

# 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

### ST PATRICK'S ADULT CHOIR

After a painful interruption through the pandemic, we are delighted to return to our full Adult choir in September. New and returning members all very welcome. Come along for an initial meeting and some singing Monday 22nd & 29th August in St Patrick's at 7pm. You can also contact Ciara on 07746985438 to register your interest. "I will sing to the Lord all my life."

### GIFT AID

Urgent Notice to all parishioners who signed Gift Aid forms in the past - if your circumstances have changed in recent years and you are no longer a taxpayer (e.g. retirement/unemployment) please inform the parish office so we can remove the gift aid from you donations. If any of our parishioners are in a position to sign a Gift Aid Declaration and so increase their donations by 20% forms are available from the parish office. Many thanks for your ongoing support.

### CHILDREN'S MASSES

One of the messages from parishioners' feedback in the synod responses earlier in the year was the desire for Children's Masses at the weekends. The Parish Pastoral Council have taken this on board and we hope to begin a regular children's/family Mass in both churches come the autumn. We need the help of volunteer adults to facilitate this and we invite parents of primary age children and other interested adults to join us in running the children's liturgy in St Patrick's and St Mary's. All volunteers will be vetted and trained in accordance with best safeguarding practice, and guided in the activities we have planned for the children. If interested, please don't hesitate to contact the parish office, or any member of the pastoral council. 02838343013 seagoeparishdromorediocese.org

## † ETERNAL REST †

### ANNIVERSARIES

**Saturday 27 August**  
Edward Haughian, Oakleigh Fold,  
formerly Derrytrasna (Month's Mind)

### Sunday 28 August

Anne-Marie Coleman,  
Wolfsland Terrace  
Michael Duffy,  
Ballynamoney Road

### Friday 2 September

Shane Campbell -Devlin,  
Derrymacash Road  
Alice McShane, Derrymacash Road  
Margaret & Arthur McShane,  
Derrymacash Road

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

### STUDENT'S PRAYER FOR BACK TO SCHOOL

Lord Jesus, I ask for Your help as I begin this new school year.

Allow me to experience Your presence in the many blessings You put before me.

Open my eyes to the new challenges and exciting opportunities that this new school year brings.

Open my heart and mind to new friends and new teachers.

Give me a generous spirit to be enthusiastic with my studies and courage to accept new opportunities.

Help me to be attentive to my teachers and let

me experience

Your presence in my new friends.

Jesus, inspire me to do my best

this year!

Amen

### PARISH OFFERTORY COLLECTION

**Sunday 14 August £774.46**  
Thank you for supporting your parish



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

## Sunday Bulletin

SUNDAY 28 AUGUST 2022

TWENTY-SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

### TELEPHONE NUMBERS

Fr Brian Fitzpatrick, Parish Priest	3834 1901
Fr Michael Maginn, Assistant Pastor	3831 1872
Rev Gerry Heaney, Permanent Deacon	3834 3013
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

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

Mondays, Tuesdays & Thursdays:  
9:00am-2:00pm  
Fridays: 9:00am-1:30pm.

Email seagoeparish@dromorediocese.org  
moyravertyparish@dromorediocese.org  
**For emergencies, please phone the  
parochial house on 3834 1901.**

### CLERGY CHANGES

In the recent clerical changes, Archbishop Martin announced that, as from Saturday 10 September, Fr Colum Murphy is being appointed as curate to the parishes of Moyraverty and Seagoe, and chaplain to St Ronan's College, Lurgan. Many Moyraverty parishioners may remember Fr Colum as a seminarian when he spent his pastoral year in the parish in 2011/12 with Fr Martin McAlinden, RIP. Fr Colum very much enjoyed that time so we look forward to welcoming him back...and introducing him to the parish of Seagoe now as well. We also send our best wishes for good health and happiness to Canon Gerald Powell, former curate in Moyraverty and PP of our neighbouring parish of Tullylish, who enters upon retirement after long and fruitful service. Fr Des Loughran will succeed Canon Powell as PP Tullylish, and we wish him God's blessing in his new role.

### RE-START OF SORTS

September brings a sense of new beginnings not just to schoolkids and students but to anyone seeking to make good use of time through the autumn and winter. Some consider new courses in night school, others renew a commitment to a hobby, and in many ways it's good to take a look and prioritise what's important. What about making place for faith and God in our routine with a book, app, or time for prayer?

Books to start:

#### One Thousand Gifts

by Ann Voskamp  
This book encourages readers to embrace everyday blessings and embark on the transformative spiritual discipline of noticing God's gifts. It's only in this expressing of gratitude for the life we already have, we discover the life we've always wanted.

#### Chicken Soup for the Soul: Living Catholic Faith

by Jack Canfield  
These compelling stories written by Catholics of all ages cover the gamut, from fun stories of growing up Catholic to serious stories of Sacraments and miracles.

