

ST COLMCILLE'S CHURCH, HOLYWOOD PARISH

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Sunday Mass

Saturday vigil at 6.30pm

Sunday at 10.00am and 12noon

Weekday Mass

Monday and Tuesday at 9.30am

Wednesday and Thursday – Eucharistic Service with Morning Prayer

Friday at 7.00pm

Tuesday 9.30am - St Anthony's Novena during Mass

Friday at 7.00pm - Novena to Our Lady of Perpetual Succour

Eucharistic Adoration

Every Saturday 10.00am – 5.00pm

Before weekday Mass for ½ hour for the following intentions:

Monday for Peace, Tuesday for Families,

Wednesday for the Youth & Vocations,

Thursday for all the Marginalised, the Poor and Needy

Friday for those who are ill or sick.

Confessions: Available before each Mass or by appointment.

Baptisms: By appointment. At least 3 wks notice to be given.

Marriage: By appointment



Children's Liturgy
continues on **Sunday**
28th June at
10am Mass P1-P7

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**The Folk Group are selling a music CD** and it will be available for **£5** after 10am Mass **this weekend** before they break for the summer. It is hoped to raise funds for new equipment. Thank you all for your support over the years.

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DOWN AND CONNOR E-NEWSLETTER, SIGN UP TODAY !! Get all the latest news by sending an email to: events@downandconnor.org
The E-Newsletter aims to give an update on news and events in the Diocese. Parishioners can also follow the Diocese on Facebook & Twitter.

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**PRAYERS FOR HOLYWOOD**, Monday 29 June 2015 at 8.00pm in Holywood Baptist Church. All parishioners welcome.

**Archbishop Eamon Martin** invites you to join him at his formal investiture with the *pallium* in St Patrick's Cathedral Armagh, Mass on **Saturday 4<sup>th</sup> July 2015** at 7.00 p.m.

Pope Francis will bless and present the *pallium* to Archbishop Eamon privately after concelebrated Mass in St Peter's Basilica, Rome on the Feast of St Peter and St Paul, 29<sup>th</sup> June. Archbishop Eamon will return to Armagh for the formal investiture by Archbishop Charles Brown, Apostolic Nuncio to Ireland in the presence of bishops and representatives from the nine dioceses in the ecclesiastical province of Armagh, including our own. The *pallium* is a white woolen strip, worn around the Archbishop's neck, which symbolises the bond between an archbishop and the Pope. The wearing of the *pallium* dates back to the fourth century. It predates the miter and the crozier as episcopal symbols.

**THE WEEKEND** of "**Songs of Praise**" has arrived and the details are as follows:

John Anderson (affiliated with the BBC) will be directing the choirs and congregation. The recording will take place on

**Sunday 28<sup>th</sup> June in the Church - Recording Times: 2.30-5.30pm & 6.30-9.30pm**

(break at 5.30pm for 1hr with tea/coffee and sandwiches served in Saint Patrick's Hall for everyone)

**For seating purposes please arrive by 2.15pm at the latest.**

We are looking forward to welcoming everyone and hope you all will have a memorable afternoon.

More info re the showing of the programme on TV will follow once we have the details.

## **Bethany Bereavement Support Group**

Bethany Bereavement Support Group is a parish based group ministry which aims to help those bereaved and grieving. Support is offered on an individual basis in the home, to groups in drop-in centres, by phone calls, by helping at funeral liturgies and remembrance services. For more information or to register interest in the next training session which begins in September, please contact Claire Dowds, Good Shepherd Centre, 511 Ormeau Road, Belfast BT7 3GS.

☎ 07557882183, Email: bethanybereavementni@gmail.com

There will be **2** further bulletin notices during July and August on the following dates: 4<sup>th</sup> /5<sup>th</sup> July and 1<sup>st</sup> /2<sup>nd</sup> August. All notices still need to be in the parish office by the preceding Wednesday.

**Traditional Irish Workshop** for all traditional instruments and all levels, under 18 only. **1-3<sup>rd</sup> July** at St Columbanus College, Bangor – 10am-1pm. For more information contact Niall McClean on 07960 072218.

