



Saint Brigid's Parish

Pastoral Community of South and East Belfast

Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

7th August 2022, Year C, Psalter Week 3

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First Reading: Reading from the book of Wisdom Wis 18:6-9

By the same act with which you took vengeance on our foes you made us glorious by calling us to you.

Responsorial Psalm: Ps 32:1.12.18-20.22

R/. Happy are the people the Lord has chosen as his own.

Second Reading: Reading from the letter to the Hebrews Heb 11:1-2.8-19

Abraham looked forward to a city founded, designed and built by God.

Gospel: Gospel according to Luke Lk 12:32-48

You too must stand ready.

Anniversary List

Please pray for Eric Hopkirk and Patricia Callaghan recently deceased, and for all those whose anniversaries occur at this time: Colm McGoldrick, James Kelly, Joe Verzin, J J Murphy, Gerry Moore, Kathleen Sadlier, Ronnie Huston, Helen Coil, Anne O'Kane, George Copeland, May Hendron, Therese Kelly, Máirín Rodgers, Theresa Wilson

May they rest in peace

The Liturgy

Sunday Mass

Saturday: 6.00 pm (Vigil Mass)

Sunday: 9.30 am
12.00 noon

Weekday Mass (Summer)

Monday: 9.30am
Tuesday: 9.30 am
Wednesday: 9.30 am
Thursday: 9.30 am
Friday: 9.30 am
Saturday: 12 noon



Confession

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

No Confessions on Monday and Friday during July and August

Baptisms

1st & 3rd Sunday of the Month
Please contact the Parish Office

Marriages

At least 6 months' notice required prior to date of Marriage.
Please contact Fr O'Donnell

Eucharistic Adoration

No Adoration during July and August

PARISH OFFERTORY COLLECTION

Weekly Collection 31st July: £4341.00



Thank you for your continued support

Bulletin Notices and Anniversaries

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



Sunday Homily

Fr O'Donnell's Homily is available to read and listen to each Sunday morning on our Parish Website. *Please visit to the link > [Sunday Homilies](#)*

The Feast of the Assumption of Our Lady

Monday 15th August: Mass time: 9:30 am only

Please note there will be **No Vigil Mass**

NOTICE:

Father O'Donnell will be away from Saturday 13th August. **Fr Paul Armstrong** will be covering Mass. *(There will be no confessions during this period)*

Emergency calls will be directed to the Parish Secretary from Saturday 13th August until Sunday 21st August. Please call 02890 665409 and follow the directions.

Attentive to Mankind throughout History

The parable of the last judgement is Jesus' way of telling us that God has been attentive to mankind throughout history... He has been listening every time a beggar has begged – albeit in a low voice that could hardly be heard – and every time one of his children has asked for help.

Moreover, he will be judging us as to whether we have been attentive along with him. He will want to know if we have asked him to hear with his ears in order to know what our brothers and sisters are experiencing so we can help them, or if, on the contrary, we have deafened our ears by putting on earphones so as not to hear anybody.

- **Pope Francis Homily**

Reflection: One of the biggest obstacles in the Christian walk is the idea that God is not with us. Since we can't see him, we imagine that he is far away and indifferent. God's mercy extends beyond the cross and into our everyday lives. Tell him what is on your heart and, even more, listen to what he has to say.