

# Seagoe Parish

## MASS SCHEDULE

### St Patrick's Aghacommon

Sunday	11:00am
Tuesday	10:30am
Thursday	10:30am
Friday	7:00pm

Confessions every Friday 6:30–6:50pm

### St Mary's Derrytrasna

Monday	10:30am
Wednesday	7:00pm
Saturdays (vigil Mass for Sunday)	6:00pm

Confessions every Saturday 5:30–5:50pm

## EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

Adoration in St Patrick's on Friday 29 November at 7:30pm, followed by benediction at 8:15pm.

## POPE'S INTENTION

In union and support of the Holy Father, Pope Francis, we are invited to join with him in praying for a particular intention each month, for a particular group of Gods' people, for a need in the global community, or for the Church.

This November the Holy Father asks us to pray with him:

### For anyone who has lost a child.

"We pray that all parents who mourn the loss of a son or daughter find support in their community and receive peace and consolation from the Holy Spirit."

## KNOCK SHRINE

All Night vigil Saturday 7th December. Coach £25. Contact Gabrielle 07933 521105 or Catherina 07899 810181.

## PARISH OFFERTORY COLLECTION

Sunday 17 November

£1184.55

Please make cheques payable to 'Seagoe Parish'.

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.

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## † 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

Maureen Magee, Kilvergan Road

## ANNIVERSARIES

### Saturday 23 November

John McAlinden, Island View, Kinnego

### Sunday 24 November

Ita Berry, Pinebank  
Mick & Brigid Tighe & Michael Tighe, The Palms  
Ethna Scullion, Blair Park  
Cyril McCorry, Ballynamoney Road

### Tuesday 26 November

Bridget McCauley, The Palms

### Wednesday 27 November

Joe & Margarita Toye, Derrytrasna Road  
Joseph, Margaret & John Breen, Derrytrasna's

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

## BAPTISM

Baptisms in our parishes are as follows:  
St Anthony's each Sunday at 1.00pm.  
St Patrick's 2nd and 4th Sunday at 12.00 noon.  
St Mary's 1st Sunday at 12.00 noon.

Places are limited and you should book your date in advance of any other bookings (Meal/Flights etc.), to avoid disappointment.

**There are no Saturday baptisms in either parish at this time.**

## ADULT BAPTISMS

Any **adults** considering joining the Catholic Church or who would like to know more about being baptised, please contact Fr Brian at the parochial house or parish office.

## DERRYTRASNA SENIOR CITIZENS

### ANNUAL CHRISTMAS DINNER

Sunday 1st December in Sarsfields Community Centre at 1pm. Music by Colin Harney. Tickets available in Breens shop and for those in the parish who would like to attend please also get in touch @ 07706728415 and to confirm attendance.

## MILLENNIUM CLUB

We are recruiting new members for our group. We meet every Friday for a chat, games and a bit of craic at Sunnyside Club, Silverwood Road. If you are 60+ and want to spend a bit of time with like-minded ladies, then give us a ring on : 07514510852.

# ST RONAN'S PASTORAL AREA:

comprising the parishes of Seagoe, Moyraverty, Lurgan and Magheralin

# Sunday Bulletin

SUNDAY 24TH NOVEMBER 2024

## TELEPHONE NUMBERS

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Moyraverty 079 1949 6053

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## 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

Open Monday–Friday (*except Wednesdays*)

9:30am–3:00pm.

Phone: 028 3834 3013.

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

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

## FEASTS OF THE WEEK

**Wed 27 Nov** St Fergal, *Laos-born bishop and missionary to Bavaria and Austria*

**Sat 30 Nov** St Andrew, *apostle, fisherman, brother of Simon Peter, patron of Scotland*

## ST. RONAN'S COLLEGE, LURGAN

Open Evening on Thursday 5th December in the Junior site, Waring Street. Principal's address at 5.00pm and 6.30pm. All parents and prospective pupils are invited to attend.



## CHRIST THE KING

The contrast in this Sunday's gospel scene is striking: on one side, the power of the Roman Empire, which dominated almost the entire known world; and on the other, the true Lord of the universe, seemingly powerless to defend Himself. The hands that had performed miracles like restoring sight to the blind and raising the dead, that had caressed the sick and comforted the sorrowful, now seemed bound. These hands, capable of commanding legions of angels, had turned bread and wine into his own body and blood, yet now they remained tied.

It is an astonishing mystery: Christ does not defend Himself. His reign is one of self-giving, and only in this way does salvation begin. Jesus wants to "accomplish the Father's will to the end, and to establish his kingdom not by armed conflict, but by the apparent weakness of life-giving love. The kingdom of God is a kingdom utterly different from earthly kingdoms." (Pope Benedict XVI, 2012). This "apparent weakness" is what wins over our soul's freedom.

## NI CANCER PILGRIMAGE TO LOURDES.

Sat 10 May to Thurs 15 May 2025

The price of £859 (with price reduction for Cancer Patients) includes: Return flights from Belfast International Airport, operated by Northern Star Travel Ltd and facilitated by Joe Walsh Tours. Full board and accommodation at the Hotel Agena in Lourdes for five nights based on twin/double/triple rooms.

