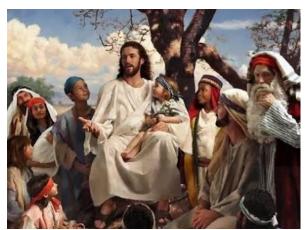
# **COLERAINE PARISH**

Part of the North Connor Pastoral Community

19 September 2021 25th Sunday in Ordinary Time Sunday B/Weekdays 1 Psalter week 1



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# Parish Facebook page and website

St Malachy's Parish Coleraine coleraineparish.website
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### **MASSES THIS WEEK**

Sunday: Vigil 6.00pm, Sunday 11.00am
Monday: 10.00am
Tuesday: 10.00am
Thursday: 10.00am
Friday: 10.00am with Adoration and Confession
10.30 – 11.30am

Please book for all weekend Masses by phoning the Parish office 02870343156 on Monday or Thursday 10am – 12 noon.

No booking is required for weekdays.

All Masses are streamed online on the parish website: coleraineparish.website 'Watch Live' and on YouTube. Masses are recorded and can be watched on the website 45 minutes after Mass has ended.

## **MASSES IN PORTRUSH:**

Saturday vigil at 6pm, Sunday at noon Monday 9am, Tuesday 9am, Wednesday 7pm, Thursday 9am, Friday 9.30am

### **MASSES IN PORTSTEWART:**

Saturday vigil at 5pm, Sunday at 10am Tuesday 7pm Wednesday – Saturday 9.30am

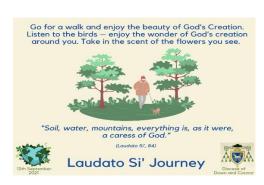
It remains mandatory for anyone attending Mass in our Church to wear a mask at all times. We appreciate your continuing cooperation with this act of kindness and love to our fellow parishioners.



We hope to move our Masses to the Parish Centre to accommodate the painting of the Church, due to commence on 4 October 2021. Our final Mass in the Chapel is scheduled to be Sunday 26 September.

# SEASON OF CREATION: RESTORING OUR COMMON HOME

The Season of Creation is a critical moment for Catholics to lift up the voices of the most vulnerable and advocate on their behalf ahead of the important summits, the UN Summit on Biodiversity (COP 15) in October and the UN Climate Summit in November (COP 26). Bishop Treanor invites you to join advocacy initiatives such as the *Healthy Planet*, *Healthy People Petition* urging for bold action to protect creation in addition to other initiatives calling for new paths forward together. To sign the petition visit www.the catholicpetition.org



### SPECIAL DAYS IN THE CHURCH CALENDAR THIS WEEK

September 21 – Feast of St. Matthew the Apostle



Saint Matthew, you made the right decision at the right time and so changed your life and those of millions of others who know Christ because of you. Help us to recognise when a pivot point arrives in our own life, when we must change direction, and help us to choose that direction well.

# September 24 - Feast of Our Lady of Ransom



O God, who by means of the most glorious Mother of
Thy Son
was pleased to give new children to Thy Church
for the deliverance of Christ's faithful
from the power of the heathen;
grant, we beseech Thee,
that we who love and honour her as the foundress of
so great a work may,
by her merits and intercession,
be ourselves delivered from all sin
and from the bondage of the evil one.
Through the same Christ, our Lord. Amen.

# THE POPE'S PRAYER INTENTION FOR SEPTEMBER

An Environmentally Sustainable Lifestyle:

We pray that we all will make courageous choices for a simple and environmentally sustainable lifestyle, rejoicing in our young people who are resolutely committed to this.

A TASTE OF THE BIBLE: An Introduction to Mark's Gospel

Pope Benedict XVI: "All the faithful should read the bible every day." An opportunity to explore the bible and ask questions on Thursday evenings from 8pm to 9.30 by Zoom FREE for 10 weeks starting 30th September. Basic format: ½ hour presentation; ¾ hour discussion groups. For further information email: tasteofbible@gmail.com or Ernestine 077 6064 7665



### **PARISH BULLETIN**

If you have any item for inclusion in the parish weekend bulletin, email: <a href="mailto:coleraine@downandconnor.org">coleraine@downandconnor.org</a> or contact the parish office 2870343156 by 5pm on Wednesday please

