

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

North Connor Pastoral Community

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1st November 2026 **THIRTY-FIRST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME** **Sunday A / Psalter Week 3**

MASS TIMES

STAR OF THE SEA CHURCH, PORTSTEWART

MONDAY (ALL SOULS DAY)	**9.00am & 7.00pm**
TUESDAY:	7.00pm
WEDNESDAY – FRIDAY:	9.30am
SATURDAY VIGIL MASS:	4.30pm
SUNDAY MASS:	10.00am

CHILDREN'S LITURGY AT 10.00AM MASS

CONFESSION:

SATURDAY: 4.00pm

EUCHARISTIC ADORATION - THURSDAY 10am-5pm

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ST. MALACHY'S CHURCH, COLERAINE

MONDAY (ALL SOULS DAY):	**10.30am & 6.00pm**
TUES, THURS, FRI & SAT:	10.00am
SUNDAY MASS:	11.30am & 5.00pm

CHILDREN'S LITURGY AT 11.30AM MASS

CONFESSION:

SATURDAYS: After 10.00am Mass

SUNDAYS: 4.30-4.50pm

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ST. PATRICK'S CHURCH, PORTRUSH

MONDAY (ALL SOULS DAY):	**10.30am**
TUES & FRI:	10.30am
SUNDAY MASS:	12 Noon

EUCHARISTIC ADORATION - FRIDAY 11am-1pm

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OUR LADY & ST PATRICK'S CHURCH, BALLYMONEY

MONDAY (ALL SOULS DAY):	**7.30pm**
WED:	10.00am
FRIDAY:	7.00pm
SATURDAY VIGIL MASS:	6.00pm
SUNDAY MASS:	9.30am

COLLECTIONS

PORTSTEWART

Last weekend's Collections: Weekly Offering: £1205

Our account details are: Portstewart Parish

Sort Code: 95-04-28 Account number: 91011049

PORTRUSH

Last weekend's Collections: Weekly Offering: £508

Our account details are: Portrush Parish

Sort Code: 95-06-79 Account number: 00254207

ST. MALACHY'S COLERAINE

Last weekend's Collections: Weekly Offering: £1602

Our account details are: St Malachy's Church

Sort Code: 90-48-00 Account number: 88609151

THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT AND GENEROSITY!

SVP SUPPORTING THE COMMUNITY

If you, or anyone you know, needs assistance, heat or food over these winter months, please contact SVP for support. Be assured, this is a confidential service!

PORTSTEWART: 07508 549572

PORTRUSH: 07508 549574 **COLERAINE:** 07738 837959

PORTSTEWART

Parish Support Officer: 028 7083 2534

Email: portstewart@downandconnor.org

Parish Office Hours: Mon 9.00am -1.00pm Tues 2.15pm-5.00pm, Fri: 9.00am – 5.00pm

REST IN PEACE

RECENT: Anne Marie McNeill (nee Carey), Jim Forde (Canada) RIP

ONE YEAR AGO: Mary O'Connell RIP

ANNIVERSARIES: Joseph & Elizabeth Macklin, George & Teresa Taggart, John McCaughan, Margaret McCaughan, Chris McCaughan, Eilis McCaughan, Gerard McGeough, William McLaughlin, Elizabeth Armstrong, Brigid Kelly, Louis Sweeney, John Madden Matthew Kilfeather, Maureen Kilfeather RIP

NEXT WEEKEND –08 NOV (PORTSTEWART)

VIGIL MASS: 4.30pm

Minister of the Word: Mary Teresa O'Hara

Eucharistic Ministers: Margaret Conway, Tracy McMorrough, Alison Rankin

SUNDAY MASS: 10.00am

Minister of the Word: Eugene Kelly

Eucharistic Ministers: Julie Roantree*, Deirdre Bannon*, Mary McKenna*, Alison Rankin

COLERAINE

Email: coleraine@downandconnor.org

During Office Hours Only: 028 7034 3156

Parish Office: Mon 2.15pm -5.00pm, Thurs 9.00am - 5.00pm

REST IN PEACE

RECENT: Alice Loughrey, Sheila Moriarty RIP

ANNIVERSARIES: John Madden, Aidan Scott, Agnes Scott, Esther McAuley, Edith McColgan, Mary McKenna, John Moriarty, Margaret McNamee RIP

PORTRUSH

Fr Patrick Delargy: 028 7082 3388

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PARISH OFFICE: Tues 9.00am – 1.00pm

NEXT SUNDAY – 08 NOV (PORTRUSH) 12.00 Noon

Minister of the Word: John McNally

Eucharistic Minister: Rose Minihan

REST IN PEACE

ANNIVERSARIES: Mary & Barney McIntyre RIP

CAUSEWAY CHURCHES FORUM

Founded in 1998, The Causeway Churches Forum is built on a foundation of dialogue and friendship for people of all Christian denominations across the Causeway Coast. To hear more about what we do and our plans for the future, we warmly invite you to our open evening on Wednesday 11th November at 7pm in the CRUN building at the top of Brook Street Coleraine. Hope to see you there!

