

COLERAINE PARISH

ST MALACHI'S CHURCH

Part of the North Connor Pastoral Community

17 October 2021

39th Sunday in Ordinary Time
Sunday B/Weekdays 1 Psalter week 1




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MASSSES IN PORTLUSS:

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

MASSSES IN PORTSTEWART:

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

RECENTLY DECEASED

Eileen Mullan

ANNIVERSARIES THIS WEEK

John Doherty

Dennis

Doherty

Josephine

Mullan



MASSSES THIS WEEK IN ST MALACHI'S PARISH CENTRE

Sunday: Vigil 6.00pm, Sunday 11.00am

Monday: 10.00am Feast of St Luke

Tuesday: 10.00am

Thursday: 10.00am

Friday (22nd) 10am - Holy Mass followed by Adoration and Rosary. For all Children and adolescents.

Saturday (23rd) 6pm – Holy Mass followed by Adoration and Rosary. For all young people.

Sunday (24th) 11am – Holy Mass followed by Adoration and Rosary. For all Families.

All Masses are streamed online using the following link:
<http://rtsp.me/embed/nGbyR29K/>

Please remember to wear your mask during Mass.

Mission Sunday 24 October 2021

Next Sunday is World Mission Sunday, celebrated in every Catholic community in the world. It's a moment of grace to express solidarity with our brothers and sisters in Christ who are living in situations of poverty, violence and oppression. Every parish, school and community is invited to join this special event, and every penny, pound and prayer you give to Missio helps missionaries everywhere continue their work.

Pathways – Adult Faith Development Programme

Two-year, part-time course, now enrolling for 2021-2023 intake. Have you ever thought about exploring your faith... or wished that you could broaden your understanding of your faith? Would you like to explore, discuss and reflect upon issues and questions of faith, the Church, and how to link faith to life? If the answer is "yes", then Pathways is for you. The course runs one Saturday per month (10 am – 4:30 pm) from 23 October until June, either in-house at Drumalis, Lame or online via Zoom. To register for Pathways, please contact Drumalis during office hours (Mon-Fri, 9 am – 5 pm) – 028 38276455/08272196 or email maura@drumalis.co.uk For further information see Drumalis website: <http://www.drumalis.co.uk>



HAPPY BIRTHDAY to Joanne Ajala who was five years old on Friday 15 October. Many happy returns Joanne!
CONGRATULATIONS Stephanie and Patrick on the occasion of their marriage on Saturday 16 October.

Important Feast Day this week

Friday 22 - Pope John Paul II
Traditionally, the feast of a saint is celebrated on the anniversary of his/her death, the day the person left for his/her eternal abode. However, Pope John Paul II's feast was fixed for 22nd October, when his pontificate was officially inaugurated.

John Paul II of Poland was elected on October 16, 1978, becoming the first Slavic pope and the first non-Italian pope in 455 years since Dutch Pope Adrian VI, who served from 1522 to 1523. Six days later, on October 22, he inaugurated his pontificate with a solemn High Mass in Rome's St. Peter's Square.

John Paul II died on April 2, 2005, after leading the Church for over 26 years. Pope Benedict XVI beatified him on May 1, 2011, establishing October 22, the day of his inauguration, as his feast day. Three years later, Pope Francis officially declared him a saint on April 27, 2014, along with Pope John XXIII.

To the Creator of nature and man, of truth and beauty, I pray:

Hear my voice, for it is the voice of the victims of all wars and violence among individuals and nations.

Hear my voice, for it is the voice of all children who suffer and will suffer when people put their faith in weapons and war.

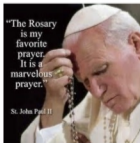
Hear my voice when I beg You to instill into the hearts of all human beings the wisdom of peace, the strength of justice, and the joy of fellowship.

Hear my voice, for I speak for the multitudes in every country and in every period of history who do not want war and are ready to walk the road of peace.

Hear my voice and grant insight and strength so that we may always respond to hatred with love, to injustice with total dedication to justice, to need with the sharing of self, to war with peace.

O God, hear my voice and grant unto the world Your everlasting peace. Amen.

Written by Pope St John Paul II for Peace in the World



"The Rosary is my favorite prayer. It is a marvelous prayer."

St. John Paul II

SYNOD: AN OPPORTUNITY

TO SHARE YOUR EXPERIENCE

Last week Pope Francis opened a new pathway of listening to the People of God that will culminate in a Synod in Rome in 2023. This is an important time as we pray and think together on Communion, Participation and Mission in the Church. Bishop Treanor invites us all to enter into a time of prayer so that we too in our Diocese may be attentive to our experience of Church and how the Holy Spirit is prompting and guiding us as we journey on our pathway into the future. We ask you to pray that the Holy Spirit will guide the Church at this time and we look forward to opening a forum of listening in Advent.

Pope Francis has released his prayer intention for the month of October, calling on everyone to pray that all Christians might be missionary disciples and open to the demands of the Church's evangelizing mission.

We pray that every baptized person may be engaged in evangelization, available to the mission, by being witnesses of a life that has the Ravour of the Gospel.

"Jesus asks us all, and you as well, to be missionary disciples. Are you ready?" We are all invited to be open to Jesus' call and to live united to Him in the mundane events of our daily lives. "Work, meeting other people, our daily duties, and the chance events of each day": These are the opportunities we have to allow ourselves to be "guided by the Holy Spirit," said the Pope. "And your testimony of life will inspire admiration, and admiration inspires others to ask themselves, 'How is it possible for this person to be this way?'" What is the source of the love with which this person treats everyone—the kindness and good humour?"

Precious Life will be holding a 'Pro-Life Chain' at Belfast City Hall on Saturday 23rd October at 2pm to commemorate the second anniversary of abortion legislation in Northern Ireland.

For more information please contact Precious Life on 028 9027 8484 or email info@preciouslife.com.



If you have any item for inclusion in the parish weekend bulletins, email: coleraine@downandconnor.org or contact the parish office ☎ 02870343156 by 5pm on Wednesday please.



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