#### Setting Captives Free, Personal Reflections on Ignatian Discernment of Spirits

by Fr. Timothy Gallagher  
Every person faces discouragement in their spiritual life. In his new, reader-friendly book, Father Gallagher shares compelling and real-life examples to illustrate and help us learn from St Ignatius about how to see God's hand in all our own experiences.

APPS:

- \* Bible Gateway
- \* The Chosen
- \* Hallow (subscription required)

### FEASTS OF THE WEEK

Mon 29 Aug	Passion of St John the Baptist. Remembering his beheading as a martyr for Christ
Tue 30 Aug	St Fiacre, Irish hermit & monk
Thu 1 Sep	World Day of Prayer for the Care of Creation
Sat 3 Sep	Pope St Gregory the Great, doctor of the Church

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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
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### MUSIC IN ST ANTHONY'S CHURCH

#### 7:30pm Vigil Mass:

St. Anthony's Church Choir will return to Mass on Saturday 3rd September at 7.30pm. Choir practices will resume on Tuesday 6th September at 7.30pm in the church. New members will be very welcome.

#### 12noon Sunday Mass:

In order to relaunch our children's choir we require some additional adult support. If any adults (over the age of 18) would be interested in helping at practices and services, please let us know. Interested adults will be asked to undergo a safeguarding check and the support of parents is particularly welcome. No musical expertise is required! Details about the relaunch of the choir, including practice dates and times, will be made available at a later date.

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We welcome a range of singers and instrumentalists to share their talents at various liturgies throughout the year. If you would like to become involved please speak to Conor, St. Anthony's Church Organist.

### GOLDEN JUBILEE GRAND CHARITY DANCE

Grand Charity Dance on Friday 23 September doors open 8.00pm for 8.30pm start.  
**Starring:** Hugo Duncan, Joe Moore, Kevin Kearney, Shauna McStravock, Farmer Dan, Jordan McPolin, Barry Doyle Band, with compere Sean Wallace.  
Also featuring Lismore & St Anthony's Schools PLUS SPECIAL MYSTERY GUEST????????????  
All welcome, come along and join in the craic!  
Tickets £12.00 available from St Anthony's Parish centre/Parish office/SVP Bookstall/ Coleen's Kitchen (07596178395)/ Shannon O'Hagan (07714027667 sohagan@outlook.com).

### 50<sup>TH</sup> ANNIVERSARY BOOKLET

We are in the process of putting together a booklet to celebrate 50 years of Moyraverty Parish and want to thank any sponsors/businesses who have already come on board and bought advertising space. If you would be interested in advertising in our booklet, please contact Shannon on 07714027667 sohagan@outlook.com.

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### ANNIVERSARIES

**Saturday 27 August**  
John-Joe O'Reilly, Ardowen  
Shirley McGuinness, Lurgan  
**Sunday 28 August**  
Oliver Gibney, Belfast  
Gerry McCoubrey, Drumgor Heights  
Aidan Toman, Meadowbrook,  
formerly Lurgan

**Monday 29 August**  
Wayne Hamilton, Highfield Park  
**Wednesday 31 August**  
Mary Greene, Kiln Lodge  
Joe Madill, Meadowbrook  
**Friday 2 September**  
Sr Mary Attridge  
*Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord,  
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### BAPTISM

We rejoice with the families of  
Cillian James McMahon, Victoria Gardens  
Adah Willow Doyle, Rowan Park  
at their recent birth to eternal  
life in the sacrament of baptism.

### CHILDREN'S LITURGY

Children's Liturgy will resume on Sunday 11 September at 12:00 noon Mass. All welcome.

### THANK YOU

Fr David Walsh from the Kiltegan Fathers who spoke at all Masses on 23/24 July has been in touch to express his appreciation. He writes as follows: "All went very well and I am very pleased with the response to my Mission Appeal for St Patrick's Missionary Society. I thank the people of the parish for their generous response...Please assure them we are very grateful and that they will be remembered in our Masses and prayers. As you know, it's the generosity of parishioners, who are 'the salt of the earth', that enables us to do the work God has sent us to do on the missions. May God bless them all for that."

### BETTER TOGETHER TEA DANCE.

Sunday 4th September 3pm - 5:30pm.  
The Hub, Brownlow Road Craigavon.  
For Transport contact: Rose 07788965643  
or Mary 07840985576.

### YOUNG KNIGHTS OF ST MICHAEL

Starting on Saturday 10 September 12 - 2pm in Parish Centre. Please call into parish centre to enrol.

### PARISH OFFERTORY COLLECTION

**Sunday 14 August £828.87**  
**Sunday 21 August £938.59**  
Thank you for your kind support.