

# HOLY FAMILY PARISH

## North Belfast Pastoral Community

27 May 2018

Trinity Sunday

Readings: B

Psalter: Week 4



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### PARISH MASS TIMES & ADORATION

#### Holy Family Church

M-F 9.15am, Sat Vigil: 6.30pm, Sun 10am & 12noon

Confessions: Sat 5.45pm – 6.15pm

Adoration: Mon 10am – 4pm

#### St Thérèse Church

Mon-Sat: 10am, Sat Vigil: 6pm, Sun 10.30 & 12

Confessions: Sat 5.15pm – 5.45pm

Perpetual Adoration: Sun 1pm – Sat 5.45pm

(Eucharistic Adoration urgently requires people in

St Therese Church between Midnight and 6am).

Tridentine Mass in St Thérèse, Sundays at 4pm.

Divine Mercy in Holy Family, Fridays at 3pm.

### REST IN PEACE

Recently deceased: Fr Harry Carlin, Rosena O'Neill & Evelyn Christian

Month's Mind: Paul Caughey & Margaret Hughes

Anniversaries: James McArdle, Isaac Blackham, Sarah O'Kane, Sarah O'Kane, Fr Danny Cannon SMA, Hugh McManus, Chantal McKeown, Austin McCusker, Sally Duffy, David McCombe (60<sup>th</sup>), Frank Donaldson, Josephine Jones, Gerald McGovern, Jean McNellis, Ron Lewis, Tommy McLaughlin, John & Frances Scott and Rose & Hugh Dowd.

### PARISH OFFICE

..will remain open on Bank Holiday Monday, 28<sup>th</sup> May.

### COLLECTIONS

The weekly collection for Sun 2<sup>th</sup> May was £3275.94.

Your generosity is much appreciated.

### FIRST FRIDAY

Friday 01 June is First Friday. Please contact the Parish Office if you would like to arrange a visit.

### 100 CLUB BUILDING FUND

#### WEEK 3

£200 – D Cullinan, c/o Newington Avenue & Ciaran O'Neill, Fortwilliam Drive

£100 – J Moreland, Willowbank Gardens & Mrs Higgins, Fortwilliam Drive

Promoter's Prize – Anne Cromie

Promoters needed please for Rosemount Gardens & Dunmore areas.

Can JT Connolly & J McConnell please contact the Parish Office?

### EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION TEMPORARY HELP NEEDED

Needed for Wed 9pm-10pm, for 3-4 months & Wed 6pm-7pm, for 8 weeks. Please contact the Parish Office.

### SUMMER HOLIDAY COVER REQUIRED

If you feel you could help by occasionally covering an hour per week, please leave your name, phone number and preferred time of availability (morning, afternoon, evening, night) with the Parish Office.

### MASSES IN THE COMING WEEK HOLY FAMILY

Mon 28<sup>th</sup> (9.15am) Josephine Jones

Wed 30<sup>th</sup> (9.15am) Paul Caughey MM

Thurs 31<sup>st</sup> (9.15am) Jean McNellis

Fri 01<sup>st</sup> June (9.15am) Gerald McGovern

Sat 02<sup>nd</sup> (6.30pm) John Shortt

Sun 03<sup>rd</sup> (10am) Frances Mulligan

Sun 03<sup>rd</sup> (12 noon) Rita & Tommy Hill

#### ST THÉRÈSE

Mon 28<sup>th</sup> (10am) Tommy McLaughlin

Tues 29<sup>th</sup> (10am) John & Frances Scott

Fri 01 June (10am) Rose & Hugh Dowd

Sat 02<sup>nd</sup> (6pm) Mary Johnston

Sun 03<sup>rd</sup> (10.30am) Michael & Delia Gilfedder

Sun 03<sup>rd</sup> (12 noon) Charles Gallagher

### BLESSED TRINITY COLLEGE

... is nearing the end of its first year and today, Trinity Sunday, representatives from the school will attend noon Mass in St Thérèse. We congratulate Blessed Trinity on a successful first year and wish them God's blessing, and continued success, in the years ahead.

### ICE CREAM SUNDAY – 03<sup>rd</sup> JUNE

Yummy ice cream treats after 10am & 12 noon Mass in Holy Family Church next Sunday. We invite this year's First Communicants to attend either of these Masses wearing their First Holy Communion outfits.

### DEVELOPING WORLD GROUP

We have had to postpone our fundraising event that was to be held this weekend, due to unforeseen circumstances.

### CAPELLA CAECILIANA – LOVE DIVINE

The inspiring music of Capella Caeciliana at St Therese Church on Sat 02<sup>nd</sup> June at 8pm. Tickets £10 (under 25s free) at the Parish Office/Matchetts or www.caeciliana.org.

### WORLD MEETING OF FAMILIES 2018

### FIRST SATURDAY DEVOTIONS

Will start in Holy Family Church next Saturday 02 June. 3pm Exposition, Rosary, Confessions and Act of Consecration, with Mass at 4pm (this is not a Vigil Mass). All welcome.

