

Seagoe Parish

MASS SCHEDULE St Mary's Derrytrasna

Sunday 11:00am
Monday 10:30am
Wednesday 7.00pm
Friday 7.00pm
Saturdays (vigil Mass for Sunday) 6:00pm
*Confessions every Friday from 6:30–6:50pm
and every Saturday from 5:30–5:50pm.*

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

St Charles Borromeo had a sincere Eucharistic devotion and wished for people to foster a similar devotion. He encouraged his priests to exhort the faithful as often as possible to receive the most Holy Eucharist. He spread devotion to Eucharistic adoration by promoting the Forty Hours devotion, because he realised the transforming power of Christ present in the Eucharist.

**O Sacrament most holy,
O Sacrament divine,
all praise and all thanksgiving
be every moment thine!**

*** No Adoration this week due to the
November Mass for those who died during
the year. ***

*Next week: Rosary and Adoration on
Wednesday 12 November at 7:30pm, closing
with Benediction at 8:15pm.*

ST PATRICK'S RESTORATION WORKS Completion date: 19 December

Work is proceeding steadily in St Patrick's, with layer upon layer of plaster going on the walls, the upgrading of electrical cabling and installation of emergency lighting.

In the meantime, the church will have to close to the public during the work, though the cemetery will still be accessible. During times of closure, all Masses, baptisms and funerals will be held in St Mary's Derrytrasna, according to the schedule at the top of the page

No Masses on Tuesdays or Thursdays.

Baptisms on the first, second and fourth Sundays of each month at 12 noon.

All in St Mary's Derrytrasna.

Please bear these Mass times in mind when booking anniversaries, etc.

FOOD DONATIONS

Thank you sincerely to those who donated food during the Season of Creation appeal. A total of 178.7kg was donated to Craigavon Area Food Bank which goes to provide a balanced and nutritious three-day supply of food for those who are referred for help in time of need.

PARISH OFFERTORY COLLECTION

Sunday 26 October £ 1642.88
*Please make cheques payable to
'Seagoe Parish'.*

We thank all our parishioners for their continued support and generosity.

† RECENTLY DECEASED †

We offer our deepest sympathy and prayerful remembrance to the to the grieving relatives of the following parishioners and people in other parishes who died in recent days.

Martin Morgan, Templar Court, Lurgan

ANNIVERSARIES

Saturday 1 November

Bridget & John Moore, High Moss
Peter, Mary & Seamus Moore, High Moss
Pat McAlinden, High Moss
Dominic & Mary Hendron, Wolfisland Terrace
Cassie-Ann & James McGeown,
Derrytrasna Lane

Sunday 2 November

Joe Lavery, Moira
John McKenna, Charlestown Road

Wednesday 5 November

Mass for Recently Deceased @ 7.00pm

Friday 7 November

Mass for Recently Deceased @ 7.00pm

*Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord,
and let perpetual light shine upon them*

NOVEMBER MASSES FOR OUR DECEASED

This year's special Mass for parishioners who have have died or those who have been interred in our cemeteries in the past year will be held in both parishes as follows:

St Anthony's:

Monday 3 November @ 6.00pm

St Mary's Derrytrasna:

Wednesday 5 November @ 7.00pm

St Patrick's Aghacommon: (to be held in St Mary's due to on going works)

Friday 7 November @ 7.00pm.

Letters of invitation are currently being sent out to relatives of the deceased.

Any Parishioner who would like to include the name of a close family member who died elsewhere should contact the Parish Office as soon as possible. Please provide the name and date of death of your loved one. Kindly include your own name and contact details as well.

SEAGOE LOURDES DRAW

The winners in this year's Lourdes Draw are:

1st Prize (£250) James Martin, Kiln Lodge
2nd Prize (£150) Muirinn Smyth, Portadown
3rd Prize (£100) Jim O'Hagan, Skelton's
Rampart
4th Prize (£50) John Hendron, Ballynamoney
Heights
5th Prize (£50) Mons Wheeler, Raughlan
Meadows

The Seagoe Lourdes Committee would like to express their sincere thanks to all those who bought tickets in the Draw or gave a donation at this time. Your generosity is greatly appreciated.

