

## Priests of the Parish

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Ardboe

## Clergy of St Colmans Pastoral Area

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### Mass Times

**Masses will be celebrated behind closed doors, and can be viewed at the usual times via the webcam**

#### **Church of the Blessed Sacrament**

Sunday: 11.30am  
Tuesday: 10.00am  
Wednesday: 7.30pm

#### **Church of the Immaculate Conception**

Saturday: *Vigil* 6.30pm  
Sunday: 9.00am  
Monday: 7.30pm  
Thursday: 10.00am

### **Annual Novena to Our Lady of the Miraculous Medal**

In light of the Coronavirus pandemic, the novena Mass will still be celebrated by Fr Sean and parishioners can join in on the webcam, each **Monday & Wednesday evening at 7.30pm.**

### **St Patricks Day**

Join us via webcam on **Mon 16 March at 7.30pm, for the Vigil Mass** live from the **Church of the Immaculate Conception** and **Tues 17 March at 10am** live for the **Church of the Blessed Sacrament.**

### **Congratulations to Deborah Tennyson & James McLernon**



May the Lord confirm the consent they have given and enrich them with his blessing

### **Grant them Eternal Rest O' Lord**

*Pray for recently deceased*

**John Cullen, Clonmore James McCann, Clonoe**

### **Anniversaries**

#### **Church of the Blessed Sacrament**

**Sun 15 Mar** 11.30am Pat & Philomena Taggart  
Noreen Devlin, Mary O'Neill  
**Tues 17 Mar** 10am Mass for Deceased Members of Ardboe  
Central Bands and Divisions

**Sun 22 Mar** 11.30am Hughie Canavan, Colette Canavan

#### **Church of the Immaculate Conception**

**Sat 14 Mar** 6.30pm Joe Quinn (MM)  
Frank & Matilda McVey, Joe McVey  
& Rosaleen Hodgetts

**Sun 15 Mar** 9am Joe Small (MM)  
Patricia Devlin (Anneter Rd)  
Francie Devlin (Kinturk)

**Mon 16 Mar** 7.30pm George Crozier  
Eugene & Bernie Crozier

**Sat 21 Mar** 6.30pm Tommy, Annie & John McKenna  
Hugh-Pat Lavery, Frank & Jane Conlon

### **Important Information for the Parish**

As Parish Priest, I want to pass on to you the directives I have received from Archbishop Eamon Martin, on behalf of the Catholic Church in Ireland. Due to the Coronavirus Pandemic, the following norms are in place in the Archdiocese of Armagh until March 29<sup>th</sup> 2020, effective immediately.

In the current emergency situation, all are dispensed from the obligation to physically attend Sunday Mass. In practical terms, this means from now until March 29<sup>th</sup>, I will celebrate daily Mass which includes all anniversaries behind closed doors with parish staff only, which will be available on the webcam for parishioners to join in prayer.

Masses will be at the usual times including Sundays.

All Confirmations are postponed until further notice

Exposition will take place at the usual time in both churches.

Every Catholic is entitled to a dignified Christian burial. Funeral services and Masses should be limited to close relatives and must not exceed 100 attendees within the Church.

Similarly, Church weddings and baptisms may be celebrated on condition that the attendance in Church does not exceed 100 people. Parishioners will be able to join in with the celebration of Mass via the webcam

### **Churches will remain open for prayer each day**

These measures are to help protect the elderly and vulnerable in our community.

**Parish Bulletins** are available from both churches as usual as well as letter from Fr Sean regarding these special measures.

**Parish Information**

**Parish Office**

**Opening hours**

**Mon-Fri 10am -3pm**

Tel: 028 8673 6997

**Safeguarding Children**

**Parish Representative**

Tony Mc Gurk

Tel: 028 8673 6295

Márie Quinn

Tel:028 86736672

**Defibrillators**

**Church of the Blessed**

**Sacrament** on the wall outside the toilets

**Church of the Immaculate**

**Conception** on the wall outside the toilets

**The access code for both Defibs in C123**

**Help Line Numbers**

Lifeline: 0808 808 8000

Samaritans: 166 123

**Weekly Envelope Collection**

Weekly collection £1800.

