

SEPTEMBER 2016

	<p>Perpetual Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament (for the sanctification of Priests and for vocations to the Priesthood and to the Religious Life) St Therese Church – continuously from Sunday 1pm to Saturday 6pm Holy Family Church – Mondays 10am – 4pm</p>
Thu 1st	
Fri 2nd	First Fridays visits to housebound parishioners
Sat 3rd	St. Gregory the Great, Pope and Doctor of the Church
Sun 4th	<p>Twenty-third Sunday in Ordinary Time Solemnity of St. MacNissi</p> <p>Cemetery Sunday in Carnmoney Cemetery. Mass will be celebrated in St Bernard's Church at 2.30pm followed by Blessing of Graves.</p>
Mon 5th	Parish Building Fund Draw – Week 18
Tue 6th	Adult Irish Dancing (solo & ceili) in the Parish Centre at 8.30pm
Wed 7th	Drop-in Coffee Morning in the Gate Lodge, 9.15am – 12 noon. Everyone welcome
Thu 8th	<p>The Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary Indoor Bowls resumes at 7pm in the Parish Centre</p>
Fri 9th	St. Ciaran, Abbot
Sat 10th	Holy Family St. Vincent de Paul Conference - Pilgrimage to Knock
Sun 11th	<p>Twenty-fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time</p> <p>Holy Family St. Vincent de Paul Conference - Pilgrimage to Knock</p>
Mon 12th	<p>The Holy Name of Mary St. Ailbe, Bishop</p> <p>Meeting of the Liturgy Committee at 7pm in Holy Family Presbytery</p> <p>Catholic Guides of Ireland: Rangers [aged 14+] 7 – 9pm in Holy Family Youth Centre Guides [aged 11 – 14] 7 – 9pm in Holy Family Youth Centre</p> <p>Parish Building Fund Draw – Week 19</p>
Tue 13th	<p>St. John Chrysostom, Bishop and Doctor of the Church</p> <p>Catholic Guides of Ireland: Brigini [aged 6 – 10] 7 – 8.30pm in Holy Family Youth Centre</p>
Wed 14th	<p>The Exaltation of the Holy Cross</p> <p>Drop-in Coffee Morning in the Gate Lodge, 9.15am – 12 noon. Everyone welcome</p> <p>Catholic Guides of Ireland: Cygnets [aged 5 – 6] 7 – 8pm in Holy Family Youth Centre</p>
Thu 15th	Our Lady of Sorrows
Fri 16th	<p>Ss. Cornelius, Pope and Cyprian, Bishop, Martyrs</p> <p>Pastoral Council – time of reflection, review and planning in Drumalis Retreat and Conference Centre</p>
Sat 17th	St. Robert Bellarmine, Bishop and Doctor of the Church

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Sun 18th	Twenty-fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time
Mon 19th	<p>St. Januarius, Bishop and Martyr</p> <p>Meeting of the members of the North Belfast Pastoral Community Team at 7.30pm in St. Patrick's Presbytery</p> <p>Catholic Guides of Ireland: Guides [aged 11 – 14] 7 – 9pm in Holy Family Youth Centre</p> <p>Parish Building Fund Draw – Week 20</p>
Tue 20th	<p>Ss. Andrew Kim Tae-gon, Priest, Paul Chong Ha-sang, and Companions, Martyrs [St. Andrew Kim Tae-gon, the first Korean Priest, Paul Chong Ha-sang, a catechist, and one hundred and one others were martyred during the persecutions of the Church in Korea, 1839 – 1867]</p> <p>Catholic Guides of Ireland: Brigini [aged 6 – 10] 7 – 8.30pm in Holy Family Youth Centre</p>
Wed 21st	<p>St. Matthew, Apostle and Evangelist</p> <p>Drop-in Coffee Morning in the Gate Lodge, 9.15am – 12 noon. Everyone welcome</p> <p>Catholic Guides of Ireland: Cygnetts [aged 5 – 6] 7 – 8pm in Holy Family Youth Centre</p>
Thu 22nd	
Fri 23rd	<p>St. Pius of Pietrelcina [Padre Pio] died on 23rd September 1968. He was a Capuchin friar, stigmatist, confessor and friend of all who suffer.</p> <p>St. Eunan [Adomnan] was born in Donegal around 624 and died in 704. He became a monk in Iona and was chosen Abbot there in 679. One of his writings is the Life of Colum Cille.</p> <p>Taize Prayer Around the Cross at 8pm in Holy Family Church. Refreshments served afterwards. Everyone very welcome.</p>
Sat 24th	Diocesan Faith and Life Convention in Our Lady and St. Patrick's College, Knock. 10am – 5pm. Keynote speaker – Sarah Teather, Jesuit Refugee Service.
Sun 25th	Twenty-sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time
Mon 26th	<p>Ss Cosmos and Damian, Martyrs</p> <p>Catholic Guides of Ireland: Rangers [aged 14+] 7 – 9pm in Holy Family Youth Centre Guides [aged 11 – 14] 7 – 9pm in Holy Family Youth Centre</p> <p>Parish Building Fund Draw – Week 21</p>
Tues 27th	<p>St. Vincent de Paul, Priest. 1580 -1660. He was committed to the care of the disadvantaged and oppressed and founded the Congregation of the Mission [Vincentians] and the Daughters of Charity, 1633, the first sisters to work outside their convents in active service. He is the patron of all charitable works.</p> <p>Catholic Guides of Ireland:</p>

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Wed 28th	<p>St. Wenceslaus, Martyr St. Lawrence Ruiz and Companions, Martyrs</p> <p>Drop-in Coffee Morning in the Gate Lodge, 9.15am – 12 noon. Everyone welcome</p> <p>Catholic Guides of Ireland: Cygnets [aged 5 – 6] 7 – 8pm in Holy Family Youth Centre</p>
Thu 29th	<p>Ss Michael, Gabriel and Raphael, Archangels</p> <p>Michael has been venerated as the protector of Christians in general and soldiers in particular. Patron of radiologists, the sick and paratroopers</p> <p>Gabriel brought the message to Mary at the Annunciation. Patron of telecommunications, radio and TV workers</p> <p>Raphael, guide to Tobias. Patron of nurses, physicians and blind people</p>
Fri 30th	St. Jerome, Priest and Doctor of the Church. Patron of Librarians