



Pastoral Community of Derriaghy & Colin

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Palm Sunday of the Passion



<u>This Week in St. Anne's</u>

<u>Sunday Mass</u>: 5pm Vigil & 11am

Masses this week: Tues & Wed at 10am

Confessions: Mon 7pm and before masses.

* See below for Holy week services! *

Parish Office: Open Mon to Thurs 9am to 1pm **Parish WhatsApp Group** – Keep up to date with what is happening in our parish community. Text your name and number to 07714691281 to be added to our WhatsApp group.

Your Giving This w/end - Weekly Offering & Monthly Offering

Why not set up a **Standing Order. You can download the** forms from our website...or Donate Online to St. Anne's Parish A/C No. 07707787 Sort Code 93 83 00

Last W/ends Collection:

Weekly Offering: £2916.80 Loose £167.75 Renovation Fund: £455.10

A **"Digital Collection Plate"** for those who wish to donate using Credit or Debit Cards is now available. It is located in the main porch of the church. It is "contactless", and you can also Gift Aid your donation. It's so simple!

Lent in St. Anne's

Tuesday 4th April at 7.30pm in the Parish Centre



Fr. Peter in conversation ...?

We Remember Them Recently Deceased: Geraldine McKee. Anniversary: Margaret Reilly.

Holy Week in St. Anne's

Mass: Tues & Wed at 10am

Confessions: Monday at 7pm

Mass of Chrism: Wednesday 5th April at 12 noon St. Peter's Cathedral

The Easter Triduum in St. Anne's

Holy Thursday: Mass of the Lord's Supper 7.30pm Night Prayer at the Altar of Repose 10pm

Good Friday: Stations of the Cross at 12 noon <u>Celebration of the Passion</u> 3pm (Collection for Catholics of the Holy Land)

Holy Saturday: Easter Vigil 9pm

Foodbank

The Foodbank Team would like to thank you for your continued generosity. The collection boxes will be outside the church from 10am to 4pm each day.

The Liturgy of the Word

FIRST READING

A reading from the book of the Prophet Isaiah 50:4-7

The Lord has given me a disciple's tongue. So that I may know how to reply to the wearied he provides me with speech.



Each morning he wakes me to hear, to listen like a disciple. The Lord has opened my ear. For my part, I made no resistance, neither did I turn away. I offered my back to those

who struck me. my cheeks to those who tore at my beard;

I did not cover my

face against insult and spittle.

The Lord comes to my help, so that I am untouched by the insults. So, too, I set my face like flint; I know I shall not be shamed.

Responsorial Psalm Ps 21

Response: My God, my God, why have you forsaken me?

1. All who see me deride me. They curl their lips, they toss their heads. 'He trusted in the Lord. let him save him: let him release him if this is his friend."

Response

- 2. Many dogs have surrounded me, a band of the wicked beset me. They tear holes in my hands and my feet. I can count every one of my bones. *Response*
- 3. They divide my clothing among them. They cast lots for my robe.
 O Lord, do not leave me alone, my strength, make haste to help me!

Response

4. I will tell of your name to my brethren and praise you where they are assembled.
'You who fear the Lord give him praise; all sons of Jacob, give him glory. Revere him, Israel's sons.'

SECOND READING

A reading from the first letter of St Paul to Philippians 2:6-11



His state was divine, yet he did not cling to his equality with God but emptied himself to assume the condition of a slave, and became as men are; and being as all men are, he was humbler yet, even to accepting death, death on a cross. But God raised him high and gave him the name

which is above all other names so that all beings

in the heavens, on earth and in the underworld,

should bend the knee at the name of Jesus and that every tongue should acclaim

Jesus Christ as Lord, to the glory of God the Father.

Gospel Acclamation Phil 2: 8-9

Praise to you, O Christ, King of eternal glory! Christ was humbler yet, even to accepting death, death on a cross. But God raised him high. and gave him the name which is above all names. Praise to you, O Christ, King of eternal glory!

THE PASSION OF OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST according to Matthew (26:14-27:66)



"Follow Christ loving as he loved you, giving himself up in our place as a fragrant offering."

- Eph 5:2

DIOCESAN VOCATION RETREAT

Sometimes, to hear Christ's fragrant offering, it takes all of your senses.

Come join us as we'll help you discern and cultivate the seed of God's love in you.

21-23 April 2023 @ Drumalis Retreat House, Larne

Diocese of Armagh, Clogher, Derry, Dromore, Down & Connor, Kilmore and Raphoe

Directed by Fr Stephen Langridge



WILL YOU LEND US A HAND?

The Down & Connor Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes is seeking volunteer registered nurses for our pilgrimage from 12th to 17th July 2023.



Working with other volunteer doctors and nurses in a specially designed care setting, you will be part of a very special and faith filled community.

For more information, please email your contact details to

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DOWN AND CONNOR DIOCESAN PILGRIMAGE 2023 6 Nights (11-17 July) 5 Nights (12-17 July) Youth Team (11-17 July)

> For more information contact the Pilgrimage Office lourdes@downandconnor.org (028) 9077 0162 or visit www.downandconnor.org/lourdes

LOURDES YOUTH TEAM 2023

Cost Includes: Fares per person sharing. Inclusive of return flights, transports, full-board accommodation, insurance.

Applications open now! To all aged 17 - 24 yrs old from July 2023 to join the Down & Connor Youth Team.





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Limited Spaces!

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Price Only

11th - 17th July 2023