

SAYING GOODBYE
SERVICE 2018

BELFAST

St Anne's Cathedral | Sunday June 3rd | 3.30pm

A service for anyone who has lost a baby in pregnancy, at birth or in early years. Whether the loss was today or 80 years ago.

Those who grieve a pregnancy never even taking place are also welcome.



**THE ART OF
CARING EXHIBITION
& SALE**

The Committee wish to thank all those people who gave their time so generously and who made the event such a success. We would also like to thank our sponsors, artists and buyers with whom none of it would be possible. The event raised in excess of £30,000 *but it does much more than that. It brings a whole range of people together who enjoy themselves, get a different experience and make a major contribution to the wellbeing of many.* The majority of the money raised will go to vital care for Marie Curie Hospice Centre but St Joseph's Primary School, St Colmcille's Guide Unit, 11th Belfast Scout Group and St Colmcille's Parish will all receive a worthy contribution from the total. Thank you again for all your assistance.



**BETHANY BEREAVEMENT
GROUP**

Would you like to help those people in your parish who are grieving after a bereavement?

Bethany Bereavement Support offers training as 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. **A full training course is offered over a 10 evening period.**

For more information or to register interest in the next Training Course which begins in September 2018 and will take place in 193-195 Donegall Street, Belfast, please contact the parish office or Claire Dowds, 193-195 Donegall Street, Belfast, BT1 2FL.

Tel: 07557882183

Email: bethanybereavementni@gmail.com



**CLONARD
SOLEMN NOVENA
TO OUR LADY OF PERPETUAL HELP
Belfast 13th June to 21st June
2018**



PARISH OFFICE: Items for the Parish Bulletin should be submitted no later than **Wednesday at 12 noon.** Thank you, Geraldine

CURSILLO

**30th Anniversary
Mass: This Tuesday 5th
June, 7:30pm, at**

St Teresa's Church, Glen Road, followed by refreshments in the Hall.

All Cursillo members are invited to attend, with an especially warm welcome to Cursillista's we have not seen in a while! Contact **downandconnorcursillo@yahoo.co.uk** for more information.



BOOK LAUNCH

"The Bishops of Down and Connor Revisited"

by Jim O'Hagan

**Venue - Dorrian Room,
St Malachy's College**

36 Antrim Road, Belfast, BT15 2AE,
Thursday, 14th June 2018 at 7.30pm.

Light refreshments provided.
You are all welcome.



PARISH OF ST COLMCILLE

BALLYHACKAMORE

3rd June 2018

**THE MOST HOLY BODY AND BLOOD OF CHRIST
(CORPUS CHRISTI)**

**Very Rev Tony Fitzsimons PP and Rev Vincent Cushnahan CC
Phone - 02890 654157**

Website: www.st-colmcilles.net

Email: stcolmcilles@downandconnor.org

Facebook: www.facebook.com/stcolmcilleschurch

Office open this week: Monday— Friday: 9.30am to 1.30pm

Readings	Sunday: Cycle B Pages 422, 452, 503 Weekdays: 9th Week in Ordinary Time. Psalter Week 1
Entrance Antiphon	He fed them with the finest wheat and satisfied them with honey from the rock.
Psalms	The cup of salvation I will raise; I will call on the Lord's name.
Gospel Acclamation	Alleluia, alleluia! I am the living bread which has come down from heaven, says the Lord. Anyone who eats this bread will live for ever. Alleluia!
Communion Antiphon	Whoever eats my flesh and drinks my blood remains in me and I in him, says the Lord.

Weekend Mass Times: Saturday: 6.30pm: Sunday: 9.30am, 11.30am.

Weekday Mass: Tuesday to Friday: 9.30am

**Mass Intentions: Saturday 6.30pm: Anne Rahilly, James Rahilly,
Michael Rahilly**

Confession: Saturday: 6.00pm

Please note: The Adoration Chapel closes on Mondays at 8.00pm in future, not 9.00pm. Tuesday remains unchanged 2.00pm - 9.00pm.

DECEASED

We pray for the repose of the souls of those who have died recently especially:
Ian Carey.

We remember all those whose anniversaries occur at this time, especially:
Boy Silva, Joe Deane, Anne Rahilly, James Rahilly and Michael Rahilly.

BEREAVEMENT SUPPORT– Tel: 07456 989458

PARISH YOUTH GROUP



The final youth club session this year, for our 11-13 year old young people, will be **this Saturday 2nd June, 7.15pm - 9.00pm**. There will be Bubbleball sessions through the evening, followed by supper. Please encourage the young people to attend.

APOSTOLIC WORK

Thank you to all who, in any way, supported our event by attending or by donating or buying, by setting out the furniture, by putting it away afterwards or by helping on stalls and in the kitchen! Thanks to your generosity we raised more than £3,500 for use on the Missions. Be assured it will make a huge difference to very many people as Apostolic Work has been doing since it was established almost 95 years ago in Belfast.



