

Celebrating the Liturgy

Weekend Mass Times

Sat. (Vigil) 6.30pm
Sunday: 10.00am & 12 Noon

Confessions

Saturday after 10.00am Mass
5.30 - 6.15pm

Weekday:

Monday 7.30pm
Tues - Sat. 10.00am

Adoration of Blessed Sacrament

Wed. & Thurs. 10.30am – 9.00pm
Sat. 10.30am – 12.00 Noon

Divine Office

Morning Prayer: Mon. 10.00am
(Followed by Rosary)
Thurs: 10am (followed by Mass)

Marriage

6 months notice required
Please contact Fr McGrady

Baptism

1st & 3rd Sundays of the month at 1.15pm
Contact the parish office to book - One month's notice is required.

Grand Draw – Win a Car

Tickets, £20 each, on sale this weekend.

St. Anne's Primary School Parent's Association
and St. Anne's Parish Finance Committee are
working together to raise much needed funds to
support our Primary School and our Parish
Community.

**You could win a brand new Vauxhall Corsa
(supplied by Donnelly Brothers)
other exciting prizes including an iPad Mini or
a new TV...**

All funds raised will be divided equally between
the parish and the school Parent's Association.

**Draw will take place at St. Anne's Primary
School Fun Day - Sunday 16th June 2013**

St. Anne's Parish



Very Reverend Feargal McGrady, PP

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Parish Centre: 9061 0112

Parish Website: saintannesparish.net email: office@saintannesparish.net

Third Sunday of Easter Psalter - Week 2 Year C 14th April 2013

First Reading: Acts 5:27-32, 40-41

The apostles preaching and teaching about Jesus has gained them a reputation and their words have spread across all of Jerusalem. Their preaching, which defied an order of the Jewish authorities, brings them unwanted attention.

Responsorial Psalm: Psalm 29

I will praise you, Lord, you have rescued me -

Second Reading: Apocalypse 5:11-14

The Book of Revelation was written to comfort Christians persecuted under Nero. There would be ultimate deliverance. The Lamb who was slain has now been granted sovereignty. He is the Lord of history and controls its unfolding. The reference to all living things in creation crying praise to the Lamb reminds me of the inter-connectedness of humans and all creatures.

Gospel: John 21:1-19

How did the disciples feel that morning when Peter decided he was going to go fishing? Was it an attempt to get back to normality after their years following Jesus around? Was the fishing trip a trip back to their comfort zone? By now, this being the third resurrection appearance, the disciples should know better. This time Jesus invites the disciples to eat with him, a sign that his is a resurrection of the body – death has truly been overcome.

Recently Deceased

Please pray for the happy repose of the souls of:
Sr Josepha O'Sullivan, Sr Brendan O'Donoghue, Joan Currie who died recently
Liam Harrison, George Dunstall, John Dunne, Roseanne Gallagher,
Edward Michael Walsh, Elizabeth Hodgkinson, Susan Teer,
& Maureen Fitzsimons whose anniversaries are at this time, and those whose
names are included in the Book of Remembrance. *May they rest in peace*

St Anne's One World Group

Will hold their Fairtrade & Secondhand Book Stall in the Parish Centre after all Masses next weekend **20th/21st April**. *All the usual Traidcraft Goods, Cards etc* will be available. Please come along and show your support.

Coffee Morning in Aid of Habitat for Humanity

Kate Lundy is part of the team going to Ethiopia with the Global Village Team, she is hosting a Coffee Morning at her home 19 Old Coach Avenue on:

Saturday 20th April from 10am-1pm

Please come along and offer your support, also Cake Sale and Ballot
If you are unable to attend you can make a donation by contacting 90615790 or email: katelundy@btinternet.com

Apostolate of Perpetual Eucharistic Adoration

First Annual Pilgrimage to Knock – Celebrating the Year of Faith

Saturday 20th April 10am-5pm

The Apostolic Nuncio, Archbishop Charles Brown will be the chief celebrant
Email: info@eucharisticadoration.ie

Vocation Vigil

Will take place in St Patrick's Church – Downpatrick

25th April 8pm-10pm

The evening will consist of Music, Prayer and Reflection
Contributions from various youth and other organisations within the Diocese.

Come and ask the Lord of the Harvest to send workers to His Harvest

“Feed My Lambs, tend my sheep”. If you think you may have a vocation to follow the Risen Lord as a priest?

Call Fr. John Murray, Vocations Director on 90913761 or e-mail:
Fr. John to : vocations@frmurray.co.uk

Catholicism Course – Year of Faith 2013

Resumes Friday 12th April 2013 - Parish Centre 7.00 – 9.00 pm

As always everyone welcome. Information at: <http://catholicismseries.com>

Parish Finance

The weekly collection amounted to **£1852.35**

Troaire Lenten Collection £7792.68 to date

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 – ring the parish office **90610112** leave your name and phone number a member of the Group will contact you.

Invitation to Your Parish Assembly, Sunday 21st April, 7.30pm

We extend a warm welcome to all parishioners to our annual Parish Assembly. This is your opportunity to hear something of what the Parish Pastoral Council has been doing over the past year on your behalf, to learn about some of the wonderful activities taking place, and to give you, our family of parishioners, a glimpse into future plans.

You will hear how we have listened to the wishes of parishioners, we will describe activities taking place under the auspices of the Living Church, and in this Year of Faith we are honoured by the presence of our special

Guest Speaker: Auxiliary Bishop Donal Mc Keown.

Bishop Donal makes a welcome visit to our Parish, renewing again some of the links established when some years ago he was one of the Curates working here with the then parish Priest the late Fr. Kelly.

So it's a special occasion when you will be encouraged also to take part in a question and answer session featuring Bishop Donal and members of the Parish Pastoral Council.

I hope you enjoy the evening and perhaps even volunteer to join one of our Parish groups to share with others the talent that each one of us can, with the Grace of God, bring to the Parish.

Could You Spare 2 Hours Per Week?

The Society of St Vincent de Paul are currently seeking new volunteer members in advance of new member training planned for May 2013.

Female, Male, Young and Older, from young adults to those recently retired –
All welcome and much needed!!

As a volunteer member of the society you will make new friends and help to contribute in a practical way to your local parish and community!!

For more information speak to any of the members after Mass,
telephone 028 90351561 or leave your name at the parish office.

Liturgy Team Meeting – Change of Date

Tuesday, **23rd** April at 7.30pm in Parochial House.

Vatican II – 50 Years On

Five talks by Dominican theologians on Key themes of the Vatican Council
St Malachy's Parish Centre, Alfred St. Belfast 7.30 – 9.00pm

Tuesday 16th April: The Church, John Harris OP

Tuesday 23rd April: The Scriptures, Seamus Tuohy OP

Tuesday 30th April: The Liturgy, Terence Crotty OP

Tuesday 7th May: The Church's Law, Joseph Dineen OP

Tuesday 14th May: Moral Theology, Alan O'Sullivan OP