

Seagoe Parish

MASS SCHEDULE

ST PATRICK'S AGHACOMMON

Tuesday 27 Dec 10:30am
 Thursday 29 Dec 10:30am
 Friday 30 Dec (Feast of the Holy Family) 7:00pm
No adoration on Friday evening
 Sunday 1 Jan 11:00am

ST MARY'S DERRYTRASNA

St Stephen's Day 10:30am
 Wed 28 Dec 7:00pm
 Sat 31 Dec (Vigil Mass for Sunday) 6:00pm
Confessions 5:30-5:50pm

† ETERNAL REST †

ANNIVERSARIES

Saturday 24 December

Month's Mind Donald Fagan, Garland Drive, Lurgan

Month's Mind Ethna Scullion, Blair Park, Lurgan

Charlie John McCluskey, Derryveen
 Thomas Breen & Tommy Doyle, Derrytrasna Road

Edward (Ned) Donnelly, Pier Rampart, Derrytagh North

Eileen & Michael Megoran, Wolfisland Terrace

Sunday 25 December

Mary Catherine McAlinden, Bay Rampart

Monday 26 December

Canon Cathal Jordan, former P.P.

James (Jimmy) McGeown, Knockramer formerly Ardowen

Tuesday 27 December

Felix Donnelly, Charlestown Road
 The McCann Family, formerly Knockramer

Wednesday 28 December

Month's Mind John McAlinden, Island View Terrace, Kinnego

Tom & May McAlinden, Derrytrasna Lane
 Sean Haughian, Derrytrasna

John & Margaret-Jane Austin, Hall Rampart
 Paddy McDonald, Hall Rampart

Thursday 29 December

Month's Mind Bridget McCauley, The Palms
 Patrick Scullion, Wolfisland Terrace

Friday 30 December

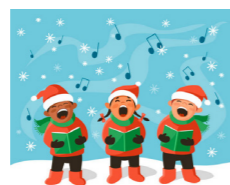
Rita McConville, The Oaks
 Fidelma Conway, Wolfisland Terrace

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

PARISH OFFERTORY COLLECTIONS

Sunday 18 December £1531.73

Thank you for supporting your parish



O COME ALL YE FAITHFUL

O come, all ye faithful,
 joyful and triumphant,
 O come ye, O come ye to Bethlehem;
 come and behold him,
 born the King of Angels:
*O come let us adore him, O come let us adore him,
 O come let us adore him, Christ the Lord!*

Sing, choirs of angels, sing in exultation,
 sing all ye citizens of heav'n above;
 glory to God in the highest.
O come...

Yea, Lord, we greet thee, born this happy morning,
 Jesu, to thee be glory given!
 Word of the Father, now in flesh appearing!
O come... —Traditional

O LITTLE TOWN OF BETHLEHEM

O little town of Bethlehem, how still we see thee lie!
 Above thy deep and dreamless sleep the silent stars go by.
 Yet in thy dark streets shineth the everlasting light;
 the hopes and fears of all the years are met in thee tonight.

Oh holy Child of Bethlehem, descend to us, we pray;
 Cast out our sin, and enter in, be born in us today.
 We hear the Christmas angels, the great glad tidings tell;
 O come to us, abide with us, our Lord, Emmanuel.

—Phillips Brooks

ONCE IN ROYAL DAVID'S CITY

Once in Royal David's city
 stood a lowly cattle shed
 where a mother laid her baby
 in a manger for his bed.
 Mary was that mother mild,
 Jesus Christ her little child.

He came down to earth from heaven
 who is God and Lord of all,
 and his shelter was a stable,
 and his cradle was a stall.
 With the poor, and meek, and lowly,
 lived on earth our Saviour holy.

Not in that poor lowly stable,
 with the oxen standing by
 we shall see him; but in heaven,
 set at God's right hand on high.
 When, like stars, his children crowned
 all in white shall wait around.

— Cecil Francis Alexander

ST RONAN'S PASTORAL AREA:

comprising the parishes of Seagoe, Moyraverty,
 Lurgan and Magheralin



SUNDAY 25 DECEMBER 2022

NATIVITY OF OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST | CHRISTMAS DAY

TELEPHONE NUMBERS

Fr Brian Fitzpatrick, Parish Priest 3834 1901
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 Fr Colum Murphy, CC 3834 1901
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 Moyraverty 079 1949 6053
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 Patricia Carville 077 8991 7741
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 N.I ChildLine 0800 1111

PARISH OFFICE HOURS

10 Tullygally Road, Legahory, Craigavon, BT65 5BL
 Phone 3834 3013.

CLOSED UNTIL TUESDAY 3 JANUARY

Email seagoeparish@dromorediocese.org
 moyravertyparish@dromorediocese.org

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

FEASTS OF THE WEEK

Mon 26 Dec St Stephen, *deacon, first martyr for Christ*

Tue 27 Dec St John the Evangelist, *apostle, patron of Lylo*

Wed 28 Dec The Holy Innocents, *the infant boys of Bethlehem massacred by Herod*

Thu 29 Dec St Thomas à Becket, *Archbishop of Canterbury, martyred by king Henry II*

Fri 30 Dec Holy Family of Jesus, Mary and Joseph



YOUTH ALPHA 2023

in a Catholic Context

We are about to embark on a journey that no young adult could refuse. The time has come for a Youth Alpha in the Catholic context to begin here in our local Church Community!

