

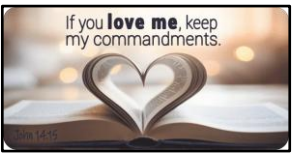


THE PARISHES OF PORTSTEWART, PORTRUSH & BUSHMILLS & ST. MALACHY'S COLERAINE

North Connor Pastoral Community

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Sixth Sunday of Easter



Sunday A / Psalter Week 2

10th May 2026

MASS TIMES

STAR OF THE SEA CHURCH, PORTSTEWART

TUESDAY: 7.00pm
WEDNESDAY – FRIDAY: 9.30am
SATURDAY VIGIL MASS: 4.30pm
SUNDAY MASS: 10.00am

CONFESSION:
SATURDAY: 4.00pm

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION ON THURSDAY 10am-5pm

ST. MALACHY'S CHURCH, COLERAINE

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

CONFESSION:
SATURDAYS: After 10.00am Mass
SUNDAYS: 4.30-4.50pm

ST. PATRICK'S CHURCH, PORTRUSH

MON & FRI: 10.30am
TUES: 10.00am
SUNDAY MASS: 12 Noon

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION ON FRIDAY 11am-1pm

OUR LADY & ST PATRICK'S CHURCH, BALLYMONEY

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

COLLECTIONS

PORTSTEWART
Last weekend's Collections: Weekly Offering: £1442
Monthly Offering: £1267

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

PORTRUSH
Last weekend's Collections: Weekly Offering: £533
Monthly Offering: £308

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

ST. MALACHY'S COLERAINE
Last weekend's Collections: Weekly Offering: £1070
Monthly Offering: £940

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

THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT AND GENEROSITY!

TRÓCAIRE 2026

If you haven't already returned your Trócaire box, please leave it into the Parish Office during office hours as soon as you can. Thank-you for your generosity.

PORTSTEWART

Parish Secretary: 028 7083 2534
Email: portstewart@downandconnor.org

Parish Office Hours: Monday: 9am-1pm
Wednesday & Friday: 9.00am – 5.00pm

REST IN PEACE

RECENT: Mary Loughrey, Brendan Boyle RIP
ANNIVERSARIES: Olaf Bond, Charlotte Downey, Patricia Shaw, Rita Dougan, Sammy Crerand, Elizabeth O'Loughlin, Anna Hamill, Oliver Goldsmith, Jim Fitzpatrick, John Boyle RIP

NEXT WEEKEND – 16 & 17 MAY (PORTSTEWART)

VIGIL MASS: 4.30pm

Minister of the Word: Parish Youth
Eucharistic Ministers: Margaret McQuillan, Tracy McMorrough, Deirdre McCann/Alison Rankin

SUNDAY MASS: 10.00am

Minister of the Word: Teresa Dolan
Eucharistic Ministers Mary McMahan*, Deirdre Bannon*, Pat Calvert*, Deirdre McCann/Alison Rankin

COLERAINE

Email: coleraine@downandconnor.org
Parish Office: Monday & Tuesday: 2.15pm-5.00pm
Thursday: 9.00am-5.00pm

REST IN PEACE

RECENT: Aidan Loughrey, Paul McVeigh RIP
ANNIVERSARIES: Derek McKinney, Charles Vincent Orr, Mary Lynn, Patrick & Elizabeth Kneeland, Michael Kneeland, John Cosgrove, Anne Cosgrove, Annie Cuning, Dominic Flanagan, Patrick McKenna, John McKenna RIP

PORTRUSH

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

PARISH OFFICE: Tuesday 9am-1pm
NEXT SUNDAY – 17 MAY (PORTRUSH)

SUNDAY 12 Noon

Minister of the Word: Kate Magee
Eucharistic Minister: Malgorzata Rutka

REST IN PEACE

ANNIVERSARIES: Paul Duggan, Kathleen Duffy, Paul Reid, Hugh McLaughlin RIP

PORTSTEWART CEMETERY SUNDAY
- SUNDAY 21ST JUNE

Agherton Cemetery - 3.00pm
Portstewart New Cemetery - 3.45pm



CELEBRATING THE SACRAMENTS IN OUR PARISHES

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION

PORTSTEWART: Saturday 16th May at 12.00 Noon
PORTRUSH: Saturday 23rd May at 12.00 Noon
COLERAINE: Saturday 6th June at 12.00 Noon (Sandelford)

