

ST COLMCILLE'S CHURCH, HOLYWOOD PARISH

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Recently Deceased: Mary Nixon, Sr Marie Duddy, Sr Frances Forde, Catherine Daly

Anniversaries: Jim Birch, Resa Brady, May Sweeney, Theresa Crockford, Frances O'Reilly, James Kelly, Arthur Kelly, May Sweeney, Hugh & Mary Kelly, Harry Marshall, Ann McMinn, Mary & Frank Magee, Terry Magee, Andrew Mason, James & John McCartan, Camillus McEntee, Rose Bowen, Ernest Bowen, James Bowen, Kathleen Brennan, Vincent McBrinn, Harry & Maura Tully.

NEW MASSES TIMES AND CONFESSION TIMES

Sunday Mass

Saturday vigil at 6.30pm Sunday at 10.00am and 12noon

Weekday Mass

Monday - Thursday at 9.30am

Tuesday 9.30am - St Anthony's Novena during Mass

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

Eucharistic Adoration

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.

Every Saturday 10.30am – 6.30pm

Confessions

Available before each Mass or by appointment

Baptisms: 1st Sunday of the Month at least 3 weeks notice to be given

Marriage: 6 months notice required

ALL NOTICES AND ANNIVERSARIES NEED TO BE HANDED INTO THE PARISH OFFICE BY WEDNESDAY AT 2PM

Fr Stephen has already met with Parish Pastoral Council and will be meeting the Parish Finance Committee this week coming. He very much looks forward to catching up with all the groups and welcomes anyone who would like to share their gifts with the parish to approach him or give your name in to the parish office.

The Marian Rosary will be now prayed on Sunday afternoon at 3.30pm starting **Sunday 5th October**. We sing, pray & recite the message from 'Our Lady's Message to her Sons' blue book re Fr Gobbi's locutions.

This **Sunday 5th October**-
The theme for this year's Day for
Life is **#livelife –
Protect and Cherish Life.**

Parish of St Teresa of Avila
'Festival of Flowers' To celebrate the 5th Centenary of the Birth of St. Teresa of Avila (28th March 1515) a Festival of Flowers, based on her life and work will take place in the Church of St. Teresa of Avila, Glen Road, Belfast, from the **11th – 13th October 2014** (11am to 4pm) Everyone welcome. Refreshments available in the Parish Centre.

Children's Liturgy has started back every Sunday at 10am Mass. New volunteers welcomed.

Vocations COME & SEE Day in St Malachy's Seminary (120 Cliftonville Road, Belfast) on Saturday 18th October (10.00am to 4.00pm) for those who are thinking about possible seminary application

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27th Sunday in Ordinary Time 5 October 2014

Missionaries for Justice and Peace – Discerning God's Call
Belfast Presbyterian couple Laura and Stephen Coulter tell how their call to Afghanistan has unfolded. Tuesday, 7th October at 7.30pm in Clonard Monastery. All welcome! Organised by the Clonard/Fitzroy Fellowship.

LIVING YOUTH Habitat for Humanity Ethiopia Team 2015: Following on from our successful Habitat for Humanity projects over the past two years Living Youth is excited to announce recruitment for another youth team due to travel to Ethiopia next summer. Provisional dates: **20 July - 3 August 2015.** Applicants should be **18 years or over** and all team members will be expected to contribute to the cost of the trip as well as engage in an extensive fundraising campaign. For more information and details of online applications please contact: **Claire Smylie**, Office Manager * 16 Chapel Lane, Belfast, BT1 1HH (028 90232432 8 info@livingyouthni.org Closing Date Applications: **Monday 3rd November 2014**

Child Protection Training will take place in Gartan at 7.30pm on Thursday 16th October

Evening Of Eucharistic Adoration And Global Living Rosary St Paul's Church, Belfast Monday 6th October 2014 7.00pm- 8.00pm. Family & children evening of Eucharistic Adoration. With global living family Rosary to include rosary homily, hymn's with solemn benediction Preacher: Fr. James r Kelleher SOLT S.T.D. With special guest "DANA"

The Centering Prayer Group continues in Gartan every Wednesday at 7.30pm

Interested in volunteering?

The charity Lifeni is looking for volunteers for their charity shop on the Lisburn Road. If you would like to find out more please contact Jayne/Joanne @90438339. We are also seeking donations of good quality clothes, accessories, shoes, books and bric-a-brac. Lifeni caring, educating, upholding the value of human life.

The Irish Pilgrimage Trust

would like to invite children and young adults with special needs on our annual pilgrimage/holiday to Lourdes at Easter. If you would like an application form or to receive more information, please contact Janine Kelly on 07703281899 or visit our Trust website, www.irishpilgrimage.com. Applications close 31st October 2014.

SMA Dromantine is hosting a Summer Camp Reunion on Sunday 12th October in the Dromantine Retreat and Conference Centre. The afternoon will run from 3pm- 6pm concluding with Mass and is open to anyone who attended Camp, particularly in the 1970s, 80s, and 90s. Please phone Dromantine (028) 3082 1024/3082 1224 or email laity@sma.ie by 7 October to confirm attendance

The Catholic Chaplaincy QUB, 28 Elmwood Ave, Belfast, BT9 6AY T: 028 9066-9737 www.qubcc.org

Dedication of Studies Mass 12th October, 8pm. All students and their families welcome. Please sign up to the chaplaincy via the online process.

ANNUAL LEGION OF MARY ROSARY PROCESSION will take place on **Sunday 5th October.** Starting from St John's Church, Falls Rd at 3pm and will process to St Agnes Church where there will be a short service of Benediction. Please gather at 2.45pm

Altar Servers Club meets this Monday 6th October from 6 to 7pm in Iona

St Colmcille's Friday Night Youth Club urgently needs more adult leaders to help on a rota basis. For more information please contact Joe on 0784 1102376

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. **Residential Weekend:** Friday 17th – Sunday 19th October 2014 in Drumalis Retreat and Conference Centre, Larne. Application forms available on request. For further information please contact Phil Tel: 02890 207645 or Marie Tel: 07542070835

The Our Father - This is the prayer given by Jesus when he was asked 'Teach us how to pray?' Come and learn more about this wonderful prayer used by Christians of all enominations. The prayer will be explored over 7 evenings **starting on Wednesday 8th October** at 7.30 - 8.30pm in Gartan's front room. Then subsequently on 15th/22nd and 29th October and 12th/19th and 24th November.

SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION CLASSES
PARENTS WHO HAVE CHILDREN NOT ATTENDING A CATHOLIC SCHOOL AND WOULD LIKE TO HAVE THEM CELEBRATE THE SACRAMENTS OF FIRST CONFESSION, FIRST HOLY COMMUNION OR CONFIRMATION IN 2015 ARE ASKED TO CONTACT JOE MCKEOWN ON 07841102376 AS SOON AS POSSIBLE FOR INFORMATION ABOUT SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION CLASSES.