The Liturgy		
<b>Sunday Mass</b> Saturday: 6.00 pm (Vigil Mass)		SUMMER MASS TIMESMonday:9.30 amTuesday:9.30 amWednesday:9.30 am
Sunday:	9.30 am 12.00 noon	Thursday: 9.30 am Friday: 9.30 am Saturday: 12 noon
Confession		Baptisms
Monday:	7.30 pm – 8.00 pm	1 <sup>st</sup> & 3 <sup>rd</sup> Sunday of the Month at 1.30pm
Friday:	6.30 pm – 7.00 pm	Please contact the Parish Office to book
Saturday:	12.30 pm – 1.00 pm &	(One month's notice required)
	5.30 pm – 6:00 pm	Marriages
Eucharistic Adoration		At least 6 months' notice required prior
Monday:	7.30 pm – 8.00 pm	to date of Marriage. Please contact Fr O'Donnell

#### PARISH OFFERTORY COLLECTION

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

Weekly Collection 29<sup>th</sup> June: £4676.60

#### Parish Volunteering

It is our Parish Policy to rotate volunteers from time-to-time; this allows for a greater involvement of parishioners in parish life, and allows present volunteers to have a break from service.

- 1. Readers to join a new rota for Sunday Mass the expected involvement is to read at a Sunday Mass once in a 2 month rota;
- 2. Readers for weekday Masses;
- 3. Ministers of Holy Communion for Sunday Mass serving once a month;
- 4. Ministers of Holy Communion for weekday Masses;

Please consider volunteering, and if you decided to do so, please forward your name and contact details to Lisa in the Parish Office on 02890 665409 or by email to <u>stbrigids@downandconnor.org</u>



# Saint Brigid's Parish

## Fourteenth Sunday in O T 6<sup>th</sup> July 2025, Year C

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## Fourteenth Sunday in O T

**First Reading:** Reading from the prophet Isaiah Is 66:10-14 *Towards her I send flowing peace, like a river.* 

> **Responsorial Psalm:** Ps 65:1-7.16-20 *Cry out with joy to God all the earth*

**Second Reading:** Reading from the letter of St Paul to Galatians Gal 6:14-18 The marks on my body are those of the Lord Jesus.

> **Gospel:** According to Luke Lk 10:1-12.17-20 Your peace will rest on that man.

#### **Anniversary List**

**Please pray for** Susan Mageean and Deirdre Deevy recently deceased, Paula Lavery whose month's mind it is and for all those whose anniversaries are at this time: Gerard Murtagh, Mona Fields, Agatha Waters, Danny Flynn, Colin Magill, Fr Damian Wilson, James Edward Carty

#### May they rest in peace

#### **Bulletin Notices**

Notices for the bulletin must be with the Parish Office by 12.00 noon Thursday to be included in the weekend bulletin. Thank you

### **Summer Mass Times**

# From Monday 30th June to 31st August weekday masses (Monday-Friday) will all be at 9.30am.

There won't be evening mass on Monday or Friday

### **Food Bank Collection**

Non perishable food items can be donated after all Masses on the **5th/6th July 2025**. The food weighed in at 208.45 kgs for June 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* 

### Ashleigh Group Confirmation Classes 2026

Enrolment for Confirmation in 2026 is now open for children in the parish not attending St Bride's P.S. To register your child please contact the Parish Office at <u>stbrigids@downandconnor.org</u> and a member of the Group will be in touch with a Registration Form.

Classes commence in Tuesday 16th September 2025.

### Ashleigh Group First Communion Preparation 2026

First Holy Communion classes for children of the parish who do not attend St Bride's P.S, will commence in October 2025. Please contact <u>stbrigids@downandconnor.org</u> to register your child's interest.

## The Parish Hall is closed until the 12th July

## Thinking of becoming a Catholic?

Most Catholics enter the Church through Baptism as infants and receive the Eucharist and reconciliation (first Holy Communion and Confession) and Confirmation when young. However, there are many people whom become Catholics, or receive the Sacraments they have previously missed, later in life.

They decide for different reasons; -

- Some are already Christians from other traditions attracted by the teaching of the Catholic Church and by the example of individual Catholics they know;
- Some are non-Catholics who have been coming regularly to Mass for years with their Catholic spouse and children. They wish now to become full members of the Church;
- Some have had no previous contact with the Church at all but have this inner calling to discover the truth about the most important questions of life.

If any of the above situations applies to you, and you wish to enquire further, please contact Fr. O'Donnell on 02890 665409 or email: <u>stbrigids@downandconnor.org</u>

#### New to the Parish? Welcome!

Please register online at parish website; <u>www.stbrigidsparishbelfast.org</u> link to: 'New to the Parish?'

If you have changed your address within the current year please contact the Parish office or send an email via the parish website to update your details. *Thank -you.*