The Liturgy

Sunday Mass

Saturday: 6.00 pm (Vigil Mass)

Sunday: 9.30 am

12.00 noon

Tuesday: 9.30 am Wednesday: 9.30 am Thursday: 9.30 am

7.00 pm

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

Eucharistic Adoration

Monday: 7.30 pm – 8.00 pm

Baptisms

Monday:

1st & 3rd Sunday of the Month at 1.30pm Please contact the Parish Office to book (One month's notice required)

Marriages

At least 6 months' notice required prior

to date of Marriage.

Please contact Fr O'Donnell

PARISH OFFERTORY COLLECTION

(Total includes Basket Collections, Standing Orders and Dona Donations)

Weekly Collection 26th October: £4711.50

Divine Mercy

You are warmly invited to join us in St Brigid's Church each Friday at 3.00pm as we pray the Chaplet of Divine Mercy.

Coffee and Poems

The next Parish Community Association's Coffee and Poems meeting will be on <u>Wednesday 5th November</u> after morning Mass in St. Bride's Parish Centre. All are welcome to come along and join.



Saint Brigid's Parish

The Commemoration of All the Faithful Departed (All Souls Day)

2nd November 2025, Year C

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The Commemoration of All the Faithful Departed

First Reading: Reading from the prophet Isaiah Is 25:6-9

The Lord will destroy Death for ever.

Responsorial Psalm: Ps 26: 1.4.7-9.13-14 *The Lord is my light and my help.*

Second Reading: Reading from the letter of St Paul to Romans Rom 5:5-11 Now we have been reconciled by the death of his Son, surely we may count on being saved by the life of his Son.

Gospel: According to Luke Lk 7: 11-17 *The only son of his mother, and she a widow.*

Anniversary List

Please pray for Betty Fulton recently deceased; and for those whose anniversaries are at this time: Michael Anthony Haughey, Eileen O' Prey, Sheila Toner, Joseph Caher, Gerard McCrory, Edward McShane, Michael Molloy, Henry and Una Brady, Gemma Conroy, James and Theresa Armstrong, John O'Hagan, Eileen Kelly and the parents and family of baby Nathanael John Goudy;

May they rest in peace

Mass Intentions for week ahead:

Mon 3rd Nov 7pm: Gemma Conroy (A)

Tues 4th Nov 9.30am: James & Theresa Armstrong (A)

Wed 5th Nov 9.30am: John O'Hagan & Sheila Toner (A)

Thurs 6th Nov 9.30am: *Mary Dynan (A)*Fri 7th Nov 7pm: Eileen Kelly (A)

Sat 8th Nov 12noon: Rachel Donnelly (RD)

Food Bank Collection

Non perishable food items can be donated after all Masses on the **1st/2nd November 2025.** The food weighed in at 243.2 kgs for October collection.

Your donations make a big difference to local people in crisis. Thank you for your support.

List of **items currently most needed:** Tinned fish; Tinned meat; Tinned vegetables; Tinned fruit; Tinned soup; Rice; Lentils; Coffee; Tea; Long life juice; UHT milk; Jam/Honey/Spreads; Biscuits; Instant potato; Toiletries

ADVENT REFLECTION DAY

Date: Saturday November 29th, 2025 **Venue:** St Bride's Hall, Derryvolgie Avenue

Time: 2.00pm – 4.30 pm

Facilitator: Rev Dr Ruth Patterson

ALL ARE WELCOME
Title: The Wayless Way

As people of faith, how can we live with hope and integrity in these times of uncertainty and chaos? On the cusp of Advent 2025 we will reflect together on the direction we might take. Where is the guiding star?

St Brigid's One World Group - next meeting

The next meeting of the Parish One World Group will be on Monday 3rd November in the Parish Hall (Room 1 beside the kitchen).

We will begin shortly after 7.30pm to facilitate those who are attending the 7pm Mass.

<u>All are welcome</u> - please come along if you have an interest in our work or would like to help with our fundraising events - Bread and Soup coming up on 7 December (note change of date from previous notice).

For further information, phone 07887708788

Annual Mass for Recently Departed Parishioners

(November 2024 – November 2025)

Monday 10th November at 7.00 pm

Relatives and friends of those who have died since 1st November 2024 are particularly invited to this Mass. Also remembered are all the departed Priests and parishioners of the parish, as well as relatives of parishioners who have died in other parishes during the year. Candles will be available for those who wish to bring a lighted candle to the altar in memory of a loved one.



November - Month of the Holy Souls

During November, Masses will be offered for those whose names are included in the November lists of the dead. Envelopes and lists will be available in the porch. Please leave completed envelopes in the box provided.

Memorial Notice Board

There will also be a Memorial Notice Board in the entrance hall of the church for the month of November for parishioners to add memoriam cards.

The Annual Masses for the Deceased Teachers of Down and Connor

will be celebrated on:

Tuesday 11th November 2025 at 7.30pm in Good Shepherd Church, Belfast & Thursday 13th November 2025 at 7.30pm in All Saints' Church, Ballymena

Please forward by Friday 7th November 2025 the name and school of any teacher who died during the past twelve months to: Rev Colin Grant, Director of the Down and Connor Catholic Schools' Support Service, 120 Cliftonville Road, Belfast BT14 6LA Tele: 028 9049 1886 or Email: dctrusteeservice@downandconnor.org