The party will consist of patients, ex-patients, relatives and friends accompanied by medical, nursing and other staff. To enquire or to obtain a booking form please contact:- Mrs Jean Clarke, Hon. Secretary, NI Cancer Pilgrimage, 67 Ballynahinch Road, Carryduff, Belfast, BT8 8DL, or speak to us on **Tel. 078746 88388**, or **e-mail at: mail@nicancerpilgrimage.org.uk**

## ANAM CARA

Anam Cara, the organisation that supports bereaved parents, will hold its monthly Parent Support Evening on Wednesday 27th November 7.15pm in the Armagh City Hotel.

This event is free and open to all bereaved parents regardless of the age your child died, the circumstances of their death, or how recent their death was. You do not need to register in advance.

We also offer an online support group meeting. To find out more call 01 4045378 or email [info@anamcara.ie](mailto:info@anamcara.ie)

# 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
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## ST ANTHONYS' PRIMARY SCHOOL

St Anthony's Nursery & P1 Open Day and Christmas Fair. Sunday 1 December 1-4pm @ St Anthony's Primary School, Tullygally Road, Craigavon. [www.stanthonysprimaryschool.co.uk](http://www.stanthonysprimaryschool.co.uk). Christmas Stalls/ Santa's Grotto/Food Vendors/Ice Cream/ Pony Rides/ Petting Zoo/ Face Painting.

## MOYRAVERTY LOURDES FUNDRAISING COMMITTEE

The committee would like to thank all who supported us at our South Ulster Community Band evening in St Anthonys's Hall on Sunday 10th November. We made an amazing amount of £750.00. This amount will help bring an Assisted Pilgrim from our parish to Lourdes next year. We thank you very much for your support.

## SUPPORT THE BENEDICTINE COMMUNITY

Buy your Christmas gifts at the shop of Holy Cross Abbey, 119 Kilbroney Road, Rostrevor, Co. Down BT34 3BN  
Candles and Soaps made by the monks, Books, and a range of different gifts.  
Shop opens 9-11am & 2.30-5pm  
[www.benedictinemonks.co.uk](http://www.benedictinemonks.co.uk)

## SVP ANNUAL APPEAL 2024

The collection for the SVP annual Christmas appeal will take place after Masses on Saturday 7th and Sunday 8th December.

Many of you continue to support SVP and I want to take the opportunity to thank you for your continued support. Without your help we would not be able to continue to support our fellow parishioners on your behalf.

2024 has been a difficult year for many people within our community, with an increased cost of living and energy bills putting pressure on families. Many families have to choose between heating their home or putting food on the table. With your help we can continue to support those in our community that need it most this winter.

I want to take this opportunity to thank you all and wish you a peaceful Christmas and happy and healthy 2025.

## † RECENTLY DECEASED †

## ANNIVERSARIES

### Saturday 23 November

Elizabeth McAlinden, Portstewart

### Sunday 24 November

Month's Mind James (Jerry) Mulholland, Clonmeen

Deirdre Conway, Cranny Terrace

Margaret Daly, Drumgor Park

Magdalene McAvoy, Meadowbrook

Jacqueline Doonan, Dean's Grange

Claire Moss, Enniskillen

Teresa Burns, Belfast

### Monday 25 November

Month's Mind Gary Heaney, Derryvore Lane

Margaret Dorrity, Carrigart

### Tuesday 26 November

Christine Rath, Drumgor Heights

### Wednesday 27 November

John Lappin, Portadown

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

## BAPTISM

We rejoice with the families of **Rossa Eamon Rafferty, Dicksons Wood James-Jnr Quinn, Ardowen Eden Elsie Hamill, Carrigart Crescent** at their recent birth to eternal life in the sacrament of baptism.

## IRISH LANGUAGE MASS

In Adoration Chapel Tuesday 26 November at 8.00pm. This Mass will be offered for the happy repose of the souls of all deceased adorers of the Lurgan Adoration Chapel. All are welcome.

## ÉIRE ÓG

### Éire Óg Golden Years Weekly Drop-In Social Morning.

Every Wednesday 9.30am-1pm at Éire Óg Social Club. Enjoy some friendly chat, laughter, and a cuppa. It's a great opportunity to make new social connections. Everyone is welcome.

## LURGAN MUSICAL SOCIETY

**Presents** A Christmas Concert on Friday 6th December @ 8.00pm in Brownlow House. Tickets £7. Tea/Coffee served at 7.30pm. Ticket available from - J Mc Conville, North Street/S D Kells, Market Street & Print Business Supplies, Market Street.

## MUSIC BY THE HANNA SISTERS presented by Moyraverty Lourdes

Another night of musical delight not to be missed in St Anthony's Church Sunday 1 December at 7:00pm. Admission by donation, all proceeds going towards Pilgrimage of sick parishioners to Lourdes.

## PARISH OFFERTORY COLLECTION

Sunday 17 November £1196.58

Please make all cheques payable to 'Moyraverty Parish'.

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