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.

EUCHARISTIC ADORATION

This week: Rosary and adoration in St Mary's on Wednesday 12 November at 7:30pm, concluding with Benediction at 8:15pm.

Pope St Leo the Great taught that the sacraments (Eucharist included) possess a divine power; they also come to us through Jesus, the one divine Mediator, and they are—and remain—connected to Him, the Saviour born in the flesh.

In this way the sacraments follow the logic of the incarnation, and so offer to human beings a way of Christ being present that reaches us, through that mind-blowing approach from God to us, from heaven to earth.

Next week: Adoration in St Mary's on Friday 21 November at 7:30pm, finishing 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.

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.

PARISH OFFERTORY COLLECTION

Sunday 2 November £1078.30 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.

Margaret Hurrell (Kearns), Lurgan formerly Ballynery North Road

ANNIVERSARIES

Saturday 8 November

Month's Mind Sr Philomena Walsh, Poor Clares, formerly Derrytagh South Eddie Donnelly, Pier Rampart Sean McAlinden, Derryloiste Road James Carville, Ardmore Road

Wednesday 12 November

James (Jim) Conway, Byrne's Rampart Eileen Patricia (Pat) Skelton, Monbrief Walk

Friday 14 November

Brendan Morris, McGreavy Park

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

BAPTISM

We rejoice with the family of **Eva Eleanor McQuillan,** Millbrook Mews
at her recent birth to eternal
life in the sacrament of baptism.

COUNTRY MUSIC NIGHT

Friday 14th November in Sarsfields Community Hall, Derrytrasna from 9pm to midnight. Music by Irish Country Star Damian Davis. Admission £10

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 Killyhevlin 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 <u>youthdirector@dromorediocese.org</u> or phone 02830833898.

THE THREE TENORS LIVE

Conor Gibbons / Philip Klubicka / Paul Feery
www.threetenorsireland.com

Saturday 6 December, 8:15pm in Newry Cathedral.

Christmas & Classic Mix
from The Dubliners to Andrea Bocelli.
Tickets now on sale £30
from Newry Parish office, Cathedral shop on
the Mall, or tickettailor.com.

ST RONAN'S PASTORAL AREA: comprising the parishes of Seagoe, Moyraverty,

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Lurgan and Magheralin

Sunday Bulletin

SUNDAY 9 NOVEMBER 2025 DEDICATION OF THE LATERAN BASILICA JUBILEE OF THE WORLD OF WORK

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

FEASTS OF THE WEEK

Mon 10 Nov Pope St Leo the Great, pope from 440–461, pastorally close to his people while defending Rome, and taught clearly on the two natures of Christ, human and divine.

Tue 11 Nov St Martin of Tours, bishop famed for his kindness to the poor and spreading the faith in 4th-c France. First saint not to be a martyr. Patron of France.

Wed 12 Nov St Josaphat, monk turned archbishop, worked for the unity of eastern Churches with Rome. Martyred for the faith in 1623. Patron of Ukraine.

Fri 14 Nov St Laurence O'Toole, archbishop of Dublin at the time of the Norman invasion, noted for generosity and compassion to the poor. Patron of Dublin.

Sat 15 Nov St Albert the Great, Dominican bishop known for his study of the natural world which points to God the Creator. Patron of scientists.

WELCOME, REV PAT

Archbishop Martin has officially appointed newly-ordained deacon Rev Pat Gallagher to serve in the parishes of Seagoe and Moyraverty. We are delighted to welcome him as he formally begins his ministry, so with the celebrations of ordination gradually winding down, it's time to roll the sleeves up! God bless him in his work among us.

