

Saint Brigid's Parish

Pastoral Community of South and East Belfast

Twenty-Eight Sunday in Ordinary Time

10th October 2021, Year B, Psalter Week 1

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First Reading: Reading from the book of Wisdom Ws 7:7-11

Compared with wisdom, I held riches as nothing.

Responsorial Psalm: Ps 89:12-17

R/. Fill us with your love that we may rejoice.

Second Reading: Reading from the letter of the Hebrews Heb 4:12-13

The word of God can judge secret emotions and thoughts.

Gospel: Gospel according to Mark Mk 10:17-30

Go and sell everything you own and follow me.

Anniversary List

Please pray for Therese Graham, Tim Lynch and Ellen Murray recently deceased, and for all those whose anniversaries occur at this time: Alice McLaverty, Maura Donnelly, John Doyle, Eileen O'Hanlon, Joe O'Neill, Jim Lavery, Lily Kerr, Dr Frank Miskelly, Gerard McCann, Miriam Elizabeth Carney, Hugh Finegan, Joanna Lavery, Maria McBride, John J Conlon, Nan Kavanagh, Mairead Loughheed

May they rest in peace

The Liturgy

Sunday Mass

Saturday: 6.00 pm (Vigil Mass)

Sunday: 9.30 am
12.00 noon

Weekday Mass

Monday: 7:00 pm

Tuesday: 9.30 am

Wednesday: 9.30 am

Thursday: 9.30 am

Friday: 7:00 pm

Saturday: 12 noon



Confession

Monday: 7.30 pm – 8.00 pm

Friday: 6.30 pm – 7.00 pm

Saturday: 12.30 pm – 1.00 pm &
5.30 pm – 6:00 pm

Baptisms

Please contact the Parish Office

stbrigids@downandconnor.org

Marriages

At least 6 months' notice required prior to date of Marriage.

Please contact Fr O'Donnell

Eucharistic Adoration

Monday 7.30 pm – 8.00 pm

PARISH OFFERTORY COLLECTION

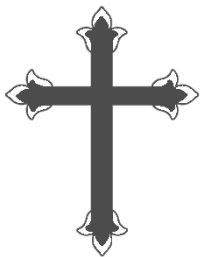
Weekly Collection 3rd October: £6854.39

Monthly Collection 3rd October: £5195.00

Thank you for your continued support.

Bulletin Notices

Bulletin Notices should be with the Parish Office by **12 noon on Thursday** to be included in the weekend bulletin. Thank you.



Ashleigh Group

Parish Pupils in our Ashleigh Group will be making their **First Holy Communion** on Saturday 16th October in St Brigid's Church

St Brides Primary School

Year 4 Pupils in St Brides PS will be asking their **First Penance** this Tuesday and Thursday in St Brigid's Church

Please pray for all our Parish Children making their First Holy Communion and First Penance this month



Safeguarding Notice

Child Level 1, Level 2, and refresher Training



For parish volunteers undertaking valued work directly with children (under-18s), Diocesan training is essential. If you have not yet received training, or have not done so in the last 3 years, please see details below on how to book training.

A full list of the training sessions are available at the link underneath for those working in Children's Liturgy, the Ashleigh Group, supervising or training Altar Servers, G.I.F.T and Youth Faith. Additional dates will be added for the new year. <https://downandconnorsafeguarding.com/available-training/>

There is a mixture of Online (Zoom) and face-to-face training sessions for Level 2 (+ refresher) and Level 1 sessions are available through Zoom.

To book a session please complete the booking form on the Safeguarding website (under training) or contact Marion in the office office@soddc.org

Guidelines for attending Mass in St Brigid's

- **Face Coverings** must be worn when entering and exiting the church and should be worn throughout services;
- Current seating occupancy of the church is **275**;
- Observe social distancing and use the sanitizer at the Church Entrance;
- Take a seat and remain there until the end of Mass; children must remain with their parents, and in the seat, at all times;
- **Anyone with cold-like symptoms or coughs must not enter the Church;**
- Toilet facilities are not available.

SYNOD: AN OPPORTUNITY TO SHARE YOUR EXPERIENCE



This weekend Pope Francis opens the pathway for a Universal Synod that will take place in Rome in 2023. This Synod will be a gathering that takes place after all the local Churches have shared their contribution on the experience of journeying together in Communion, Participation and Mission.

In our Diocese, of Down and Connor, we will have a time of listening and sharing prayerfully through Advent. During this time there will be an opportunity for you to share your experience of what it is like to be a part of our Church today.

Bishop Treanor will launch our Diocesan Phase of this Universal Synod on Saturday 16th October at 5:30pm at the Vigil Mass in St Peter's Cathedral.

www.churchservices.tv/stpeterscathedral

VACANCY

PARISH CENTRE MANAGER

ST BRIGID'S PARISH



A vacancy has arisen for a Parish Centre Manager within St Brigid's Parish.

Closing date for applications is 12.00 noon on Friday 15th October

The post holder will be responsible for managing the Parish Centre and its range of activities. The terms are based on a permanent appointment requiring 30 hours per week, however flexibility to work additional hours may be required. Work pattern to be agreed with the Parish Centre Committee. **Rate of Pay - £10.50 gross per hour.**

Full details relating to the vacancy can be found on the Diocesan website at: <http://www.downandconnor.org> clicking on the tab: **JOB VACANCIES**

Application packs can also be obtained from St Brigid's Parish Office or on our website at <https://stbrigidsparishbelfast.org/news/job-vacancy-st-brides-parish-centre>

We welcome applications from anyone who feels they meet the criteria and are interested in playing an active part in our Parish.

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