



THE PARISHES OF PORTSTEWART, PORTRUSH & BUSHMILLS & ST. MALACHY'S COLERAINE

North Connor Pastoral Community

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FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER



18th May 2025

Sunday C / Fifth Week of Easter / Psalter Week 1

MASS TIMES

STAR OF THE SEA CHURCH, PORTSTEWART

TUESDAY 7.00pm
WEDNESDAY – SATURDAY 9.30am
SATURDAY VIGIL MASS: 5.00pm
SUNDAY MASS: 10.00am

CONFESSION:

SATURDAYS: 10.00am & 4.00pm

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION:

THURSDAY FROM 10.00am – 5.00pm

ST. MALACHY'S CHURCH, COLERAINE

TUES, THURS & FRI 10.00am
SATURDAY VIGIL MASS: 6.30pm
SUNDAY MASS: 11.00am

CONFESSION:

FRIDAYS: 10.30am

SATURDAYS: 6.00pm – 6.20pm

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION:

FRIDAY AFTER 10.00am MASS

ST. PATRICK'S CHURCH, PORTRUSH

MON, TUES & FRI: 10.30am
SUNDAY MASS: 12 Noon

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION: FRIDAY 11.00am-1.00pm

OUR LADY & ST PATRICK'S CHURCH, BALLYMONEY

MON & WED 10.00am
FRIDAY 7.00pm
SATURDAY VIGIL MASS: 6.00pm
SUNDAY MASS: 9.30am & 5.00pm

COLLECTIONS

PORTSTEWART

Last weekend's Collections: Weekly Offering: **£1458**

Our account details are: Portstewart Parish
Sort Code: 95-04-28 Account number: 91011049

PORTRUSH

Last weekend's Collections: Weekly Offering: **£489.42**

Our account details are: Portrush Parish
Sort Code: 95-06-79 Account number: 00254207

ST. MALACHY'S COLERAINE

Last weekend's Collections: Weekly Offering: **£1289**

Our account details are: St Malachy's Church
Sort Code: 90-48-00 Account number: 88609151

PORTSTEWART

Parish Secretary: 028 7083 2534

Email: portstewart@downandconnor.org

Parish Office Hours: 19 – 23 May

Monday, Thursday & Friday: 10.00am – 3.00pm

REST IN PEACE

RECENT: Leo Dolan, Liam Butcher, John Paul Watson, Maureen O'Kane, John Allen, Maria Johnston, Margaret Hughes, Mary Lynch, Joan Diamond, John Hughes RIP

ANNIVERSARIES: Hugh Johnston, Christopher Booth, Kevin McFerran, Jim Fitzpatrick, Marie Lou Mullan, Carlos Boné Palomar, Charlotte Downey, Patricia Shaw, Nora Sloane, Mary-Maggie O'Connor, Mary Neeley, Mary Lynch, John Hughes, Elizabeth O'Loughlin, John Quinn RIP

NEXT WEEKEND – 24 & 25 MAY (PORTSTEWART)

VIGIL MASS: 5.00pm

Minister of the Word: Mary Teresa O'Hara

Eucharistic Ministers: Margaret McQuillan, Martina Murphy, Deirdre McCann

SUNDAY MASS: 10.00am

Minister of the Word: Michael Bradley

Eucharistic Ministers: Mary McKenna*, Geraldine Doherty*, Margaret Conway*, Susan Kelly

COLERAINE

Fr. Nideesh Varghese: 028 7034 3156

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Parish Office: **CLOSED**

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REST IN PEACE

RECENT: John Doherty, Charles Vincent Orr, Liam Butcher, Deirdre O'Quigley, Joan Diamond RIP

ONE MONTH AGO: Simon Leslie RIP

ONE YEAR AGO: Jakob Ostrowski RIP

ANNIVERSARIES: Christopher Booth, Rosina McAuley, Peadar Phair, John Kearney, Ellen Peder Kearney, Sean Kearney, Michael Kearney, May Gaffrey, Nellie McKinley, Michael Devine RIP

CONGRATULATIONS



to the children of St. Malachy's Parish who have received the Sacrament of Confirmation in St. Malachy's Church Coleraine today.

