PARISH OF ST COLMCILLE'S BALLYHACKAMORE

"To know the joy of God's love and make the love of God known to all"

17TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME- YEAR A

26TH JULY 2026
Missal Pg 623

MASS THIS SUNDAY

First Reading: 1 Kings 3: 5, 7-12

Psalm 118

Lord, how I love your law!

Second Reading: Romans 8: 28-30

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia, alleluia! I call you friends, says the Lord, because I have made known to you everything I have learnt from my Father. Alleluia!

Gospel: Matthew 13: 44-52

DECEASED

We pray for the repose of the souls of all those who have died recently:

Alice Lokhart, Anne O'Hare

ANNIVERSARIES

We also remember in prayer all those whose anniversaries occur at this time:

John J O'Brien, Jimmy Gilmore, Jim Magee, Martin Rosaupan, Rene Clert Baterbonia, Rose Ann Duffy, Eileen Cairns and Alphonsa Raymond.

THIS WEEK AT ST COLMCILLE'S

SUN	Mass: 9.30am & 11.30am
MON	Morning Prayer: 9.00am
TUE	Holy Hour, Confessions: 6.00pm Mass: 7.00pm.
WED	Mass: 9.30am
THU	Mass: 9.30am
FRI	Morning Prayer: 9.00am, Mass: 9.30am
SAT	Confession: 5.00pm –5.20pm, Mass: 5.30pm

DONATIONS

Weekly collection:

12th July - £930.02

19th July - £1101.95

Pastoral Services collection - £789.76

The Monthly Offering Collection for the support of the priests will be taken up at all Masses next weekend.

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PARISH NEWS AND NOTICES

Job Opportunity- Youth Minister Vacancy, *St Colmcille's Parish*

The Diocese of Down and Connor is recruiting a Youth Minister for St Colmcille's Parish on a 3-year fixed-term contract.

This full-time role (35 hours per week, including evenings and weekends) involves supporting the faith, personal and social development of young people and helping them engage more deeply in parish life.

Salary: £29,000–£31,000 per annum (depending on experience).
Apply via: http://www.downandconnor.org or NIJobs.
Application forms also available at the back of the church.

Closing date for applications will be 12 noon, Tuesday 28th July 2026.







Pre bookings for your repair item will open on the website around ten days prior to the event.

USEFUL CONTACTS

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