



# Saint Brigid's Parish

Pastoral Community of South and East Belfast

## Twenty First Sunday in Ordinary Time

21<sup>st</sup> August 2022, Year C, Psalter Week 1

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**First Reading:** Reading from the Prophet Isaiah Is 66:18-21

*They will bring all their brothers from all the nations.*

**Responsorial Psalm:** Ps 116

*R/. Go out to the whole world; proclaim the Good News.*

**Second Reading:** Reading from the letter to the Hebrews Heb 12:5:7.11-13

*The Lord trains the one that he loves.*

**Gospel:** Gospel according to Luke Lk 13:22-30

*Men from east and west will come and take their places at the feast in the kingdom of God.*

## Anniversary List

**Please pray for** Angie Connolly whose month's mind it is and for all those whose anniversaries occur at this time: Leo McGonigal, Frank McGivern, Eveline Walls, Joan Kane, Desmond McGivern, Margaret McCambridge, Joan and Richard Sherry, Annette McKeever, Anne Logan, Teresa Murphy, Francis O'Connell, John McShane, Anne Josephine Murphy, Sr Kathleen McCullough

**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



**Normal mass times will resume from Monday 29<sup>th</sup> August**

### Confession

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

**No Confessions on Monday and Friday during July and August**

### Eucharistic Adoration

**No Adoration during July and August**

### Baptisms

1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> 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

## PARISH OFFERTORY COLLECTION

**Weekly Collection 14<sup>th</sup> August: £2605.87**



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## 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 (there will be no homilies on Sunday 14<sup>th</sup> & 21<sup>st</sup>)**

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](#)*

## Wisdom - God's Vision for Life

*(Living Church Program)*

Each day of our lives we make lots of choices and decisions. But how do we really know if we are making the right ones?

So why not join the Living Church as we journey through the 'Wisdom' program and learn to experience the transforming power of applying God's wisdom to our lives. Each week we will have opportunities to pray, share and reflect on God's vision for each of our lives through the study of the Wisdom literature - Proverbs, Wisdom, Sirach, and Ecclesiastes

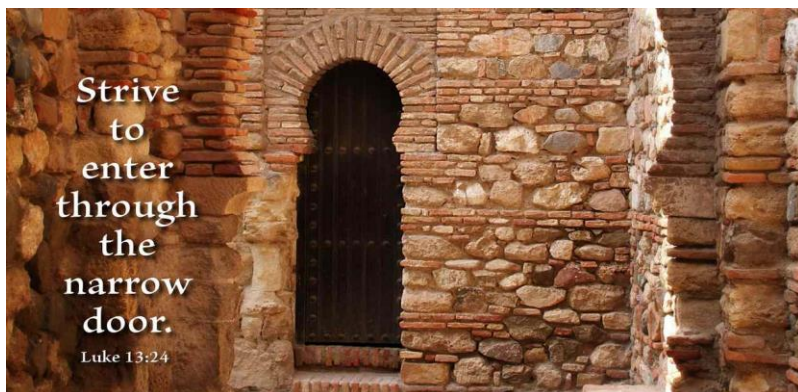
You will also receive your own beautifully presented personal prayer journal which includes inspiring quotes, notes for guidance and a place to record your own personal insights as you journey through the program.

The sessions begin on **Monday 19<sup>th</sup> September @7:30** pm for 8 weeks via zoom. To book contact the Living Church Office, [livingchurch@downandconnor.org](mailto:livingchurch@downandconnor.org)

## DAWG Suicide Prevention

DAWG Suicide Prevention invite you to attend their Open Day on 28th August 2022 from 12-6 pm at Blackstaff Mill, BT127AE. DAWG Suicide Prevention is an Addiction and Trauma Centre whose aim is to prevent and reduce suicide throughout the North of Ireland.

The Open Day will include a Family Fun Day, Presentation, Holy Mass and ending with live music. For more information visit their Facebook Page: [facebook.com/DAWG-suicide-prevention](https://facebook.com/DAWG-suicide-prevention)



## DOWN and CONNOR DIOCESAN TRUST

### VACANCY SACRISTAN ST BRIGID'S PARISH

A vacancy has arisen for a Sacristan within St Brigid's Parish, where the responsibilities in the role will include:

✚ The maintenance of the sacristy where the church's liturgical items are kept including vestments, sacred vessels, and books etc.

✚ Ensuring that the sanctuary is set up for mass, other services, baptisms, and funerals, ensuring all the requisite books and sacramental vessels etc. are in place, and that afterwards the sanctuary is cleared, and the church is left secure and tidy.

The terms are based on a permanent appointment requiring 16 hours attendance each week, work pattern to be agreed. Ability to work flexible hours is required from the post holder from time to time. Rate of Pay - £9.50 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** and on the Community NI website, where terms and conditions relating to the role can also be accessed by way of a Role Profile and Employment Application form. Application packs can also be obtained from the Parish Office.

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

**Closing date for applications will be 12.00 noon on Thursday 8<sup>th</sup> September 2022**

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