

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.

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

Lend your support to our young people by attending **our Fund-raising Ceili** on **Friday 28th June in St Michael's Parish Centre**. Tickets £5 available at the Living Church Office, Chapel Lane or pay at the door.

All Ireland Rally For Life

Saturday 6th July in Dublin. The Rally will be preceded with the celebration of a Special Mass in St Saviour's Church in Dominick Street at 12.30pm and followed by a Rosary Procession to the Rally assembly point at Parnell Square.
Please make a big effort to attend and make your voice heard.
For further information contact: 028 90278484

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.

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Special Blessing of **Babies and Small Children** on Sunday 23rd June at 3.30pm
Special **Youth Session with Mass on Sunday 23rd June at 8pm**
Guest Speakers from other Christian Churches at all sessions on
Tuesday 25th June.

St. Anne's Parish



Very Reverend Feargal McGrady, PP

St Anne's Parochial House, Tel: 9061 0112

Parish Sister: Sr. Mary Murray. Tel: 9061 0112

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Parish Centre: 9061 0112

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

Twelfth Sunday in Ordinary Time 23rd June Psalter Week 4 - Year C

First Reading: Zechariah 12:10-11, 13:1

Zechariah emphasizes God's abiding love for his people and for the land of Israel. God's love is a mature love that commits him to defend and bless his people if only they will renew their love and commitment to him. Today's passage looks forward to a time when a new spirit will be poured out on the people and they will mourn over the one they put to death.

Responsorial Psalm: Psalm 62

For you my soul is thirsting, O God, my God -

Second Reading: Galatians 3:26-29

For Paul, the purpose of the Law was simply to be the people's guardian until the time when God's promise to send the Messiah was fulfilled and until the people could be justified by faith in the Christ. In today's text Paul teaches that for those who are baptized there must be no more distinctions. Because of Christ all have equal access to the blessings promised to Abraham.

Gospel: Luke 9:18-24

It is a feature of each of the Gospels that Peter's confession of faith in Jesus is always followed by a prediction of the passion. In today's passage from Luke, Peter's confession comes while Jesus is praying alone in the presence of some of his disciples. Peter speaks up confidently and courageously acknowledges Jesus as God's Anointed One.

Recently Deceased

Please pray for the happy repose of the souls of:
Gerry McQuillan & Paul Bell who died recently.
Niall Donovan & Roderick Fitzsimons, Kathleen & Hugh Barnes & Mary Reilly whose anniversaries are at this time, and those whose names are included in the Book of Remembrance. *May they rest in peace.*

Monday 24th June Evening Mass

The time of evening mass on Monday 24th June has been changed and will be at 6.30pm not the usual 7.30pm.

This change is for Monday 24th June only

Bodybuilder's Holiday Bible Club, Dunmurry

It's nearly that time again!

A member of the Bodybuilders Team will speak at all Masses this weekend

For those entering P1 up to those entering 5th Year

Don't miss out!! Come along and join the fun!!

Living Youth –

Help support the young people of our diocese travelling to celebrate World Youth day in Scotland in July by attending our **Fund-raising Ceili on Friday 28th June in St Michael's Parish Centre, Finaghy Road North, Belfast.** Tickets £5 available at Living Youth Office, 16 Chapel Lane, Belfast or pay at the door.

Trocaire - Walk for a Just World - Sunday 28th July

The Slieve Donard Pilgrimage for Trocaire will take place on "Reek Sunday" The traditional day for climbing Ireland's Mountains in pilgrimage, penance and celebration. By taking part you will not only follow in the footsteps of countless Pilgrims of the early Celtic Church, but when you walk for a **Just World**, you will help raise awareness of Trocaire's work and also help raise vital funds.

Full information and registration details available from
onegreatadventure.com/slivedonardpilgrimage or:
www.trocaire.org/pilgrimage

Interested in Volunteering?

The Charity 'Life ni' is looking for volunteers for their new charity shop. If you would like to find out more contact Joanne at 90438339.

Parish Finance

The weekly collection **amounted to £1636.72**

Sincere thanks for your continued generosity

Altar Society: Church Cleaners: Group D this week

Hospital visitors' course

The Hospital visitors' course by the NI Healthcare Chaplains' Association and Edgehill College begins on **Thurs 26th September 2013.** This 10 week course is aimed at lay people interested in hospital visitation, within the local Parish or chaplaincy context, or who already visit hospitals as part of their church responsibilities. Further information and application forms can be obtained from:

Mrs Kay Irvine, College Administrator,

Edgehill Theological College, 9 Lennoxvale, Belfast BT9 5BY.

Email: kirvine@edgehillcollege.org - Tel. 028 9068 6938

Important News from Safeguarding Office!

The Down and Connor Safeguarding Office has requested that all Parish Groups complete a new audit form. This will be useful exercise. It will enable our Parish Safeguarding Committee to work with local groups in the coming months to address any deficits in relation to recruitment, vetting and codes of conduct . We will be forwarding this form to all our group leaders, could you ensure that the completed audit is returned to the Parish Office by 5 July 2013.

If you have any queries in relation to the audit please contact any member of the Parish Safeguarding Committee through the Parish Office.

Thank you for your cooperation in this matter,

Philip O Hara

Congratulations, Congratulations, Congratulations!!

To the lucky winners of our DRAW

1st Prize ... Car..... Siobhan McBriarty

2nd PrizeTV... Eamon & Eileen McLroy

3rd Prize Ipad Mini Martin Devlin

Many thanks to everyone who supported the Draw and we are delighted to report we made a profit of £7,001 which will be shared equally between the parish and St Anne's Primary School

Bereavement Support Group Prayer Circle

Meeting in the top room of the Parish Hall on Tuesday 25th June at 8 pm for 30 mins of prayer for our bereaved of the parish. If you would like to join us please feel free to come along, you will be very welcome.

Parish Matters

Issue 6 of our parish magazine is available this weekend, we invite all families to take a copy and enjoy keeping in touch with everything that has been going on in the parish.

Many thanks to our parishioners who produced the magazine. Well done!

National Grandparents Pilgrimage

Sunday, 8th September

Our Lady of Knock Shrine, Knock, Co Mayo

Anointing of the Sick and Rosary at 2pm

Pilgrimage Mass at 3pm

Special Guest Singer: Dana

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.