UNDERSTANDING OUR CHURCH BUILDINGS

As the Mass and gospel this Sunday draws our attention to celebrating the dedication of the cathedral of Rome, it gives us a chance to consider our church buildings in general, and their importance in our faith and worship. For all Christians church buildings are sacred places of prayer, but for us Catholics, the

For all Christians church buildings are sacred places of prayer, but for us Catholics, the words from Genesis remind us they are sacred because of Who is within: "This is none other than the house of God; and this is the gate of heaven" (28:17). Our Catholic churches are where God dwells among us, truly present in the Blessed Sacrament in the tabernacle. When we come through the doors of the church, we are as close to heaven as we can be on earth.

In another way of looking, the church building is a special image of the Church (as the people of God). The stone and timber church building points to the living Church, which is constituted by each one of the baptised. From the earliest days of our faith, St Peter in the New Testament was already writing to his fellow Christians: "Come to him [Christ], to that living stone, rejected by men but in God's sight chosen and precious; and like living stones be yourselves built into a spiritual house" (1Pet 2:4-5). In this way of thinking, Jesus Christ is the cornerstone, the apostles are the foundation stones, and we are the living stones built upon them, making up the Church, and God dwells within us.

For this reason, we take great care in the design, construction and maintenance of sacred buildings that do honour and glory to God and to the Church.

FLOWERS IN ST ANTHONY'S

We could do with the assistance of any generous parishioner with the skill or a good eye for floral arrangements to help furnish the sanctuary and statues in St Anthony's church. Some time once a week is sufficient in general, and all helps to enhance the beauty and of our church and worship to the glory of God. Please contact the parish office for more information if interested. Thank you for considering.

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

JUBILEE PRAYER FOR THE WORKERS

Lord Jesus Christ, Carpenter of Nazareth, you were a worker as I am. Give me, and all workers, the privilege to work as you did, so that everything we do will be to the greater glory of God, and the benefit of our fellow men and women. May your kingdom come into our offices, our factories and shops, into our farms and homes and into our streets.

our farms and homes and into our streets. Give us this day a living wage, so that we may be able to keep your law. May we earn it without envy or injustice. To us who labour and are heavily burdened, send speedily the refreshment of your love. May we never sin against you. Show us your way to work, and when our work here is done, may we, with all our fellow workers, rest in peace. Amen.

Our Lady, Help of Christians, *pray for us*. St Joseph the Worker, *pray for us*.

FAITH ON FOOT

Following the success of last months meet-up STRYC invite all Young adults (18+) to join our Faith on Foot walk around Craigavon Lakes on 16th November @ 4.30pm — a gentle time of fellowship, craic, and fresh air.

MOYRAVERTY LOURDES FUNDRAISING COMMITTEE

Would like to thank all who supported us at our Church Door Collection. We made an amazing amount of £1160.00 This amount will help bring an Assisted Pilgrim from our parish to Lourdes next year. We thank you for your continuing support.

St Bernadette Pray For Us.

ASSISTED PILGRIMS FORM FOR A PLACE TO TRAVEL ON THE 2026 PILGRIMAGE TO LOURDES

Moyraverty Lourdes Fundraising Committee are now taking applications for Assisted Pilgrims, travelling to Lourdes on the 15–20 May 2026.

Please complete form and return as soon as possible to: J. Ormsby, 206 Drumgor Park

Address
Contact No.
Signature of applicant:
signature of applicant.

Your Name:_

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> Hugh Kelly, Drumellan Park Eugene Murphy, Oakfields

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> Wednesday 12 November Hugh Devlin, Moylinn

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Thursday 13 November
Jim McCann, Castle Lane/England
James Nugent, Keady
James Moore, Dungannon

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

BAPTISMS

We rejoice with the families of Greta Ilgunaite, Enniskeen
Heidi Henrietta Jones, Calvertstown Road
Amelia Wisniewska, Larkfield Meadows
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 all Churches.
Please return to boxes provided.

MOYRAVERTY 50+ TEA DANCE

St Anthony's Parish Centre Thursday 20 November 8-10pm. Music by Mons Wheeler plus Raffle prizes! Admission including light supper £50.00. We welcome old and new members.

PARISH OFFERTORY COLLECTION

Sunday 2 November £1829.19

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