

# 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

## EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION



**This week: Adoration in St Mary's from 7:30-8:30pm.**

Blessed James Albertone says, "When you address the Blessed Sacrament consider yourself the representative of the whole human race with Jesus...that He may give strength to the weak, light to those who live in darkness. That souls may flee from sin, that sinners repent, that those consecrated to God be filled with zeal and holiness."

Adoration next week: Friday 18 November, 7:30pm in St Patrick's

## ANNUAL MASS FOR THE DECEASED

Mass for those who died during the past twelve months will take place on **Friday 11 November at 7:00pm in St Patrick's.**

All parishioners are welcome to pray in solidarity with families who have lost loved ones in recent months.

## FOOD BANK DONATIONS

Thank you to all our parishioners who kindly left donations for the food bank last month to round off the Season of Creation. 223½kg were donated in total, equivalent to 638 meals according to Craigoan Food Bank who ask us to relay their gratitude.

## PARISH OFFERTORY COLLECTIONS

**Sunday 30 October £1190.00**  
Thank you for supporting your parish

## † ETERNAL REST † ANNIVERSARIES

**Sunday 6 November**  
James Carville, Ardmore Road

**Wednesday 9 November**  
Sean McAlinden, Derryloiste Road  
Eileen Patricia (Pat) Skelton, Mombriet Walk  
Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord,  
and let perpetual light shine upon them.

## REPAIR WORKS TO ST. PATRICK'S

Damp ingress through the basalt stone walls and window reveals has been an ongoing problem for the church and has caused major deterioration of the internal fabric. To address this problem the parish will carry out Phase 1 repair works in early 2023 to deal with the highest priority defects.

These works will include: repointing of the stone and brickwork with lime mortar, new rainwater goods, and improvements in drainage around the church. On the inside the plaster will be stripped to inspect the condition of the walls and timbers, and the decorative marble panelling will be protected during the works. To allow a period of drying out, the internal walls will be left as exposed masonry until Phase 2 works which will include re-plastering and decoration.

Tender documents for the work are currently being prepared. Any contractors interested in obtaining the tender schedule when ready should contact the parish office now.

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Work to replace the heating in St Patrick's is due to begin on Monday, with a pipeline for gas being laid from the boundary wall to the boiler house at the back along the south side of the church, in the weeks ahead, the old boilers will be removed, and the new installed before mains gas is then connected. This work will not affect Masses or other use of the church for individual visits for prayer. It is hoped the work will be completed by mid-December.

A further stage of upgraded heating will take place at a later stage, involving more efficient radiators and heat distribution circuit around the church. This will be timed to fit in with the restoration work on the walls.

## PLEDGE FOR NOVEMBER

Many people offer spiritual support to a relation who is struggling because of alcohol or an addiction problem. Parishioners who wish to take a short-term Pioneer pledge during the month of the Holy Souls are invited to visit [www.pioneers.ie/pray](http://www.pioneers.ie/pray).



## CEMETERY VIGILANCE

There are sad reports of items left on family graves sporadically going missing, and we fear they are being taken. It would be undesirable and impossible to lock the cemeteries, or to have complete surveillance, and so we ask all visitors to the graveyards, or even those who can see into the graveyard from the footpath while passing by, to report any suspicious activity at once to the parish or the police.

# ST RONAN'S PASTORAL AREA: comprising the parishes of Seagoe, Moyraverty, Lurgan and Magheralin

## Sunday Bulletin

SUNDAY 6 NOVEMBER 2022

### THIRTY-SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

## NOVEMBER INDULGENCES FOR THE HOLY SOULS

We can greatly help our loved ones in purgatory by offering an indulgence for which someone may not have had a chance to repent for before they died. In an indulgence, God abandons himself in 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 throughout the month of November, by visiting a cemetery, even in one's thoughts, 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.

## PRAYER FOR PRISONERS

"I was in prison and you came to see me."  
(Mt 25:36)

Father in heaven, you sent your Son to bring light into the darkness of our hearts and minds. May His light shine upon the sinner and the prisoner, the sick and the suffering, the poor and the outcast.

We commend to your fatherly protection all who need that light today, especially those who are in prison and separated from their families and loved ones. We pray that, following your Son's command, those who minister to their needs will be enlightened by the power of your Holy Spirit.

Bring the light of Christ once more into all their lives, so that they may experience your love for them, Lord. We make this our prayer through Christ our Lord.

Amen.

## SUPPORT YOUR PARISH

If you prefer cashless, please use the QR code to give to your parish funds or support your priests once-off or monthly. Open the camera on your phone, and point it at the code below for a link to the donation site. Thank you for your kind contribution.

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# Moyraverty Parish

## † ETERNAL REST †

**RECENTLY DECEASED**  
We offer our deepest sympathy and prayerful remembrance to the family of the following parishioner who died in recent days.

Brendan O'Hare, Garrymore

## ANNIVERSARIES

**Saturday 5 November**

Frank McCowan, Belfast  
Eileen O'Kane, Dungannon  
James Ferris, Sugar Island Road  
Kathleen Mears, nee Ferris, Lurgan  
John & Annie McMullan, Wellington Street

**Thursday 10 November**

Edith & Daniel O'Neill, Derryvore

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and let perpetual light shine upon them.

## NOVEMBER DEAD LIST

November Dead Lists are available from the back of the Church. When complete please return to box provided.

## BAPTISM

We rejoice with the families of **Thera McGeown, Old Fort Lodge** and **Jarlah Terry McCaugherty, Old Fort Lodge** at their recent birth to eternal life in the sacrament of baptism.

## PARISH DRAW PROMOTERS

There will be a meeting in the Parish Centre for all parish draw promoters at **7pm this Wednesday, 9 November**. We need the help of many promoters to make the draw a great success, so anyone is welcome who could help sell tickets among neighbours, work colleagues, friends and extended family. Promoters' prizes will be available every month of the draw.

## MOYRAVERTY 50+ CLUB

A.G.M. on Monday 14 November @ 10:30am in Drumellan Community Centre. Everyone welcome. Next 50+ Tea Dance in St Anthony's Parish Centre Thursday 17 November 8-10pm. Music by Mons Wheeler. Admission £4.00 includes light supper. New & old members very welcome.

## BETTER TOGETHER BENEVOLENT GROUP

Next meeting Sunday 6th November in the Hub, Brownlow Road, Craigoan. 3.00 pm - 5.30pm

## PARISH OFFERTORY COLLECTIONS

**Sunday 30 October £1118.89**  
Many thanks for your continued support.

## MASS SCHEDULE 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

## ANNUAL MASS FOR THE DECEASED

Mass for those who died during the past twelve months will take place on **Monday 7 November at 6:00pm in St Anthony's.**

All parishioners are welcome to pray in solidarity and support with families who have lost loved ones in recent months.

Our thanks to the Legion of Mary for their support for bereaved families at this Mass.

## NEW CATECHUMENS

Congratulations to Shaman Jack and Gemma Elliott who were received by the Church as catechumens last Monday. A catechumen is someone preparing for baptism, and Shaman and Gemma will continue their formation in faith while deepening their relationship with Christ over the months between now and Easter. Please support them with a remembrance in your prayers.

## OUR LADY OF FÁTIMA PRAYERS

Adoration Chapel, Edward Street, Lurgan  
Family Rosary Devotion  
7-8pm on Sunday, 13 November  
(and the 13th day of every month: same time, same place)



**Saint Josephat, pray for Ukraine.**