CONFIRMATION

COLERAINE: Tuesday 12th May at 3.00pm
Saturday 6th June at 12.00 Noon (Sandelford)

DIOCESAN PILGRIMAGE TO LOUGH DERG

Bishop Alan McGuckian SJ and Jim Deeds will lead the Three-Day Pilgrimage to Lough Derg. Date: 19th – 21st June 2026. The bus will depart from St Patrick's Church Donegall Street. Cost £100. Places are limited early booking advised. To book contact Claire on 028 90690920 or email: pathwaystothefuture@downandconnor.org

PILGRIMAGE TO MONEYGLASS

Our Causeway Family of Parishes invites everyone to join us for a joyful pilgrimage to Moneyglass Grotto on **Friday 15th May**. This is a wonderful opportunity for our whole community to come together in prayer, friendship and shared pilgrimage. Refreshments will be provided, and transport is available, but seats must be booked in advance. Please contact the Parish Office by Friday 8th May to reserve transport. All are welcome as we travel in faith and community. Bus leaving at 6pm and returning at 10pm approx. Pick up and drop off points – St. Patrick's Portrush, St. Mary's, Star of the Sea Portstewart and St. Malachy's Coleraine.



CAUSEWAY COAST PEACE GROUP SERIES 2025-26

Causeway Coast Peace Group will have their last meeting of the current series on Tuesday 12th May from 10.00am-12.00 Noon in St. Patrick's Hall, Portrush. Our speaker will be Bertie Stirling of A Rocha. This meeting will include our AGM. All are very welcome!

CONFIRMATION

We pray for the children from St. Malachy's Parish as they prepare to receive the Sacrament of Confirmation in St. Malachy's Church Coleraine on Tuesday.



FIRST HOLY COMMUNION

We pray for the children from Portstewart Parish who are preparing to receive Jesus in Holy Communion for the first time on Saturday 16th May in St. Mary's, Star of the Sea Church, Portstewart. May they always stay close to Jesus!



CAUSEWAY FAMILY OF PARISHES SAFEGUARDING

We are pleased to inform parishioners that our Safeguarding Committee met on Wednesday 6th May. Thank you for your continued support in ensuring a safe, welcoming environment for all members of our community.

ALL IRELAND ROSARY RALLY

"The local All Ireland Rosary Rally will be held in Market Street, Limavady at 3pm on Saturday 16th May. All welcome. Volunteers needed to help with banners, and distributing materials, thank you in advance. More details on 07730330028."

NORTH COAST MARY'S MEALS

A big thank you to all the children and organisers in Flame Club, who made a very kind donation of £84 to Mary's Meals. This money will be enough to provide a daily meal to four children for a full year in the world's poorest countries. A wonderful example of children in one part of the world helping children in need in other parts of the world!

FAMILY & YOUTH MASS IN PORTSTEWART

Our **Family and Youth Mass** will be taking place next Saturday night (16th May) at our Vigil Mass - 4.30pm. **After Mass** our youth group (**secondary aged children**) will be meeting in the **Marian Hall** for Fun, Faith, Friendship and Food. This is open to all secondary aged children within our family of parishes. Any new members can turn up and register on the night.



THANK YOU FROM ST. COLUM'S PRIMARY SCHOOL

A heartfelt thanks from our entire school community to everyone who supported our recent production of Mary Poppins. We are so grateful to all who came along to support the children and to all who sponsored the event, donated to the raffle, or helped in any way. Your kindness, generosity and encouragement helped make the whole experience magical. We hope you will agree that the children were truly 'supercalifragilisticexpialidocius' and made us all incredibly proud. Thank you for helping to create such wonderful memories for our pupils and our community.

PARISH OFFICE CLOSURE

The Parish Office will be closed from 16th May to 25th May inclusive. All anniversaries to be included in the bulletin for 17th May & 24th May should be emailed to the Parish Office no later than Thursday 14th May at 11.00am. Any anniversaries received after this time will be printed in the 31st May edition of the bulletin.