ST RONAN'S PASTORAL AREA:

comprising the parishes of Seagoe, Moyraverty,
Lurgan and Magheralin

Sunday Bulletin

SUNDAY 2 NOVEMBER 2025 COMMEMORATION OF ALL THE FAITHFUL DEPARTED

TELEPHONE NUMBERS

Fr Brian Fitzpatrick, P.P. V.F. 3834 1901
Fr Shajan Panachickal Michael, CC 3834 1901
Rev Gerry Heaney, *Deacon Emeritus.* 3834 3013
St Vincent de Paul Confidential Helplines 3834 3013
Moyraverty 079 1949 6053
Seagoe 078 2777 0304

Safeguarding Children & Vulnerable Adults

Diocesan Designated Liaison Person
Stephen Sherry 073 0124 6329
safeguardingdirector@dromorediocese.org
Southern Health & Social Care Trust
0800 783 745
N.I ChildLine 0800 1111

PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday
9.30am - 2.00pm
Phone: 028 3834 3013.

Address: 10 Tullygally Road, Legahory,
Craigavon, BT65 5BL.

**E-mail: seagoe parish@dromorediocese.org
or moyraverty parish@dromorediocese.org**

In any emergency, please phone the
parochial house 24/7 on 028 3834 1901

FEASTS OF THE WEEK

Mon 3 Nov St Malachy, *reforming
Archbishop of Armagh from 1129–37,
introduced Cistercians and Augustinians to
Ireland.*

Tue 4 Nov St Charles Borromeo, *key figure
of the Counter Reformation, zealous bishop for
his people in time of plague. Died aged 46 in
1584.*

Thu 6 Nov All the Saints of Ireland, *those
we know and those we don't, all our countrymen
and women who are in heaven before us.*

IRISH CATHOLIC

The cost of the paper has regrettably had to increase to **£3.00** per copy, but remains good value with news on the Church in Ireland and worldwide, current debates, opinion, and book and media reviews.

Copies of the Irish Catholic are available every weekend from the stand in St Anthony's porch.

Money for the newspaper should be placed in the wall box just through the inner church doors (on the right) or in any shrine. Contactless payment may be made via the tablet in the porch.

NOVEMBER INDULGENCES FOR THE HOLY SOULS

We can greatly help our loved ones in purgatory by offering an indulgence for them, by which God in his mercy forgives the sin which someone may not have had a chance to repent for before they died. In an indulgence, God 'spoils' his children through love for us and remits the consequences of sin. Sin and its consequences are the very reason anyone may necessarily spend time in purgatory before going to heaven.

The month of November is a special time when we can gain an indulgence for those who have died, and so help them to heaven. To prepare for an indulgence it is necessary to:

- go to confession; and
- receive Holy Communion; and
- offer a prayer of your choice for the Pope's intentions.

Then a plenary (full) indulgence may be gained as follows:

- a) From noon on 1 November until midnight on 2 November, by visiting a church or chapel and praying one Our Father and the Apostles' Creed.
- b) Once per day from 1–8 November inclusive, by visiting a cemetery, even in one's thoughts (if unable to visit), and praying for the dead.

Feel free to choose (a) or (b) or both.

By these prescribed ways, God's mercy is poured on those who need it most. Our communion with the Holy Souls means they will gratefully return prayers for you.

We can offer many diverse things for the sake of the Holy Souls: giving something up for November, perhaps saying the rosary or another prayer every day, going to Mass more often, or offering your own sufferings or difficulties. They will be most grateful for your thoughtfulness and God looks favourably on the communion we feel with those who have gone before us.

