

Seagoe Parish

MASS SCHEDULE

ST PATRICK'S AGHACOMMON

Sunday	11:00am
Tuesday	10:30am
Thursday	10:30am
Friday	7:00pm

ST MARY'S DERRYTRASNA

Monday	10:30am
Wednesday	7:00pm
Saturday (vigil Mass for Sunday)	6:00pm

Confessions 5:30-5:50pm

DERRYTRASNA SENIOR CITIZENS

The group currently need more volunteers. There are a few roles on offer. Helping to set the room up, helping in the kitchen and helping out with the activities. They meet each Wednesday 10am-2pm. If you wish to find out more information contact Eileen on 07979447662 or Leanne on 07789454675

RECONCILIATION

Lockdown prevented many people from availing of Confession. The opportunity is now available again to be at peace with God and neighbour through Reconciliation, every Saturday, 5:30pm in St Mary's, Derrytrasna. This wonderful sacrament is a source of strength in changing for the better, as much about the future as about the past. **Come back to me, with all your heart, for I am kind and full of compassion.**

† ETERNAL REST †

RECENTLY DECEASED

Thomas O'Hagan, Byrne's Rampart

ANNIVERSARIES

Monday 20 September

Jemima & James O'Hagan,
Bayshore

Friday 24 September

Frank & Cissie McGeown,
Ardmore Road

Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon them. May their souls and the souls of all the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace. Amen.

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BAPTISM

We rejoice with the family of **Una Susan Rose Lavery, Dickson's Wood** following her recent birth to eternal life in baptism.

PARISH OFFERTORY

COLLECTION

Sunday 12 September

£1157.35

SUPPORTING YOUR PARISH

In this time when it's not possible for everyone to attend Mass in person, why not move your donation online or arrange a direct debit?

Please consider giving ongoing support to your parish if you don't already do so, and maximising it if you are a taxpayer. Go to www.dromorediocese.org, then click on DONATE.

Alternatively, phone the parish office if you would prefer to arrange a direct debit, or pick up a form in the porch. THANK YOU.



ST RONAN'S PASTORAL AREA:

comprising the parishes of Seagoe, Moyraverty, Lurgan and Magheralin

Sunday Bulletin

Sunday 19 September 2021

TWENTY-FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

TELEPHONE NUMBERS

Fr Brian Fitzpatrick, PP.	3834 1901
Fr Michael Maginn, Assistant Pastor	3831 1872
Rev Gerry Heaney, permanent deacon	3834 3013
Stefano Colleluoli, seminarian	3834 1901
Anthony Moffett, seminarian	3834 1901
St Anthony's Church Sacristy	3834 5297
St Anthony's Parish Hall	075 3112 6199
St Vincent de Paul Confidential Helplines	
	Moyraverty 079 1949 6053
	Seagoe 078 2777 0304

Safeguarding Children & Vulnerable Adults

Diocesan Designated Child Protection Officer	
Patricia Carville	077 8991 7741
Southern Health & Social Care Trust	0800 783 745
N.I ChildLine	0800 1111

PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Parish office will be closed this Monday.

Open Tuesday, Thursday: 9:00am-2:00pm

Friday: 9:00am-1:00pm

Phone 3834 3013

Closed on Wednesdays

For emergencies at any time, please phone the parochial house on 3834 1901.

COVID-19 RESTRICTIONS

The legal requirement for face coverings in churches is that they must be worn on entering and exiting the building.

For the time being, **the Irish bishops continue to strongly recommend and encourage the use of face coverings throughout all events in churches.**

We advise all parishioners to exercise continued caution and vigilance as cases of the virus continue to circulate.

*Sanitise your hands

* Keep your distance

* Get your vaccine

Those displaying symptoms of Covid-19 should stay at home and arrange a test.

FEASTS OF THE WEEK

Mon 20 Sep Ss Andrew Kim Tae-gon, Paul Chong Hasang & companions, 103 Korean martyrs

Tue 21 Sep St Matthew, apostle & evangelist. patron of accountants and tax officials

Thu 23 Sep St Pio of Pietrelcina, Padre Pio, the Capuchin friar priest.

Sat 25 Sep St Finbarr, bishop, patron of Cork

FÁILTE AR AIS

A warm welcome back to our seminarian from Dromore, Anthony Moffett who this week begins parish placement for his year of pastoral theology studies in his training for priesthood. He will be on the ground from Sunday-Wednesday every week in the parishes of Moyraverty, Seagoe and St Peter's and St Paul's in Lurgan, residing in the parochial house at Legahory. On Thursdays and Fridays he returns to Maynooth for studies. We are delighted to have Anthony back again, helping him as he helps us.