Youth Alpha gives teens the opportunity to explore the meaning of life in a relaxed, friendly setting. It provides a fresh, fast-paced introduction to the Christian faith in a way which can capture a young person's imagination, and makes exploring the big questions of life relevant and exciting.

We are here to help young adults explore their faith and uncover these important questions about life in a friendly, open and informal environment over 9 weeks. Each Alpha session includes snacks, fun, a video and discussion. It is free of charge and we look forward to welcoming new faces to the Youth Alpha 2023.

- *Beginning:* Wednesday 11 January 2023 @ 7:00pm-8:30pm
- *Ending:* Wednesday 8 March 2023
- 16-19 yrs

Location:

Brownlow Community Hub, 7 Brownlow Road, Craigavon, BT65 5DL

Contact Details to register your interest:

- Rachael Wilson: phone 07841418596
 rachaelmccann@gmail.com
- Allan Wilson (07809117395)



Happy Christmas and Blessings of the Season

TO ALL OUR PARISHIONERS
 IN MOYRAVERTY AND SEAGOE

from

Fr Michael, Rev Gerry, Fr Colum and Fr Brian.

Nollaig shona daoibh go léir



Moyraverty Parish

MASS SCHEDULE

ST ANTHONY'S

Mon 26-Sat 31 Dec 9:30am
No evening Mass on Monday, St Stephen's Day
 Saturday 31 Dec (Vigil Mass for Sunday) 7:30pm
 Sunday 1 January 12:00noon

ST JOHN THE EVANGELIST, LYLO

Sunday 1 January 10:00am

† ETERNAL REST † RECENTLY DECEASED

We offer our deepest sympathy and prayerful remembrance to the families of the following parishioners who died in recent days.

Petrus Mikalauskas, Lithuania
 Natalie McNally, Silverwood Green

ANNIVERSARIES

Saturday 24 December

Eamon O'Kane, Dungannon
 Bridie McCrory, Donaghmore
 May Hill, Altmore

Niall Hamill, Larkfield Meadows

Sunday 25 December

James Rath, Drumgor Heights
 Stephen Nugent, Drumbeg North

Monday 26 December

No 6pm Mass. 9.30am only
 Johnny Crumley, Enniskeen
 James (Jimmy) McGeown, Knockramer,
 formerly Ardowen

Rev Richard (Dick) O'Connell

Tuesday 27 December

James Beattie, Clonmeen

Wednesday 28 December

Peter Donnelly, Willowfield Crescent

Thursday 29 December

Sally Dempsey, Clonmeen

Friday 30 December

Harry & Sarah Mulholland, Cohara

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

BAPTISM

We rejoice with the families of
Oskat Soefteland, Glassdrummer Road,
 Annalong

Arthur Joseph Doyle, Enniskeen
 at their recent birth to eternal
 life in the sacrament of baptism.

PARISH OFFERTORY COLLECTIONS

Sunday 18 December £1196.27

Donation: £200

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

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.

SCAN ME



SILENT NIGHT

Silent night, holy night.
 All is calm, all is bright,
 'round yon virgin mother and child,
 holy infant, so tender and mild,
 sleep in heavenly peace.
 sleep in heavenly peace.

Silent night, holy night.

Shepherds quake at the sight,
 glories stream from heaven afar,
 heavenly hosts sing 'Alleluia.'
 Christ the Saviour is born.
 Christ the Saviour is born.

Silent night, holy night.

Son of God, love's pure light,
 radiant beams from thy holy face,
 with the dawn of redeeming grace,
 Jesus, Lord, at thy birth.
 Jesus, Lord, at thy birth.

— Franz Gruber & Jozef Mohr

HARK! THE HERALD ANGELS SING

Hark! The herald angels sing,
 glory to the new-born King;
 peace on earth and mercy mild,
 God and sinners reconciled:
 joyful all ye nations rise,
 join the triumph of the skies,
 with the angelic host proclaim,
 Christ is born in Bethlehem.
*Hark! The herald angels sing,
 glory to the newborn King!*

Hail the heav'n born Prince of Peace!
 Hail the Sun of Righteousness!
 Light and life to all he brings,
 ris'n with healing in his wings;
 mild he lays his glory by,
 born that man no more may die,
 born to raise the sons of earth,
 born to give them second birth.
Hark! The herald...

— Charles Wesley

ANGELS WE HAVE HEARD ON HIGH

Angels we have heard on high,
 sweetly singing o'er the plains,
 and the mountains in reply
 echo still their joyous strains.
*Glo-oooo-oooo-oooo-ria in excelsis Deo!
 Gloria in excelsis Deo.*

Come to Bethlehem and see
 him whose birth the angels sing.
 Come, adore on bended knee
 Christ the Lord, the new-born King.
*Glo-oooo-oooo-oooo-ria in excelsis Deo!
 Gloria in excelsis Deo.*

— James Chadwick