

# THE PARISHES OF PORTSTEWART, PORTRUSH & BUSHMILLS

North Connor Pastoral Community

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TENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

9<sup>th</sup> June 2024

Sunday B / Weekdays 2 Psalter Week 2

## MASSES IN OUR PARISHES THIS WEEK

### STAR OF THE SEA CHURCH, PORTSTEWART

Saturday Vigil Mass at 5pm  
 Sunday Mass at 10am  
 Tuesday Mass at 7pm  
 Wednesday – Saturday: Mass at 9.30am  
**Eucharistic Adoration:**  
**every Thursday from 10am – 5pm**  
 CONFESSIONS: Saturday at 10am & 4pm  
 and at 10am on First Friday of the month

### ST PATRICK'S CHURCH, PORTRUSH

Sunday at 12 noon  
 Monday, Tuesday & Friday at 10.30am  
**Eucharistic Adoration:**  
**First Friday of the Month from 11am – 3pm**  
 CONFESSIONS: Friday at 10am

### ST MALACHY'S CHURCH, COLERAINE

Saturday Vigil at 6.30pm, Sunday at 11am  
**No weekday Masses this week 10 – 14 June  
 in St Malachy's Church**

### OUR LADY & ST PATRICK'S CHURCH, BALLYMONEY

Saturday Vigil at 6pm, Sunday at 9.30am & 5pm  
 Monday & Wednesday 10am, Friday 7pm

## COLLECTIONS

### PORTSTEWART

Last weekend's Parish Collection: **£1525**  
 Monthly Collection: **£1196**  
 Our account details are: Portstewart Parish  
 Sort Code: 95-04-28 Account number: 91011049

### PORTRUSH

Last weekend's Parish Collection: **£612**  
 Monthly Collection: **£448**  
 Our account details are: Portrush Parish  
 Sort Code: 95-06-79 Account number: 00254207

Thank you for your generosity and support. You can also support your parish through a regular standing order or by making a one-off payment through your bank or online. Please use your name as our reference. If you haven't already done so, please consider signing a **Gift Aid form** (available from the Parish Office) to increase your donation at no extra cost to yourself. Thank you.

## PORTSTEWART

Parish Secretary: Ruth McGuckian 7083 2534  
 Email: [portstewart@downandconnor.org](mailto:portstewart@downandconnor.org)

### Parish Office Hours 10 – 14 June

**Monday 9am – 2pm**  
 The Office will be closed from Tuesday 11<sup>th</sup> June  
 and will reopen on Monday 24<sup>th</sup> June

### REST IN PEACE

RECENT: Tony McCafferty, Teresa O'Neill, Doreen McIntyre RIP  
 ANNIVERSARIES: Aine Lynch, Charlie Sweeney, Patrick Stewart, Dr John McHugh, Master John McHugh, Artie O'Hare, Sheila McCloskey, Brendan Conway RIP

The Month's Mind Mass for Tony McCafferty  
 will be held next Saturday 15<sup>th</sup> June at 5pm.

### NEXT WEEKEND 15-16 JUNE (PORTSTEWART)

VIGIL Minister of the Word: Lorna O'Brien  
 Eucharistic Ministers: Deirdre McCann, Tracy McMorrough, Mary McMahan  
 SUNDAY 10am Minister of the Word: Curtis White  
 Eucharistic Ministers: Mark Donaghy\* Margaret Conway\* Margaret McLernon\* Susan Kelly



PRAYING FOR OUR DEAD  
 PORTSTEWART CEMETERY SUNDAY  
 TODAY Sunday 9<sup>th</sup> June

Agherton Cemetery at 3pm  
 Portstewart Cemetery at 3.45pm



TODAY  
 Sunday 9<sup>th</sup> June  
 in Star of the Sea  
 Parish Centre after  
 the 10am Mass.

Come along for chat, coffee, cakes and fun activities for the children. Everyone welcome. All proceeds in aid of St Colum's Preschool.



