced seating remains in each church, for those who may wish to adopt a more cautious approach – please inform one of the Parish Welcome team if you wish to avail of this. The use of hand sanitiser continues to be strongly encouraged, and please sanitise hands before using the holy water fonts. Please note that current public health guidance continues to strongly recommend the use of face coverings in all public indoor settings. Wearing a face covering helps keep you and others safe from COVID-19. Many thanks for your ongoing cooperation.

DIOCESAN SYNODAL REPORT

..is available at www.downandconnor.org. A parish summary is also available on our website (www.holy-familyparish.com), under Latest News.

Interested in the Synodal process? Why not consider a postgraduate course in theology? The Loyola Institute of Theology at Trinity College will challenge, form and inform you. www.tcd.ie/loyola-institute. E: faryan@tcd.ie

DIOCESAN PILGRIMAGE TO FATIMA

Full board in hotel: 7 nights (8-15 September) from £689 per person sharing. Contact Joe Catney 02890714001/0776425631

DIOCESAN PILGRIMAGE TO LOURDES

Full board in hotel: 5 nights (13-18 July) from £685. (028) 9077 0162 email: lourdes@downandconnor.org or visit www.downandconnor.org/Lourdes

PARISH PARTNERS IN PRAYER

Please join us this week, as we pray for all those who have a birthday in July. We ask that God will bless them and give them the strength to make good decisions in the coming year.

SINGING FOR BOYS, SUMMER 2022

Monday 8 August – Friday 12 August, in St Dominic's School, Falls Road. 5-day course is aimed at boys aged 8–16 who want to improve their singing voice and musical skills. The week concludes with a showcase in St Peter's Cathedral (parents welcome). Guest Tutor is musical director, composer and voice consultant Matthew Reeve. Contact Cathedral House, St Peter's Square or email schola@downandconnor.org. Cost: £35 - Scholarships are available on request.

THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK

When evil people plot, good people must plan. When evil people shout ugly words of hatred, good people must commit themselves to the glories of love.

ECO CORNER

"You cannot get through a single day without having an impact on the world around you. What you do makes a difference and you have to decide what kind of a difference you want to make." —Jane Goodall

BAPTISMS IN JUNE

Welcome to....Ronan David Brian Taplin; Kealan Michael Owens; Emily Jane Neeson; Cohen Lorcan Morrin; Maisie Kate Knocker; Annabel Bandova; David Angyellino Banda; Antonio Dior Banda; Jacoba Mia Houtman; Isaac John Thomas & Jimmy McCann

WEDDINGS IN JUNE

Congratulations to...Claire Hughes & Rajvir Singh; Jane Hughes & Paul O'Neill; Anna Maria McDonnell & Sean McCullagh and Amy Salmon & Justin Donaldson.

POPE'S INTENTION FOR JULY

Elderly

We pray for the elderly, who represent the roots and memory of a people; may their experience and wisdom help young people to look towards the future with hope and responsibility.

PAYING ATTENTION TO GOD: A WAY OF LISTENING

8 Saturdays, Sept '22-April '23. A day to yourself every month. Listen differently. Change your relationship with God and others. Experienced facilitators. Christians of all denominations. Plain English. No study. Listening. Laughing. For info/application see www.firststepwell.com or ring James McClure at Edgehill 028 90767950. Closing date 7 August.

FEAST DAYS (IRISH SAINTS)

Wed 06th: St Moninne of Killeavy was one of Ireland's early women saints. After instruction on the religious life, she founded a community at Sliabh Gullion, Co. Armagh, living a reclusive life, based on that of Elijah and John the Baptist. Moninne died around 517.

Friday 08th: St Kilian was born in the parish of Mullagh, in the diocese of Kilmore. With eleven companions, he left Ireland, and became known as the apostle of Thuringia and Eastern Franconia (Germany). He was put to death in 689. There is a strong devotion to him in Würzburg, where his remains lie, and also throughout the Bavarian countryside.

JOB VACANCIES

Pastoral Renewal and Faith Development Worker (2 posts) for the Living Church Office. 3 year fixed term contract, 35 hours p.w. Details at www.downandconnor.org (job vacancies tab), as well as the Community NI and nijobs.com websites. Closing date for applications is noon on Monday 18th July.

EXPERIENCED CARER AVAILABLE

..for assistance with private care/household duties within the Holy Family Parish community. Contact 07988517943.

CHILDREN'S CORNER

Q: Why do they say 'Amen' at the end of a prayer instead of 'Awomen'?

A: The same reason they sing Hymns instead of Hers!