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13<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time

28<sup>th</sup> JUNE 2015

## Lough Derg Pilgrimage Season

*Advance booking is essential.* The Three Day Pilgrimage season begins on Friday 29<sup>th</sup> May. You can begin the Three Day Pilgrimage any day between 29<sup>th</sup> May and 13<sup>th</sup> August. Pre-booking not required. Contact Lough Derg 00 353 71 9861518 or email. [info@loughderg.org](mailto:info@loughderg.org)

**Are you suffering the pain of loss?** Looking for help and understanding? Beginning Experience (a support group for widowed, separated and divorced people) meets every Wednesday from 8pm to 10pm in St Bride's Hall, 38, Derryvolgie Avenue, Malone Rd, Belfast. **Support group every Wednesday Residential Weekend:** Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> – Sunday 25<sup>th</sup> October 2015 in Drumalis Retreat and Conference Centre, Larne. Application forms available on request. For further information please contact Phil Tel: 028 90 207645 or Marie Tel: 07542070835

**GALA CONCERT, St Patrick's Church, 199 Donegall St, BT1 2FL  
Saturday 4<sup>th</sup> July at 8.15pm.** See poster in Porch for more information.

**Diocese of Dromore - Pilgrimage to the Holy Land,** Wednesday 21st October 2015 - Thursday 29th October 2015  
Under the leadership of Bishop John McAreavey, Cost: £1,245 per person sharing. (Single supplement £52 per night)  
For booking forms and more information contact. Diocesan Office (028 30262444)

**Tobar Mhuire Annual Summer Institute:** Programmes as follows, for costing contact directly.

1. **Radical Hopefulness** – from 1<sup>st</sup> – 3<sup>rd</sup> July, with the main Speakers being Rev Robin Ryan CP (Catholic Theological Union, Chicago) and Rev Ruth Patterson (Restoration Ministries, Belfast); 2. **Your Journey with Focusing** – from 24<sup>th</sup> – 26<sup>th</sup> July, Residential or Non-Residential, facilitated by Rev Pat Duffy CP (Certifying Focusing Co-ordinator with the Focusing Institute, New York) and Margaret Webb (Focusing Professional/Trainer with the Focusing Institute, New York). Contact Tobar Mhuire T: 0284483044 Email: [secretary@tobarmhuirecrossgar.com](mailto:secretary@tobarmhuirecrossgar.com)

**Diploma in Pastoral Theology** - Do you want to study and reflect on Christian life and ministry and the way ordained and lay ministry complement each other? Would you like to combine a comprehensive study programme with the acquisition of new skills and supervised practical experience of ministry? Are you willing to listen and to share the journey with others? If your answers are "yes", perhaps the Diploma in Pastoral Theology is for you. *Coursework is appraised on a continuous assessment basis. There are no exams. The course is worth 60 ECTS points (European Credit Transfer and Accumulation System).* For more information please contact Maura Burns at 028 28276455 or [www.drumalis.co.uk](http://www.drumalis.co.uk)

## Encyclical Letter **Laudato Si'** of The Holy Father **Francis on** - Care For Our Common Home

*Nothing in this world is indifferent to us*

3. More than fifty years ago, with the world teetering on the brink of nuclear crisis, Pope Saint John XXIII wrote an Encyclical which not only rejected war but offered a proposal for peace. He addressed his message *Pacem in Terris* to the entire "Catholic world" and indeed "to all men and women of good will". Now, faced as we are with global environmental deterioration, I wish to address every person living on this planet. In my Apostolic Exhortation *Evangelii Gaudium*, I wrote to all the members of the Church with the aim of encouraging ongoing missionary renewal. In this Encyclical, I would like to enter into dialogue with all people about our common home.

*My appeal*

13. The urgent challenge to protect our common home includes a concern to bring the whole human family together to seek a sustainable and integral development, for we know that things can change. The Creator does not abandon us; he never forsakes his loving plan or repents of having created us. Humanity still has the ability to work together in building our common home. Here I want to recognize, encourage and thank all those striving in countless ways to guarantee the protection of the home which we share. Particular appreciation is owed to those who tirelessly seek to resolve the tragic effects of environmental degradation on the lives of the world's poorest. Young people demand change. They wonder how anyone can claim to be building a better future without thinking of the environmental crisis and the sufferings of the excluded.

14. I urgently appeal, then, for a new dialogue about how we are shaping the future of our planet. We need a conversation which includes everyone, since the environmental challenge we are undergoing, and its human roots, concern and affect us all. The worldwide ecological movement has already made considerable progress and led to the establishment of numerous organizations committed to raising awareness of these challenges. Regrettably, many efforts to seek concrete solutions to the environmental crisis have proved ineffective, not only because of powerful opposition but also because of a more general lack of interest. Obstructionist attitudes, even on the part of believers, can range from denial of the problem to indifference, nonchalant resignation or blind confidence in technical solutions. We require a new and universal solidarity. As the bishops of Southern Africa have stated: "Everyone's talents and involvement are needed to redress the damage caused by human abuse of God's creation". [22] All of us can cooperate as instruments of God for the care of creation, each according to his or her own culture, experience, involvements and talents.

*(in part ...for the full document go to website [www.vatican.va/](http://www.vatican.va/))*