Celebrating the Liturgy Confessions:

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

Weekday:

Sacrament: Monday 7.30pm Tues - Sat. 10.00am

Divine Office:

Morning Prayer: Mon. 10.00am (Followed by Rosary) Thurs: 10am (followed by Mass) Saturday after 10.00am Mass 5.30 - 6.15pm

Adoration of the Blessed

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

Marriage: 6 months' notice required Please contact Fr McGrady

Baptism:

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

Welcome into the Church and parish Family

Isobella Marie Quinn, Grace Nancy O'Neill, Ryan Andrew Fitzaimons, Conor Kelly Gribbon, Penelope Mae McGrogan, Ethan O'Neill, Isla Isabella Porter and Clodagh Mairead Sterling who were baptised last weekend.

YEAR OF MERCY SPECIAL PILGRIMAGE TO POLAND

Pilgrimage to Krakow Poland for this Extraordinary Year of Mercy from Sunday 23rd to Thursday 27th October 2016. - Visits include:
The Divine Mercy Sanctuary of St Faustina,- The birthplace of St John Paul II in Wadowice - The shrine to Our Lady Queen of Poland in Czestochowa The St John Paul Centre: "Do not be afraid" - And many other places near and around Krakow- We stay in Matejko Hotel (4 star B&B) in heart of Krakow.
Booking direct through Travellers Secrets Warrenpoint, (Joanne Hardy) tel. 028 4175 3777. For further information and details regarding full programme please contact: Jerome Mullen email: jerome@seafields.co.uk mob 07836 734040 or Fr Mario Jachym email: jachym34@gmail.com mob 07710 233350 *Early booking essential to avail of cheaper flights.*

www.ewtn.com "The Journey Home Programme"

Interesting stories of conversions to the Catholic Faith various other faiths. Interviewer Marcus Grodi, a convert himself.

Parish Finance – The Weekly collection amounted to: £1594.21 Sincere thanks for your continued generosity. Altar Society, Church Cleaners: Group B this week.



St. Anne's Parish

Pastoral Community of Derriaghy & Colin Very Reverend Feargal McGrady, PP St Anne's Parochial House, Tel: 9061 0112

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

Parish office: 9061 0112 Parish Centre: 07745169205 Website: www.saintannesparish.net Parish Centre: 07745169205

> *Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time* 14th August 2016 Year C Psalter 4

First Reading: Jeremiah 38:4-6, 8-10

Jeremiah had prophesied that the Babylonian army would overrun Jerusalem and that all those remaining in the city would be slaughtered while those who left would save themselves. While his words had a disheartening effect he could in no way be accused of nor having 'the welfare of this people at heart'.

Responsorial Psalm 39: Lord, come to my aid! -

Second Reading: Hebrews 12:1-4

The author draws his images from the world of athletics. We are running a race, the finishing line is Jesus, the stadium full of people who live by faith and are cheering us on. We draw the courage to persist by imitating Jesus.

Gospel: Luke 12:49-53

If Jesus came to bring reconciliation, if his message is one of forgiveness, why has it caused such division in the lives of his followers? Why has the good news not been accepted by all? Jesus warns that acceptance by some and rejection by others will cause conflict.

Recently Deceased

Please pray for the happy repose of the souls of: Philomena Bennett, Msgr John James Murphy & Jim McGarry who died recently. Ryan Baker, Fr Colm McGrady, Aidan McConnell, Tom O'Brien, Helena Casey whose anniversaries are at this time and those whose names are in the Book of Remembrance.. Eternal rest grant unto them O Lord and let perpetual light shine upon them. May their souls and the souls of all the faithful departed through the mercy of God rest in peace. Amen.

Readers and Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist



If any parishioner would like to volunteer for either of these Liturgical Ministries they would be most welcome. As yet we have not had any volunteers.

We are now at the middle of August with September rushing towards us. Before the hustle and bustle of

life' routine takes over again *please* take some time to consider if you could help out either as a Reader or an Extraordinary Minister of the Eucharist.

Please leave your name and contact number in the Parish office and Sr Mary or Mrs Kathleen Hill



will get in touch with you.

- September is a good time to begin.

DIOCESAN ONE DAY PILGRIMAGE TO LOUGH DERG Wednesday 24th August 2016



Derriaghy-Colin Pastoral Area: covering the parishes of St Anne's, St Colman's, Queen of Peace, St Luke's, Nativity and Christ the Redeemer, is organising a bus to travel on the DIOCESAN ONE DAY PILGRIMAGE TO LOUGH DERG to mark the Year of Mercy.

The cost is £45stg which covers bus, ferry and a light lunch on the island. The bus will leave from St Anne's church car park at 7am and return at approximately 6.30/7pm. *All bookings must include the full fare*.
You can book & pay through your own parish office or directly at Nativity Parish Office, Poleglass. Only 57 places available book early!

Adoration, Divine Mercy Novena & Mass for Jubilee Year

On Thursday 25th August at 7.30pm in St Anne's, In collaboration with the Church of the Nativity, Poleglass and to honour The Jubilee Year of Mercy. In the presence of the Blessed Sacrament. Sung Novena to the Divine Mercy followed by Mass at 8pm



Suicide Awareness Training:

318 deaths by accident in 2015- the highest number since records began in 1970.
A training day on suicide awareness will be given by Philip McTaggart of Mindskills Training in Tobar Mhuire Retreat House on Saturday 10th September from 10am until 3pm. Cost: £30 per person (incl. tea/coffee and lunch). Early booking essential due to limited places. Contact: <u>secretary@tobarmhuirecrossgar.com</u>. Tel.: 02844830242

The Annual Legion of Mary Pilgrimage to Our Lady of Knock Shrine *Saturday September 24th & Sunday September 25th(Overnight stay)* Some places still available, Contact 02890 226344 or 02890 870319

FAITH & LIFE CONVENTION Our Lady & St Patrick's College Knock.

The diocese will host the 3rd Faith & Life Convention on Saturday 24th September. The Convention is a forum for people from across the diocese, and beyond, to gather together and to take part in a range of conversations about the meaning of faith and its relevance to every area of our lives.

This year the theme will be "Faith in a world in need of Mercy". Our keynote speaker will be Sarah Teather, Director of the Jesuit Refugee Service and former MP and we have a selection of 23 workshops available in the afternoon. A crèche facility will be available for children aged 0-4

and there are free passes for young people aged 16 - 21. Online Booking is now available <u>www.faithandlifeconvention.org</u> and we would encourage you to book early and avail of our early bird rate of £20 (£25 after 15th August) and to select your workshops which are booked on a first come first served basis.

Charity Fundraising Concert Thursday 18th August – Blackbox Belfast To bring children out of dumpsites in Kenya into fulltime boarding schools. Local acts performing, including Kieran McKillop Voice of Ireland finalist. Thur Aug 18th, 8pm-11pm, Tickets £15 (or donations welcome) Blackbox, Belfast. More info at www.blackboxbelfast.com