**Weekly envelope contributions can be left in the Parish Office. Thank you for your co-operation at this time.**

**Celebration of Baptism**

The Sacrament of Baptism will be celebrated on the Second Saturday & Sunday of each month in the

**Church of the Immaculate Conception, Moortown**  
**Saturday 5.30pm & Sunday 12.30pm**

And in the

**Church of the Blessed Sacrament, Ardboe**  
**in March on**

**Sunday 15<sup>th</sup> March at 12.30pm**  
**Contact Parish Office to book a Baptism**

**Eucharistic Adoration**  
**Will go ahead as usual**

**Church of the Immaculate Conception**

**Monday 6pm-7.30pm**

**Church of the Blessed Sacrament**

**Wednesday 6pm-7.30pm**

**Offertory Promise Envelopes**

Offertory promise envelopes are ready for distribution.

All who distribute, please collect the envelopes from the Parish Office.

**All offertory promise envelope boxes should be distributed before Saturday 4<sup>th</sup> April.**

*Thanks to all those who distribute the offertory promise envelopes.*

Anyone who wishes to pay by standing order can collect a form from the Parish Office.

Anyone who hasn't received a box of envelopes should leave their name and address in the Parish Office.

*Your contributions are very valuable to the upkeep of the Parish and we are very grateful for your support.*

**Ardboe Parish Centre**

For Parish Centre hall bookings, please telephone  
**028 8673 7223**

**Mediugorie Pilgrimage**

Saturday 12th September 2020

7 nights Ex Belfast

Full Spiritual Programme with Marian Pilgrimages

Price £589. £50 Deposit secures seat

Contact *Lorna 02886737462 or 07743112438*

**Tobin Youth Centre**

**Tobin Tots**

Every Monday during term time  
10am-12noon

Toys, arts and crafts, sing a long  
£3 per family. Snack included  
Drop in. No need to book.

**Night of traditional music, song and dance**

There will be a night of traditional music, song and dance in JD Hall on **Friday 20<sup>th</sup> March commencing at 8:30 PM.**

Tyrone Scór County Champions will also be there on the night.

Light refreshments provided and admission £5.

**Jiving Classes by Lisa McDonnell**

Are cancelled until further notice in **Ardboe Parish Centre (Minor Hall)**

**Desertmartin GAC**

**Irish Night**

in **St Martin's GAC**

on **Saturday 21<sup>st</sup> March at 8pm.**

An evening of music featuring All Ireland musician Catriona Lagan on her banjo, double Mac 7 many more local artists.

Irish Stew served on the night.

**Everyone is welcome for an evening on music & craic!**

*St Martins GAC, 51 Longfield Rd, Desertmartin, BT45 5LS*

**Parish Development Fund – March**

**1<sup>st</sup> Prize £1000 –**

**John O'Hagan (561)**

*Promoter: E Quinn*

**2<sup>nd</sup> Prize £500 –**

**Mary B O'Neill (311)**

*Promoter: Peter Coyle*

**3<sup>rd</sup> Prize £100 –**

**Julie Quinn (543)**

*Promoter: R McElroy*

**4<sup>th</sup> Prize £100 –**

**Dolores McKee (487)**

*Promoter: Bingo*

**5<sup>th</sup> Prize £100 –**

**Brian & Bernie O'Neill (532)**

*Promoter: R Doherty*

**6<sup>th</sup> Prize £100 –**

**Andrew & Louise Doherty (306)**

*Promoter: P O'Neill*

**7<sup>th</sup> Prize £100 –**

**Margaret Quinn (180)**

*Promoter: E Quinn*

*Next draw will be on 3<sup>rd</sup> April 2020*

**The Over 55's**

Exercise Club runs every Wednesday from 11am in the **Croí na Móna** the new community hub at St Malachys, Moortown  
Everyone welcome!

**Radio Maria Ireland**

Radio Maria Ireland is at your disposal in this current moment of challenge for the faithful in Ireland.

They are broadcasting 24 hours each day according to the threefold mission of prayer, catechesis and human formation.

Daily mass will be aired from 10am each day from their studio chapel, including Sundays for those who would like to tune in.

Radio Maria Ireland is to be found on television – Saorview, Channel 210 (Freeview) or by downloading the free app for mobile devices – Radio Maria Ireland.