P.S. If anyone found a set of keys in plants bought at the sale will you please let Patricia White or any member know.



Monthly Meeting

There will be a meeting for members, existing and prospective, in the **Iona Room at 8.00pm on Tuesday, 4th June**. Everyone welcome. Please do think about joining us.

PRAYERS OF THE FAITHFUL



There will be training for **additional Prayers of the Faithful readers** this **Sunday 3rd June** from **10.30am - 11.15am** in the Church. Enquiries to Noeleen: 078 7949 8131.

PARISH SIRLOIN STEAK/CHICKEN BBQ & DISCO

Will take place **next Friday 8th June from 7.30pm** in the Parochial Hall/Scouts & Guides den. Bring your own refreshments. Music will be on until 12.30am. Its guaranteed to be a great night out so why not make it a great night out with friends. Tickets are **only £15 per person** and will be available to purchase this weekend or next weekend or they are available from **Roisin McMullan on 078 5414 0019** or **Mary Walsh on 078 1549 3463** or any member of the Social & Fundraising Committee. If you have any special dietary requirements please let us know when you book your ticket. We look forward to seeing you there.

GIFT

The Growing in Faith Together programme for 11-13 year olds will be held in the **Parochial Hall on Thursdays 7th, 14th and 21st June, from 6.30pm - 8.30pm**. It is a fun-filled interactive way to help young people appreciate their gifts and uniqueness. **Enquiries to Noeleen : 078 7949 8131.**



MONEY MATTERS

Many thanks to all who contributed so generously to the collection. The monthly **Stipend Collection** will be taken up at all masses **this weekend**.



FEAST OF THE SACRED HEART

Next **Friday 8th June** is the **feast day of the Sacred Heart of Jesus**. Join us for coffee, chat and a DVD talk on **Friday at 10.00am** in the Iona room, Parochial Hall.



LEGION OF MARY— CHURCH DOOR COLLECTION

The Hostels Committee would like to place on record their sincere thanks to all the parishioners who have generously given to this cause in the face of many other calls on their resources. A total of £159.50 was raised. All benefactors of the hostels are remembered in the prayers of the hostels.

SUMMER VOLUNTEERS

Lots of volunteers for our annual children's holiday bible week in **August, Monday 6th - Friday 10th**, are needed. **Teenage volunteers, minimum age 14 years, should attend a training session on Saturday 23rd June at 7.30pm**. Volunteer adult mentors are also needed. Please contact **Noeleen on 078 7949 8131**, if you are available.



PRAYER FOR EXAMS

There will be prayer held for students doing exams in the **Chapel of Adoration on Wednesdays, 6.30pm - 7.30pm, in June**. Please add names to the Exam Buddies board in the porch if you wish a student to be included in the prayers.



EXAM BUDDIES

All students preparing for exams are invited to take an exam pack from the table in the Church porch and to place their name on the Exam Buddies notice board there. Parishioners are invited to place their name on the Prayer Sponsors board and then pray for the students over the exam period in June.

PAPAL MASS

The World Meeting of Families will take place in Dublin from **Tuesday 21st - Sunday 26th August**, with Opening Ceremonies on Tuesday 21st around all the parishes of Ireland. **Pope Francis will celebrate Mass for the World Meeting of Families on Sunday 26th in Phoenix Park in Dublin.**



Buses are being organised from our Pastoral Area for parishioners to attend the Mass. You may have to walk a few kilometres from the bus park to Phoenix Park. If you would like to book a seat on the bus please complete a WMOF Form of Interest found next to the Bulletin Box in the Church porch, leave in the Bulletin Box or email/phone the parish office. Further details will be sent to you.

VOLUNTEERS



Carryduff & Drumbo parish are organising a **WMOF Family Fun Day** of events and activities on behalf of the Pastoral Area on **Saturday 16th June from 11.00am - 4.00pm**. 5 - 10 volunteers are needed from each parish in order to welcome participants and help the smooth running of the day.

Our parish children's holiday bible week, Shoot For The Stars, for 4 - 8 year olds will take place from **Monday 6th - Friday 10th August**. Young volunteers over the age of 14 years and also adult mentors are needed please.

There will be a Bunting Workshop in the parish hall on Wednesday evening 20th June to prepare bunting for a Street Party in CS Lewis Square. Helpers are needed to make bunting. Children's Liturgy would like to recruit additional teenage and adult volunteers for our 9.30am Sunday Mass.

If you think that you may be able to volunteer with one or more of the above activities please contact **Noeleen: Tel: 078 7949 8131** email: colmcille youth@yahoo.co.uk