### DIOCESAN ANNUAL PILGRIMAGE TO KNOCK

The Down and Connor Annual Pilgrimage to Knock, led by Bishop Treanor, will take place on Sunday 10<sup>th</sup> June 2018. We encourage Parishioners who usually visit Knock annually, as a family or individuals., to consider making their visit on this day. Due to the World Meeting of Families, many Parishes who usually organize a Parish trip to Knock for the Diocesan Pilgrimage are focusing their energies and resources on Parish trips to WMOF and the Papal Visit.

### ORDINATION TO THE PRIESTHOOD – 17 JUNE

.. of Deacon Tony McAleese, St Vincent de Paul Parish, and indeed our Pastoral Community. Vocation Triduum 8<sup>th</sup> June - 10<sup>th</sup> June in which, as a pastoral community, we could participate in a time of prayer, in support of vocations, and in particular Deacon Tony. Further details next weekend.

### CLONARD SOLEMN NOVENA TO OUR LADY OF PERPETUAL HELP, BELFAST: 13<sup>TH</sup> – 21<sup>ST</sup> JUNE

Applications to volunteer as Eucharistic Ministers, stewards, car park attendants, & cleaners available from Clonard reception. 9044 5950 or reception@clonard.com and return by 01 June.

### MEDJUGORJE IRISH CENTRE PILGRIMAGES:

From €279 pp. 00353 1443 4510 or 020 3239 8662

Email reservations@med-irishcentre.com

### BEGINNING EXPERIENCE

This support group for widowed, separated and divorced people meets Wednesdays, 8pm - 10pm in St Bride's Hall, Derryvolgie. Contact Phil: 90207645 or Marie: 07896119669

### MARION JORDAN CONCERT

To promote her new album, "The Prayer", in Saint Malachy's Church, Alfred Street on Fri 1 June @ 7.30pm. £12, visit www.marionjordan.com.

### TOBAR MHUIRE SUMMER INSTITUTE

21 - 22 June. The theme speaks of the urgency of adult faith development £30 per day day. Evening meal and B&B available. 448302342 or www.tobarmhuirecrossgar.com

### BETHANY BEREAVEMENT SUPPORT

Bethany seeks to help those in our Parish who are bereaved and grieving. If you are interested in this special ministry, contact the Parish Office or Claire Dowds 07557882183, email: bethanybereavementni@gmail.com A full 10 week training course is offered and the next one starts September 2018.

### MUSIC FOR A SUMMER EVENING

With Cavehill Community Choir and Belfast Ukulele Jam. Friday 08<sup>th</sup> June at 7.30pm in Girdwood Community Hub. Admission free. Retiring collection in aid of Samaritans.

### CHILDMINDER NEEDED

...for 2 full days a week, to start the end of August. Includes school pick-ups. Contact Siobhan on 07969510320.

### COUNTDOWN IS ON: 84 DAYS TO GO



### FAMILY PRAYER SERVICE – SUNDAY 03 JUNE

On 3<sup>rd</sup> June, the Feast of Corpus Christi, we celebrate the theme of family as the Body of Christ. New and current Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist will be commissioned at this service, rather than at the Sunday Masses. This year's Parish First Communicants are especially welcome, with some of the children reading the prayers of the faithful.

### EXAM TIME

The Parish family would like to assure everyone taking exams of prayerful support at this time. Every student who participated in the 'Prayer Partner' initiative has the comfort of knowing that they were chosen by another parishioner to support them through prayer for the duration of the examination period. Sincere thanks to the 'Prayer Partners' for their support and generosity to the students. We remind our students that if they are stressed and anxious, they should not struggle alone, but be aware that there is help and support readily available ~ good luck!

### WORLD MEETING OF FAMILIES ~ PRAYER

God, our Father, we are brothers and sisters in Jesus your Son, one family, in the Spirit of your love. Bless us with the joy of love. Make us patient and kind, gentle and generous, welcoming to those in need. Help us to live your forgiveness and peace. Protect all families with your loving care, especially those for whom we now pray: [We pause and remember family members and others by name...] Increase our faith, strengthen our hope, keep us safe in your love, make us always grateful for the gift of life that we share. This we ask, through Christ our Lord. Amen.

Mary, mother and guide, pray for us.

Saint Joseph, father and protector, pray for us.

Saints Joachim and Anne, pray for us.

Saints Louis and Zélie Martin, pray for us.

### CHILDREN'S CORNER

The Pope goes to New York and is picked up at the airport by a limousine. He looks at the beautiful car and says to the driver, "You know, I hardly ever get to drive. Would you please let me?" The driver is hesitant and says, "I'm sorry, but I don't think I'm supposed to do that." But the Pope persists and the driver finally gives in. "Oh, all right, I can't really say no to the Pope." So the Pope takes the wheel, and is a real speed demon, so it's not long before he's pulled over by a policeman! The policeman walks up and asks the Pope to roll down the window. Startled and surprised, the young officer (PC) asks the Pope to wait a minute. He goes back to his police car and radios his boss. PC: Chief, I have a problem. Chief: What sort of problem? PC: Well, you see, I pulled over this guy for driving way over the speed limit but it's someone really important. Chief: Important like the Parish Priest? PC: No, no, much more important than that. Chief: Important like the Bishop? PC: Wayyyyyy more important than that. Chief: Like the Archbishop? PC: Even more important. Chief: Who's more important than the Archbishop? PC: I don't know, but whoever it is, he's got the Pope driving for him!!!