Celebrating the Liturgy

Weekend Mass Times Confessions

Sat. (Vigil) 6.30pm Saturday after 10.00am Mass

Sunday: 10.00am & 12 Noon 5.30 - 6.15pm

Weekday: Adoration of Blessed Sacrament

 $\label{eq:wed. & Thurs. 10.30am - 9.00pm} Wed. \& Thurs. 10.30am - 9.00pm$

Tues - Sat. 10.00am Sat. 10.30am – 12.00 Noon

Divine Office Marriage

Morning Prayer: Mon. 10.00am 6 months notice required (Followed by Rosary) Please contact Fr McGrady

Thurs: 10am (followed by Mass)

Baptism

1st & 3rd Sundays of the month at 1.15pm

Contact the parish office to book - One month's notice is required.

Living Youth

Are taking a group of young people aged 16/24 to Scotland for 4 days at end of July to celebrate World Youth Day. Interested? Contact:

www.livingyouthni.org/world-youth-day-scotland

St Anne's One World Group

Would like to thank everyone who supported us last weekend. Traidcraft: £268.03, Donations: £140.95, Second Hand Books: £55 & Handmade Cards: £3

Annual Pioneer Mass

In honour of the Sacred Heart of Jesus will be celebrated in St. Anne's Church on **Monday 10th June 7.30pm.**

Anyone requiring gold, silver or other pins to be presented please contact Anne 90 615461 or Josephine 90 617116. As St. Anne's Pioneer Centre is now 55 years old, we welcome everyone, especially those who have been associated with the centre since its formation and Young Pioneers. Light refreshments afterwards

St Anne's Legion of Mary

A member of the Group will speak at Masses on weekend of 15th/16th June to explain the role of the Legion and to encourage parishioners to consider joining.

Clonard Solemn Novena 70th Anniversary Wednesday 19th June – Thursday 27th June

Leaflets with full details of times & special sessions available in church porch. If you are unable to attend, you can watch live on: www.clonard.com
Come along and bring all your petitions and thanksgivings.

St. Anne's Parish

Very Reverend Feargal McGrady, PP

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Tenth Sunday in Ordinary Time
9th June Psalter Week 2 - Year C

First Reading: 1 Kings17: 17-24

In this very moving and dramatic passage from 1 Kings we hear of how a young boy in the house where the prophet Elijah is staying becomes seriously ill. Understandably, the child's mother wonders if her guest, this "man of God", is in fact the cause of her son's condition. Elijah takes the child, pleads with God to revive him and returns him to his mother safe and well.

Responsorial Psalm: Psalm 29 I will praise you Lord, you have rescued me -

Second Reading: Galatians 1:11-19

Paul is eager to demonstrate that he is not a spokesperson for any of the apostles, and that he was not influenced by anyone, other than Jesus himself, prior to, during or after his powerful encounter with the Lord on the road to Damascus. Therefore, when he dispenses from traditional legal observances, he does so based on his conviction that this is an integral part of the Gospel.

Gospel: Luke 7: 11-17

In the era of dedicated news channels, the sight of funeral processions with the bodies of young people killed as a result of war or famine is not unusual. All too often, too, are the reports of young people killed in motoring accidents. No matter what the circumstances, there is always a grieving family, The one response capable of helping is the one adopted by Jesus in our gospel: compassion.

Recently Deceased

Please pray for the happy repose of the souls of:
James McIldowney, May Mc Henry & Olivia Butler who died recently.
Sr Malachy Higgins whose months mind occurs at this time
Marie Murray, Louis McGreevy, Augustine & Mary McCall
whose anniversaries are at this time, and those whose names are included in the
Book of Remembrance. *May they rest in peac*e.

An Invitation from Bishop Treanor.

Ever since taking up my appointment as your Bishop in 2008 I have been keen to work with you to establish a united vision for the Diocese. A vision that would enable each of us in the Diocese of Down and Connor through the use of our individual gifts to participate in our Church Community, to deepen our faith and to share that faith with others.

Your enthusiastic support for the Listening process gave me a sense of great hope and the themes which emerged from the process have over the past few months been considered by Working Groups in the Diocese comprised of your fellow Laity, Clergy and Religious. The fruits of their efforts have resulted in a Pastoral Plan which will be launched in the Waterfront on Fri. 27th & Sat. 28th September

I earnestly hope that Parishioners from every Parish in the Diocese will attend the Congress as Delegates. The event presents a real opportunity for all of us in the Diocese to strike out on a new path and to renew our commitment.

The cost for each Delegate is £10 which will be used to offset the costs associated with the venue. Each Delegate will be able to attend on both the Friday and Saturday and will be able to attend two Seminars addressing the key elements of the pastoral plan on the Saturday. If you wish to indicate your availability to represent your Parish as a delegate please contact your Parish Priest.

To close the Congress there will be a celebratory concert in the evening of the Saturday featuring a wide range of talent from the diocese including *The Priests*. Tickets for the Concert will be available at a cost of £20. Please let your Parish Priest know if you would like to attend.

Thank you for taking the time to read this and I do hope you will be able to attend the Congress.

Ministers of the Eucharist & of The Word

The Annual Meeting of all Ministers of the Word and of the Eucharist including those who visit the 4 Residential Homes in the parish will be held in the Church at 7.30pm on Thursday, 13th June. You are warmly invited to attend, it will be a period of reflection on the Mass. A DVD will form part of the evening.

Parish Finance

The weekly collection amounted to £1897.28

Sincere thanks for your continued generosity

Altar Society: Church Cleaners: Group B this week

Bereavement Support Group

Have you suffered bereavement? If you wish to talk in confidence – please ring the parish office **90610112** leave your name and phone number a member of the Group will contact you.

Bargains Galore!!!! Bargains Galore!!!
Yes, one lucky person will drive home a BRAND NEW CAR
for just £20 – AND it could be you!!!
IF you have bought your ticket!!!
Tickets, £20 each, on sale this weekend.



St. Anne's Parent's Association are holding a Family Fun Day on

Sunday 16th June from 1pm-4pm in the top playground. Great entertainment on offer including a climbing wall, face painting, plant stall, bouncy castle, tuck shop, penalty shoot and

BBQ.

The Fun Day will finish with the Grand Prize Draw – join in the fun on **Sunday 16th June** for a great family fun packed day and perhaps you will be **THE ONE** driving home in the brand new Vauxhall Corsa or enjoying one of the other great prizes on offer! Hope to see you there!!

St Gerard's Parish, Antrim Road

30 Hour Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament
Will take place on **Friday**, 14th & Saturday 15th June starting at 9.30am
John Paul 11 Relic will be available for viewing and blessing at various times.

Tea and biscuits in the Parochial Hall
Further details in the Church Porch

Nazareth House Care Village

Open Day on **Friday, 21 June between 1pm-4pm**You are warmly invited to come along and view the facilities in our purpose built "Care Village".