SEASON OF CREATION

The theme of the Season of Creation this year is **A Home for All? Renewing the Oikos of God.**



In this year, 2021, we have an opportunity like no other.

At the UN Biodiversity Conference (COP15 in China) in October, world leaders can set meaningful targets to protect creation.

In November, at the UN Climate Change Conference (COP26 in Glasgow), countries will announce their plans to meet the goals of the Paris agreement.

Ahead of those meetings, it is our responsibility as Catholics to lift up the voices of the most vulnerable and advocate on their behalf. We must act now.

When Catholics come together and live out our faith, amazing things happen. Just look at how Pope Francis' *Laudato Si'* has enlivened Catholics everywhere to care for creation.

Ahead of the Paris agreement in 2015, Catholics were leading the way, advocating for an agreement that limited warming to 1.5 degrees. Some said it couldn't be done, but with the Holy Spirit leading the way, we did it! We're going to do it again this year.

Please add your name and voice to the **Healthy Planet, Healthy People** petition aimed at the the political leaders attending COP26 to take action for God's creation in 2021, ensuring global action in tackling the climate crisis, supporting those most affected, and protecting and respecting human rights.

"We have the means. It is time to act." (Pope Francis, April 2021)

Sign the petition now at TheCatholicPetition.org.

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ST ANTHONY'S

Sunday	12:00noon
Monday	9:30am
	6:00pm
Tuesday - Saturday	9.30am
Saturday (vigil Mass for Sunday)	7.30pm

Confessions from 6:45pm-7:20pm on Saturdays

ST JOHN THE EVANGELIST, LYLO

Sundays 10:00am

Places allocated on first come, first served basis

CHILDREN'S LITURGY

Children's Liturgy takes place at the 12:00noon Mass every Sunday in St Anthony's.

BAPTISM

We rejoice with the family of

Lianna Marie Rooney, Belvedere Manor following her recent birth to eternal life in baptism.

DO THIS IN MEMORY

This year we will have a new programme in the parish to help all the P4 children and their families to learn and grow in the understanding and love of Jesus in the Bread of Life who is present at every Mass. This will support and tie in with the children's learning in school, and there will be a special monthly Sunday Mass in St Anthony's for the P4 children and their families from autumn until late spring when First Communions will take place. There will also be lots of encouragement and support for parents to continue the preparation for First Communion at home all through the P4 year.

Keep your eyes peeled for more information next week, and pass the word to the P4 girls and boys and parents in your extended families, friends and neighbours.

BETTER TOGETHER CROSS COMMUNITY GROUP

The Group was set up to help combat loneliness for those who feel isolated at home due to illness, disability, bereavement, depression etc.

Carers are also welcome to come along. There will be an opportunity to meet new friends and catch up with old friends. Refreshments will be served and there will be music with Michael Lavery.

Meetings will take place on the first Sunday of each month from 3pm -5 45pm in St Anthony's Parish Centre Craigavon.

Commencing Sunday 3rd October 2021
For Transport contact: Colette 07470 198180 /Michael 07876 057550 /Mary 07840 985576.

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RECENTLY DECEASED

Rev Tom McAteer,
former curate Moyraverty
Edward (Eddie) McCann
formerly Legahory Court
Alice Comer nee McMullan, London,
formerly Banbridge
Occurred recently
Anthony O'Connor, Drumellan Gardens
Jim Thompson, Altmore

ANNIVERSARIES

Saturday 18 September

Michael Flynn, Garrymore (Month's Mind)
Gerard McCourt, Enniskeen
Thomas & Ellen McCann, Ardowen
John Rogan, Lakeview Park
Theresa Lawson, Gateshead
Eileen Gourley, Lisburn
Mary Creaney, Lurgan

Sunday 19 September

Sabina Duggan, Lurgan formerly Meadowbrook (Month's Mind)
James (Sonny) McCann
Kevin McCaughley, Derrymacash
Matthew Magee, New Jersey, USA

Monday 20 September

Aimee Cochrane, Drumgor Park
Tuesday 21 September
Michael Rice, Castlewellan
Michael Currie, Pinebank

Thursday 23 September

Margaret Brenda Coleman,
Old Lurgan Road

Friday 24 September

James Kerr, Westacres

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DROMANTINE RETREAT CENTRE

The following Retreat and Workshop will be offered by Fr Hugh Lagan SMA: 'Broken Open' Workshop — How difficult times can help us grow.

Friday 19 November, 5pm – Sunday 21 November, 2pm. Cost £200.
Enquiries and reservations: Tel 028 30821964. Email: admin@dromantineconference.com

PARISH OFFERTORY COLLECTION

Sunday 12 September

£1123.40