

# 23<sup>rd</sup> November 2025

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

**North Connor Pastoral Community** 

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# MASS TIME CHANGES FOR THE COMING WEEK

PORTRUSH: No 10.30am Mass on Monday St. MALACHY'S: No Mass on Thursday PORTSTEWART: No Mass on Friday

### **MASS TIMES**

# STAR OF THE SEA CHURCH, PORTSTEWART

**TUESDAY** 7.00pm WEDNESDAY & THURSDAY 9.30am

#### **PLEASE NOTE NO MASS ON FRIDAY**

SATURDAY VIGIL MASS: 4.30pm **SUNDAY MASS:** 10.00am

# **Children's Liturgy at the Sunday 10am Mass**

**CONFESSION: SATURDAYS** 

3.45-4.15pm

**EUCHARISTIC ADORATION:** 

THURSDAYS: 10.00am-5.00pm

# ST. MALACHY'S CHURCH, COLERAINE **PLEASE NOTE NO MASS ON THURSDAY**

TUES, FRI & SAT 10.00am SUNDAY MASSES: 11.30am & 5.00pm

# Children's Liturgy at the Sunday 11.30am Mass

**CONFESSION:** 

SATURDAYS: 10.30am SUNDAYS: 4.30pm

# ST. PATRICK'S CHURCH, PORTRUSH

**MON - REQUIEM MASS** 11.30am TUES & FRI: 10.30am **SUNDAY MASS:** 12 Noon **EUCHARISTIC ADORATION:** FRIDAY 11.00am-1.00pm

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

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

# COLLECTIONS

# **PORTSTEWART**

Last weekend's Collections: Weekly Offering: £1590 Bishop's Commission: £875

Our account details are: Portstewart Parish 

## **PORTRUSH**

Last weekend's Collections: Weekly Offering: £484 Bishop's Commission: £452

Our account details are: Portrush Parish

### ST. MALACHY'S COLERAINE

Last weekend's Collections: Weekly Offering: £1122 Bishop's Commission: £453

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

THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT AND GENEROSITY!

### **PORTSTEWART**

Parish Secretary: 028 7083 2534

Email: portstewart@downandconnor.org

Parish Office: Mon: 9am-2pm Thurs & Fri: 10am-3pm

### **REST IN PEACE**

RECENT: Dan McNicholl, Kathleen O'Rawe RIP

**ONE MONTH AGO:** Noel Campbell RIP

ANNIVERSARIES: Derek Bond, Christopher Trolan, Cathal Corr, Anna Curry, Gerry Magee, Catherine

Crawford RIP

## **NEXT WEEKEND - 29 & 30 NOV (PORTSTEWART)**

VIGIL MASS: 4.30pm

Minister of the Word: Lorna O'Brien

**Eucharistic Ministers:** Martina Murphy, Alison Rankin

Margaret McQuillan

**SUNDAY MASS: 10.00am** Minister of the Word: Michael Bradley

Eucharistic Ministers: Julie Roantree\*, Mary McMahon\*, Deirdre Bannon\*, Brian Lenehan

### ST. MALACHY'S, COLERAINE

**Phone Number:** 028 7034 3156 Email: coleraine@downandconnor.org

Parish Office: CLOSED (Please send anniversaries & bulletin notices to portstewart@downandconnor.org)

# **REST IN PEACE**

**RECENT:** Patrick Butcher, Eamon Kneeland RIP ANNIVERSARIES: Margaret Devine, Anna Curry, Gerard Bradley, Tom Fleming, Michael Doey, Michael Moore RIP

# **PORTRUSH**

Fr Patrick Delargy: 028 7082 3388 Email: portrush@downandconnor.org

Parish Office: Tuesday 25<sup>th</sup> November: 9am-2pm

# **NEXT SUNDAY – 30 NOVEMBER (PORTRUSH)**

# **SUNDAY: 12 Noon** Minister of the Word: Marie McAuley

Eucharistic Minister: Stephen O'Neill

### **REST IN PEACE**

**RECENT:** Charles McConaghy, Maura Holly, Jenny Goodall, Joe Killen RIP

**ANNIVERSARY: Teresa Burns RIP** 

# **THE KNIGHTS OF ST COLUMBANUS**



**Mass for Deceased Brothers CK69** 

on Wednesday 26<sup>th</sup> November 2025 at 7.00pm in St. Malachy's Church, Coleraine (Light refreshments served in Crypt after Mass) Everyone Welcome!