ALL SOULS DAY MASS TIMES

Monday 2nd November 2026

St. Mary's, Star of the Sea Church Portstewart	St. Malachy's Church Coleraine	St. Patrick's Church Portrush
9.00am & 7.00pm	10.30am & 6.00pm	10.30am

NOVEMBER DEAD

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

All our deceased loved ones will be remembered at Masses throughout the month of November. Envelopes and lists are available in the Church. Any donations enclosed will be sent to support St Louis' Children's Hospital in Aleppo.

ANNUAL MASS FOR THE DEAD



Star of the Sea Church, Portstewart
on Tuesday 10th November at 7.00pm
St. Patrick's Church, Portrush
on Wednesday 18th November at 7.00pm
St. Malachy's Church, Coleraine
on Thursday 19th November at 7.00pm

NOVEMBER SHORT-TERM PLEDGE

The month of November offers a special opportunity to make a small sacrifice in honour of the Sacred Heart of Jesus. We invite parishioners and friends to consider taking a Short-Term Pledge throughout November. Pioneer Offering - *"I promise, in honour of the Sacred Heart of Jesus, and with the help of the Blessed Virgin Mary, to abstain from all intoxicating substances until the end of November."* Let's join in prayer, sacrifice and support for those affected by addiction.

ANNUAL MASSES FOR THE DECEASED TEACHERS OF DOWN AND CONNOR DIOCESE

Will be celebrated on Monday 9th November 2026 at 7.30pm in All Saints' Church, Broughshane Road, Ballymena AND Tuesday 10th November 2026 at 7.30pm in Good Shepherd Church (Holy Rosary Parish), Ormeau Road, Belfast. Please forward by **Friday 6th November 2026** the name and school of any teacher who died during the past twelve months to Rev. Colin Grant, Director of the Down and Connor Catholic Schools' Support Service, 120 Cliftonville Road, Belfast BT14 6LA Tele: 028 9049 1886 or Email: dctrusteeservice@downandconnor.org

Light refreshments will be served afterwards in All Saints' Parish Centre and Holy Rosary Parish Centre. Anyone unable to attend can join online at: www.youtube.com/@allsaintsballymena/streams or www.holyrosaryparishbelfast.net

WOULD YOU LIKE TO BE AN ALTAR SERVER?



We would love to hear from any young person, post-primary age who would be interested in becoming an Altar Server. Full training will be provided. Please contact the Parish Office if you are interested! We look forward to hearing from you!

APOSTOLIC WORK

St. Malachy's, Coleraine Apostolic group will hold its annual display, cake sale, raffle and tombola in **the Parish Centre after the 11.30am Mass on Sun 8th Nov**. Everyone is welcome. If you would like to offer something for the cake sale or donate a gift for the tombola the Parish centre will be open 2-3pm on the Saturday.

THE CAUSEWAY COAST PEACE GROUP

Invite you to the next Bi-Monthly Meeting on Tuesday, 10th November, 2026, from 10.00am-12.00 Noon (Tea/Coffee 1000-1030) in Bushmills Presbyterian Church Hall. The speaker is Canon Andrew Totten and the Theme is 'The Army Chaplain and the Still Small Voice'. A warm welcome will be extended to all who come along!

CELEBRATING 60 YEARS OF ST. MALACHY'S PRIMARY SCHOOL!

All parents, families, parishioners, and past pupils are warmly invited to join St. Malachy's Primary School as we begin celebrating our **60th Anniversary**. Our celebrations begin on the **Feast of St. Malachy**! Following the **10:00 a.m. Mass on Tuesday 3rd November**, everyone is invited to return to the school for light refreshments and a chance to catch up. This will be the first of several special events taking place throughout the year to mark this wonderful milestone. We look forward to seeing familiar faces, past and present, as we celebrate 60 years of our school community!

THE CHOSEN - WATCH, REFLECT, CONNECT

Join us in Marian Hall, Portstewart, every Tuesday, 7.45–9.00pm. Discover 'The Chosen', a captivating drama exploring Jesus' life through the people who encountered Him. Each evening includes an episode, friendly discussion and light refreshments. Come along and bring a friend - all welcome!

PRE-LOVED TO RE-LOVED CLOTHING EVENT

Dominican College Sixth Form invites everyone to its Thrifted DCP clothing event on Monday 16th November, 6.30-8.30pm in St. Mary's, Star of the Sea Parish Centre, Portstewart (behind Buds SPAR). Browse quality pre-loved clothing and pick up a bargain! Free entry and refreshments available. Seller tables cost £15. To book, email thriftedDCP@gmail.com or call/message 07917827404. All proceeds go to the Kevin Bell Repatriation Trust.

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

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