ADULTS FOR BAPTISM

Any adults or young adults over 16 considering joining the Catholic Church or who would like to know more about being baptised in 2026, please contact Fr Brian at the parochial house (3834 1901) or parish office. We will be beginning the preparation for adult baptisms next month in November.

Moyraverty Parish

MASS SCHEDULE St Anthony's

Sunday 12:00noon
Monday–Saturday 9:30am
Mondays 6:00pm
Saturday (vigil Mass for Sunday) 7:30pm

Confessions

From 6:45pm–7:20pm on Saturdays

St John the Evangelist, Lylo

Sunday 10:00am

FIRST COMMUNION CHILDREN

Our monthly **Do This in Memory Masses** especially for Primary 4 children will be beginning on Sunday 16 November. These will be important to help the children understand the Mass and become familiar with it. Parents who would like to enrol their child are invited to complete a registration slip and place it in the box at the back of the church. Sadly, we have no books or resources this year to offer families as the supplier, Veritas, has regrettably gone out of business. Therefore there is no cost to enrol a child for Do This in Memory this year.

PILGRIMAGE TO KNOCK FOR PARENTS

Sat 6 – Sun 7 December

We welcome parents, young adults and others to join us as we prepare for Christmas. Fare includes B&B and evening meal, morning tea/coffee en route, and Sunday dinner on the way home at the Killyhevin Hotel for £160. Only 40 places available – book ASAP. Names are needed with deposit of £50. Booking and payment may be made through the parish office.

For more info,
[email youthdirector@dromorediocese.org](mailto:youthdirector@dromorediocese.org)
or phone 02830833898.

MOYRAVERTY LOURDES FUNDRAISING COMMITTEE

New members welcome for the Moyraverty Lourdes Fundraising Committee. Anyone wishing to join the committee to help raise funds to send our Assisted (sick) pilgrims to Lourdes, please send your details to our Secretary Roisin Neeson 07850024425. Persons must be willing to help fundraise and attend meetings once a month. Thank you sincerely.

MOYRAVERTY LOURDES FUNDRAISING COMMITTEE

Moyraverty Lourdes Fundraising Committee will be holding their church door collection on Saturday 1st & Sunday 2nd November. Thank you in advance for your generosity and continuing support to send the sick parishioners of our congregation to Lourdes in May 2026.

BETTER TOGETHER GROUP

Tea Dance on Sunday 2 November from 3.00-5.30pm in the Hub. All welcome.

† ANNIVERSARIES †

Saturday 1 November

John Sweeney Junior, Craigavon
Malachy Gray, Old Court Manor
Nan Gray, Belfast
Mary McCreedy, Altmore

Sunday 2 November

Month's Mind Oliver Lavery, Pinebank
Patricia (Patsy) McConville, Ardowen
Edward Scullion, Clonmeen
Sinead Haddock, Lurgan

Monday 3 November

Mass for Recently Deceased @ 6.00pm

Tuesday 4 November

James Clarke, Portadown

Wednesday 5 November

Eileen O'Kane, Dungannon

Friday 7 November

Jennifer McCourt, Meadowbrook

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BAPTISMS

We rejoice with the families of
Finn Michael Austin-Kelly, Markville, Bleary
William McDonald, Clonmeen
at their recent birth to eternal life in the
sacrament of baptism.

THE HANNA SISTERS

supported by St Paul's Junior Choir
In support of the work of the
Vocations Society of St Joseph.

Concert on

Sunday 30 November @ 7pm

in St Anthony's Church, Moyraverty.
(Doors open at 6.30pm).

Entry: pay at door on evening
£10 (Child - £5)

NOVEMBER DEAD LISTS

Are available in each Church.
Please return to box provided.

PARISH OFFERTORY COLLECTION

Sunday 26 October £1049.33
Please make all cheques payable to
'Moyraverty Parish'.

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CASHLESS DONATION POINT

Please support us with a donation by card/phone if you have no change for the collection, shrines, or newspapers. Thank you!