### DOHERTY CUP FINAL

St. Colum's P.S. play Damhead P.S. in the Doherty Cup final on **Tuesday 11<sup>th</sup> June**, kick-off 6.15pm. Tickets are available from the school office ☎ 70833010 or pay at the gate on the night. Adult Ticket £2, Child Ticket £1 Everyone welcome. Please come along and support our footballers!

## PORTRUSH

Fr Patrick Delargy 7082 3388  
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### Parish Office Hours 10 – 14 June

**Tuesday 9am – 1pm**

### REST IN PEACE

RECENT: Kate McLaughlin, Doreen McIntyre  
 ANNIVERSARIES: Mary Duffy, Gloria O'Lynn RIP

### NEXT SUNDAY 16 June (PORTRUSH)

Minister of the Word: Kate Magee  
 Eucharistic Minister: Robert Crampsie

### ALTAR SOCIETY

8 – 21 June: Ann Maguire, Pat Neely

### ST PATRICK'S PRIMARY SCHOOL



Saturday 22<sup>nd</sup> June from 3 – 6pm  
 Games, bouncy castles, BBQ, face painting and much more. Tickets £5 per child. Open to all the community.

### THE CAUSEWAY COAST PEACE GROUP

invite you to the Annual Thanksgiving Service to be held on **Sunday 16<sup>th</sup> June at 6.30pm in Ballintoy Parish Church**  
 The Speaker will be Rev. Dr. John Murdock with his address "Peace Be With You." The McFaul Family will provide the special music. Tea and coffee will be served in St. Joseph's Community Hall, Main Street Ballintoy following the service. Offertory in aid of N.I. Children's Hospice. A warm welcome awaits all who attend.

FREE Walking Tours in Downpatrick area as part of Heritage Walking week, Monday - Saturday June 10-16, including Early Christian and Medieval Tour next Saturday as well as Saint Patrick Treasure Trails. Book: The Saint Patrick Centre ☎ 4461 9000 or Eventbrite.

### SUMMER CONCERT

**Sunday 16 June at 2pm in St Peter's Cathedral, Belfast**  
 Everyone is welcome to attend our End of Year Recital of sacred and secular music in the Cathedral. This event includes the debut of the newly-formed Girls' Choir, with other performances from the Schola Cantorum and the Cathedral Choir. Admission is free, with a retiring collection in support of our Music Department.



## ANNUAL DAY OF REFLECTION Healing through Remembering

Friday 21st June 2024

- St Anne's Cathedral, Donegall Street, Belfast from 11.30am to 12.30pm.

Using the biblical practice of lament, this ecumenical service offers a space to reflect on the conflict in and about Northern Ireland as well as the future that is before us. In this space we acknowledge our deep hurt and pain, reflect on what we might have done or might still do, and commit ourselves to a future where such suffering and loss does not happen. This is a service for everyone because violence has affected all of us.

- St Patrick's Church of Ireland, Church Street, Coleraine from 3 pm - 6.30 pm.

Organised by Coleraine Churches Forum, this year's remembrance takes place in St Patrick's Church, Coleraine. The names of all who died will be reverently read aloud from the book of Lost Lives. Parishioners are encouraged to assist in the Reading of Names or to take the opportunity to visit the Church for private prayer.

### MAN-UP! MEN'S SPIRITUAL BOOT CAMP

In Saint Paul's Parish Hall, Falls Road, Belfast on **Saturday 15 June 2024**, the Legion of Mary will deliver a day for men aged 18 years and over. The day will consist of sacraments and talks by guest speakers aimed at challenging us about how we live out our Catholic faith. The event runs from 10am to 4pm with light lunch provided. £5 contribution. For more information contact Luke on 07955386288 or [www.legionofmarydc.co.uk](http://www.legionofmarydc.co.uk)

### DOWN & CONNOR DIOCESAN PILGRIMAGE TO FATIMA

Led by Bishop Alan McGuckian S.J.  
**20<sup>th</sup> August 2024 for 7 Nights** Spiritual Directors Fr G McCloskey, Fr M Graham, Canon S Gilmore. £799 per person sharing. Full board Hotel Avenida. Direct return flights from Dublin to Lisbon. For further information contact Joe Catney ☎ 07776 425631 / 028 90714001



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