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#### **Clergy of St Colmans Pastoral Area**

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#### <u>Grant them Eternal Rest O' Lord</u>

Pray for recently deceased

Donal Lavery, Ardboe Rd, Declan Bell, Coagh Maureen Morisco, Tempo, Lena Hagan, Aneeter Lane, Mary Devlin, Battery Rd, John Hagan Woking, Surrey

### Anniversaries

## Church of the Blessed Sacrament

Sat 25 July 6.30pm Francie Coleman Fri 31 July 7.30pm Mary Devlin (MM)

Church of the Immaculate Conception

Sun 2 Aug 9am Sarah & Mark Reilly

# Mass Times Masses can be viewed via the webcam Church of the Blessed Sacrament

Saturday (Vigil): 6.30pm Sunday: 11.30am Tuesday: 10.00am Wednesday: 7.30pm Friday: 7.30pm

**Church of the Immaculate Conception** 

Saturday (Vigil): 5.00pm Sunday: 9.00am Monday: 7.30pm Thursday: 10.00am Friday: 10.00am

#### <u>Dates for Confirmation & First Holy Communion – PLESE NOTE TIME CHANGES & RESTRICTIONS</u>

Its been a long wait for the boys and girls who are preparing for First Holy Communion and Confirmation. We now look forward to these ceremonies as outlined below. To ensure everybody's safety attending the following ceremonies, we have put in place strict restrictions which must be adhered to for the safety of all involved, and follow the guidelines as laid down by the N. I. Executive for people's wellbeing and health in public.

#### **First Holy Communion**

A Year 4 pupil may be accompanied by 2 parents/guardians. No other family members can attend.

#### Confirmation

A Year 7 pupil may be accompanied by 2 parents/guardians and 1 sponsor. No other family members can attend.

We thank you for your understanding at this challenging time, and I look forward to celebrating these wonderful ceremonies with you and your child, and hope the rest of the family will avail of the web services on the day.

#### **First Holy Communion**

For the Year 4 pupils St Patrick's P.S, **Saturday 15<sup>th</sup> August** at the Church of the Blessed Sacrament, Mullinahoe, **12.00 noon.** 

#### Confirmation

For the Year 7 pupils of St Peter's P.S, **Sunday 16<sup>th</sup> August** at the Church of the Immaculate Conception, Moortown, **2.00pm.** 

#### **First Holy Communion**

For the Year 4 pupils of St Peter's P.S, **Saturday 22<sup>nd</sup> August**, Church of the Immaculate Conception, Moortown, **12.00 noon.** 

#### Confirmation

For the Year 7 pupils of St Patrick's P.S, Sunday 23rd August, Church of the Blessed Sacrament, Mullinahoe, 2.00pm

If there is a resurgence in cases with further lockdowns these plans will need to be revised accordingly.

All First Holy Communion pupils please call to the Parish Office between 9am-2pm to collect your First Holy Communion booklet provided from your schools.

# Parish Information Parish Office

Opening Hours Mon-Fri 10am-3pm Tel: **028-8673 6997** 

#### Safeguarding Children Parish

Representatives

Tony McGurk Tel: 028 8673 6295 Maire Quinn

Tel: 028 8673 6672 Defibrillators

Church of the Blessed Sacrament

on the wall outside toilets

**Church of the Immaculate** 

Conception on the wall outside the toilets

The access code for both Defibs is C123.

**Help Line Numbers** 

Lifeline: 0808 808 8000 Samaritans: 166 123

## **Baptisms**

We are now able to welcome all the lovely babies for their Baptisms. Only one baby will be baptised at a time and family members will be restricted to 10. Please contact the Parish Office to book your child's Baptism. Fr Sean will do his very best to accommodate a day & time of your choice.

We welcome into the Christian community
Tommy Michael Duffy,

Mountjoy Road

&

Malachí Hugh Seamus Graham

Abbeyvale

We wish them God's Blessings of good health and happiness.

#### **Parish Development Draw**

Monthly Parish Draw will take place on

# Wednesday 5<sup>th</sup> August after the 7.30pm Mass

All monthly subscriptions should be returned to the Parish Office **before Friday 31**st **July 2020.** 

Mon-Fri 9am-2pm

#### **Parish Pastoral Council Meeting**

Meeting this Monday night **27 July at 8pm** in the
Parochial House
All members please attend!

# Ardboe Parish Centre Bingo

Bingo will resume again in Ardboe Parish Centre Friday 31st July at 9pm

The hall committee have decided not to let out tables and chairs

for private functions due to coronavirus

#### **Holy Water**

Anyone wishing to have Holy Water can contact the Parish Office.

#### **An Act of Spiritual Communion**

My Jesus, I believe that You are present in the Most Holy Sacrament. I love You above all things, and I desire to receive You into my soul. Since I cannot at this moment receive You sacramentally, come at least spiritually into my heart. I embrace You as if You were already there and unite myself wholly to You. Never permit me to be separated from You.

Amen

# **Lost and Found**

A sum of money was found top of Lakeview, please ring Parish Office for more details

#### **Prayer against the Coronavirus**

Most Glorious Queen of Heaven & Mother of God, You whom the Blessed Trinity has crowned with unequalled glory. You are the Sovereign Queen over all God's Creation. I place myself & all my loved ones under the power, protection & sovereignty of your Crown. Under the protection of your crown & through your immense intercessory power, I ask you to spare us all from the effects of the coronavirus. Dearest Mother & Queen, more Mother than Queen, we, your children in Christ Jesus, ask you to obtain for us an end to the spread of the virus.

**Amen** 

### Year of Prayer Video

The Diocese of Armagh dedicated 2020 as a year of "Reflection and Prayer''. The pandemic we are living through has focused our minds and given us many reasons to pray. It has challenged us to connect to God and each other through the restrictions these past weeks and we have found new ways to express our faith and support each other in these difficult circumstances. The pastoral team in the diocese has put together a short ten-minute video of support and information to share with all parishioners. Everyone is encouraged to view it on YouTube -

https://youtu.be/OmnRoFUwCz8
The video reflects on the impact of these past months and all who wish to are invited to respond to the questions asked at the end of the clip using the email address:
yprarmagh@gmail.com

#### **Prayer Group**

Prayer group has resumed every Tuesday night Church of the Immaculate Conception at 7pm