CONGRATULATIONS to the children of Portstewart and Portrush Parish who received Jesus in Holy Communion for the first time on Saturday. May they always stay close to Jesus!



PORTRUSH

Fr Patrick Delargy: 028 7082 3388

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Parish Office Hours: Tuesday 20 May 9.00am – 2.00pm

NEXT SUNDAY – 25 May (PORTRUSH)

SUNDAY 12 Noon

Minister of the Word: Marie McAuley

Eucharistic Minister: Malgorzata Rutka

Altar Society

10th May – 23rd May: - Ann Maguire, Pat Neely

24th May – 6th June: - Kathleen Curran, Rose Minihan

REST IN PEACE

RECENTLY DECEASED: Harriet Anderson RIP

ANNIVERSARIES: , Kate McLaughlin, Rosina McAuley, Mary Neely, Nellie (Eleanor) McKinley, Madeline McNally RIP

COFFEE MORNING IN ST. PATRICK'S HALL

The Monday Coffee Morning in St. Patrick's Hall will finish for the summer on Monday 19th May 2025. We would like to thank you for all your support over the last year and hope to see you in September. Have a great summer!

APOSTOLIC WORK CHURCH GATE COLLECTION

St. Malachy's Apostolic Work will hold its annual church door collection after the Masses on 24/25 May. Contribution envelopes will be available in the church on 17/18 May. All contributions will be grateful appreciated.

DIOCESAN PILGRIMAGE TO LOUGH DERG

Led by Bishop Alan McGuckian and Jim Deeds

Friday 4th - Sunday 6th July

For further info please contact Claire on 028 90 690920 or email pathwaystothefuture@downandconnor.org

St Therese Of Lisieux Celebration

"You are invited to a special centenary celebration of the canonization of St Thérèse of Lisieux. St Thérèse is a beloved saint known for her little way of love and spiritual simplicity. We are honoured to welcome Fr Paul Murray OP, renowned speaker and spiritual director of Mother Teresa of Calcutta, who will offer a reflection on how to live and pray like St Thérèse. The event will take place on 22 May at 19:00 at Holy Family Church (226-228 Limestone Road, Belfast, BT15 3AP). All are welcome.

ROSARY ON THE COAST

Sunday 18th May at 3.00pm on Benone Beach.

All are very welcome!



IMPORTANT DATES FOR OUR PARISH



CELEBRATING THE SACRAMENTS IN OUR PARISHES



First Holy Communion

COLERAINE: Sat 31st May at 12 noon

Sat 7th June at 12 noon (Sandelford)

Confirmation

PORTSTEWART: Sun 8th June at 12 noon

PORTRUSH: Sat 7th June at 12 noon

COLERAINE: Sat 7th June at 12 noon (Sandelford)

Cemetery Sunday (Portstewart)

Sunday 15th June:

Agherton Cemetery at 3.00pm

Portstewart New Cemetery at 3.45pm

DIOCESAN PILGRIMAGE TO KNOCK

Join us for the Down and Connor Diocesan Pilgrimage to Knock on **Sunday 8th June 2025**. Bus Departs at 7.30am from the Living Church Office, 120 Cliftonville Road, Belfast, BT14 6LA. **Cost: £45pp**

For more information or to book a seat, please contact Claire on 028 90 690920 or email

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MY FAIR LADY – PORTRUSH MUSIC SOCIETY

27th - 31st May 2025 in Coleraine Leisure Centre

Evenings at 7.30pm | Saturday Matinee 2.00pm

TICKETS START FROM £19! Available from ticketsource.co.uk/portrush-music-society

MAY PILGRIMAGE TO MONEYGLASS

The Causeway Family of Parishes (Portstewart, Portrush, Coleraine & Ballymoney) are having a pilgrimage to the shrine of Our Lady of Lourdes at Moneyglass on Friday 30th May.

We will meet in Moneyglass Church at 7.30pm, for a Rosary Procession around the grounds, followed by Mass at the Grotto.

Moneyglass has been designated by the Diocese as one of the pilgrimage places for this Jubilee Year. Please contact Portstewart Parish Office or fill in the sheet at the back of the church to register your interest if you require transport.



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If you have any item for inclusion in the parish weekend bulletin, please email: portstewart@downandconnor.org by 11am on Thursday. Thank you.