### **SVP SUPPORTING THE COMMUNITY**

**PORTSTEWART:** 07508 549572

PORTRUSH: 07508 549574 COLERAINE: 07738 837959

## **CHRISTMAS BY THE COAST: 5-7 DECEMBER 2025**



Tickets are now on sale for the magical Christmas by the Coast at Eoghan Rua Clubhouse, Portstewart. Bring your family and friends to enjoy an unforgettable festive experience with Santa, Mrs Claus, magical

elves, trad music, local choirs, hot food, and much more. This year, you can sponsor a family in need so they can enjoy the event and visit Santa. If interested, please contact: christmasbythecoast2024@gmail.com We are also welcoming volunteers who would like to support the organisation of this special community event.

### **CANTEMUS CONCERT**

In St. Mary's Star of the Sea Church, Portstewart on Friday 12th December at 7.30pm. Tickets are £10 including refreshments and can be purchased from the repository or by contact Emer on 07709043921!

### **OLIVE BRANCH COFFEE MORNING**

Coffee morning & sale in St. Mary's, Star of the Sea Parish Centre, Portstewart after 10am Mass today, Sun. 23rd Nov., from 11am - 1pm to raise vital funds for The Olive Branch. The Olive Branch provides free mental health counselling for people in need!

#### **PORTRUSH CHRISTMAS WONDERLAND**

St. Patrick's PTA is organising Portrush's biggest Christmas event, open to the entire community. Wednesday 10th and Thursday 11th December. Slots available on each day from 6pm - 8pm. Join us for the Portrush Christmas Wonderland, featuring activities like writing letters to Santa, meeting Mrs. Claus, a Christmas craft workshop, and a special visit from Santa. Enjoy a magical walk with elves, toast marshmallows, and create lasting memories with family and friends. The event lasts 60-90 minutes, so be sure to book your tickets now and share this with loved ones! For tickets, visit: https://www.trybooking.com/uk/FLDQ

### ST MALACHY'S PTA

On Wednesday 26th November 2025 at 6.45pm in St. Malachy's Parish Centre, Coleraine, St Malachy's PTA are hosting their FIRST EVER Christmas Wreath Making Class! \*\* A Join us for a cosy, festive evening with Millson & Berry Floral Boutique who'll guide you stepby-step to create your very own custom Christmas wreath. Enjoy expert wreath-making guidance & nibbles and refreshments. Tickets £35. Adults Only Spaces are limited, so don't miss out! All monies raised will be used to benefit the pupils of St Malachy's PS. Book now via PayPal: trudes100@hotmail.co.uk to secure your spot or call into the school office.

# ST. COLUM'S PRE-SCHOOL OPEN DAY

Is your child due to start Pre-school in September 2026? We warmly invite prospective pupils and their families to our Open Day on Thursday 27th November from 1.30-2.30pm and from 6.00pm-7.30pm.

Sunday C/ Weekday Cycle 1/Psalter Week 2

### ST. COLUM'S PRIMARY SCHOOL OPEN NIGHT

St. Colum's P.S. are holding an Open Evening for prospective pupils and parents on Thursday 27<sup>th</sup> November from 6-7pm. Come along and see our school, meet the teachers and join in fun activities.

# ST COLUM'S PRIMARY SCHOOL PTA **CHRISTMAS COFFEE MORNING - SUNDAY 30th NOVEMBER**

In St. Mary's, Star of the Sea Parish Centre, Portstewart, from 11.00am-12.30pm. Come along for a morning of family festive fun. Everyone welcome.

# NOVEMBER – A TIME TO PRAY AND REMEMBER

'One thing only do I ask of you, that you remember me at the Altar of the Lord.' - St. Monica

There will be a time of guided prayer and the praying of the Divine Mercy Chaplet for the Holy Souls each Friday during November at 3.00pm in St. Mary's, Star of the Sea Church, Portstewart. Please come and remember all our loved ones who have died in this special way.

# **COUNTERPOINT CHOIR FESTIVAL OF NINE LESSONS & CAROLS**

In St. Malachy's Church Coleraine on Sunday 7th December at 7.30pm, in conjunction with Causeway Churches' Forum. All are most welcome to attend this festive event. Free Admission.

### **SVP CHRISTMAS LUNCH**

The SVP Christmas Lunch is taking place on Tuesday 2nd December at 1.00pm in the Cromore Halt Restaurant, Portstewart. Pensioners of St. Patrick's Parish, Portrush and St. Mary's, Star of the Sea Parish, Portstewart are invited to attend. Menus will be made available at the back of both churches. Should you wish to attend, please complete the form and submit with a £10 donation.

### **SVP PORTRUSH**

SVP Portrush would like to thank a parishioner for their donation of £760. This is very greatly appreciated and will be a great help as we draw near to Christmas.

### **DEMENTIA FRIENDLY MASS**

The monthly Mass for the sick and elderly will take place in Our Lady & St. Patrick's Church, Ballymoney at 2pm on Saturday 29th November. The Mass is a slightly shorter and more accessible service with familiar prayers and hymns. We offer a special welcome to people with dementia and their families and carers.