

Lough Derg One Day Retreats continue on; 5th, 6th, 11th, 12th, 14th, 19th, 21st, 25th, 26th and 27th of May
Why not take some time and space on Lough Derg personally or as a parish group this May? A NEW event for those who serve in lay parish ministry, is our Parish Ministry Day on Saturday 18th May. Booking is essential. Tel: 0(0353)71861518. Email: info@loughderg.org

Beginning Experience - Are you suffering the pain of loss of a partner? Looking for help and understanding? Beginning Experience (a support group for widowed, separated and divorced people) meets every Wednesday evening from 8pm to 10pm in St Bride's Hall, Derryvolgie Ave., Malone Rd., Belfast. All welcome. For details contact Phil Tel: 028 90 207645 or Marie Tel: 078 9611 9669

Cemetery Sunday;

Hannahstown Cemetery Sunday 26th May 2019 at 3pm;
Tullyrusk Cemetery Sunday 2nd June at 2pm;
The Rock Cemetery Sunday 2nd June at 3pm.

Volunteer for Belfast City Centre Collection in aid of Simon Community Friday 10th May 2019

Two hours of your time will make a huge difference in supporting us in our mission to end homelessness for individuals and families right here in Northern Ireland. Contact Amanda Scott, Community Fundraising amandascott@simoncommunity.org, 02890 232882 for information.

Additional dates for ADULT Safeguarding training:

13th May 19 - Ballymacrickett Primary School, Glenavy Parish - 7pm
If you are working with adults who may be vulnerable in St. Anne's Parish and have not attended a training session since September 2017, it is strongly recommended that you try to attend this 90 minute session. Application forms are available in the Safeguarding section of the parish website.

**Down and Connor Diocesan Bi-Annual Pilgrimage To Fatima
Led by The Most Reverend Bishop Noel Treanor DD**

15-22 August 2019, 7 Nights Full Board Hotel Avenida, £715 Includes Taxes and Insurance. Pilgrimage Directors Fr G McCloskey and Fr S Gilmore. Contact Joe Catney - 028 9071 4001 or 077 7642 5631

Bereavement Support Group

Have you suffered the pain of Bereavement? If you wish to talk in confidence - please call the parish office on 90610112 and a member of the Group will contact you.



St. Anne's Parish

Pastoral Community of Derriaghy & Colin

Fr. Peter O'Hare, PP
Rev Patrick McNeill, Deacon
Sr. Mary Murray, Parish Sister

Parish Office: 028 9061 0112

Parish Centre: 07745169205

www.saintannesparish.net Email: stannes@downandconnor.org

3rd Sunday of Easter 5th May 2019



Sunday Eucharist

5pm Vigil & 11am

Masses this week; - Tuesday & Thursday 10am
Wednesday 6.30 pm

Sacrament of Reconciliation: Sat 4.30pm

Adoration: Wed 11am - 9pm (Mass 6.30pm)
& Thurs 10.30am - 9pm,

Morning Prayer: Mon & Thurs 10am

Lectio has resumed

in the Parish Centre each Wednesday at 10am and 7.30 pm

The Parish Office will be closed

Bank Holiday Monday 6th May 2019

6th May St Anne's Parish 'Day of Continuous Prayer for Marriage and Family Life - Details on parish website.

Your Giving: Weekly collection; £2207.84
Church Renovation Fund £695.45, Trócaire; £8211.73

Thank you

2nd collection this week; Monthly Offering for priests

"This is the Lord's doing: and it is wonderful in our eyes." Psalms 118:23. Trócaire thanks all parishioners and clergy for their support of this year's Lenten campaign.

TROCAIRE
Working for a Just World

Altar Society: Team D this week.

Weekly Envelopes 2019/2020 - Your new box of envelopes are set out in order of surnames in the porch of the church. If you have not had a box before, and would like to use one, please leave your details on the sheet provided in the porch.

Responsorial Psalm Psalm : 29 (30)

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

We Remember Them

Dominic Doherty who died recently.

Month's mind: Margaret McCreight

Anniversaries: Paul & Edward Quinn, Una Brennan & Ada Lunny and Madeline Lombard.

BELOVED DISCIPLES, "Spirituality for the Autumn of Life"

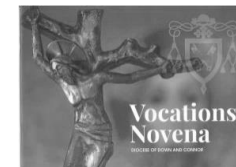
An inspiring 4-week DVD course facilitated by Deacon Pat McNeill. The 4th and final session will commence immediately after morning Mass on Thursday 16th May in the Upper Room of the Parish Centre. All welcome.

Living Church - Children's Liturgy Development Day

The Living Church will host its third and final 2018/19 Development Day for Leaders of Children's Liturgy of the Word on Saturday 11th May from 9.30am-3.30pm in the Living Church Offices at 120, Cliftonville Road, Belfast BT14 6LA. DCU Assistant Prof. of Religious Education, Cora O' Farrell, will be our guest speaker. Cora is an expert in Children's Spirituality and she has a passion for Montessori inspired forms of Religious Education and has undertaken training in both Catechesis of the Good Shepherd (levels 1 and 2) and Godly Play. She will be sharing some of her insights with us, helping to inspire, support and nourish all those involved in this valuable ministry within our Diocese. Attendance at the day is free and lunch will be provided but it is necessary to register as spaces are limited. Contact Caren by email: c.collins@downandconnor.org; or tele: 028 90 690 920 to register.

Vocations Novena

As we approach Good Shepherd Sunday, also known as Vocations Sunday, a reminder to continue the vocations novena. *Our hope is that this novena will enable us to grow in our experience of God's love and encourage all of us to be attentive to his plan for our lives.* May this novena prayerfully nurture vocations to the priesthood in every parish and pastoral community within our diocese.



Traidcraft and Second-hand Bookstall - In the Parish Centre after masses next weekend – We value your continued support.

The Natural Family Teachers Association of Ireland are holding a one-day introductory course on Natural Family Planning – Symptothermal Double Check Method; Saturday 18th May, 9.30 am – 4.30 pm, in Corrs Corner Hotel, Glengormley, Co. Antrim. For more details contact: deirdregleeson@medwise.ie or bcunningham29@hotmail.com

Two Faith-Development Programmes in the Derriaghly Colin Pastoral Community

The Living Church Office will be hosting two Faith-Development Programmes in our Pastoral Community in the post Easter period. **NUA will be run over 6 weeks.** It is a course for anyone who is interested in learning more and asking tough questions about the Christian faith. NUA is all about exploration: it's a film series that encourages questions, acknowledges doubt, and offers an engaging perspective on the Christian faith. There will be ample time to engage in group discussion and tea, coffee and biscuits will be provided. The course will begin in St. Anne's Parish Centre on Wednesday 8th May at 7pm and each Wednesday thereafter concluding on the 12th June.

Catholicism is a 6-week course for anyone interested in learning more about the Catholic faith and the richness and beauty, art and culture contained within our tradition. Journey around the world with Bishop Robert Barron who leads us on a journey through the treasures of our faith in high-definition cinematography. There will be time for discussion and refreshments will be provided. The course begins on Friday 10th May at 10.30 in Derriaghly Parish Centre and each Friday at the same time thereafter, concluding on 14th June. Everyone from any parish in the Pastoral Community and beyond is welcome to



attend. For more information, contact Caren at c.collins@downandconnor.org