



Saint Brigid's Parish

Pastoral Community of South and East Belfast

Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

23rd July 2023, Year A, Psalter Week 4

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First Reading: Reading from the book of Wisdom Ws 12:13.16-19
After sin you will grant repentance.

Responsorial Psalm: Ps 85:5-6.9-10.15-16
R/. O Lord, you are good and forgiving.

Second Reading: Reading from the letter of St Paul to the Romans Rom 8:26-27
The Spirit expresses our plea in a way that could never be put into words.

Gospel: Gospel according to Matthew Mt 13:24-43
Let them both grow till the harvest.

Anniversary List

Please pray for all those whose anniversaries occur at this time: Brian Smyth, Michael Tierney, Agatha Waters, Colin Magill, Paula Ranaghan, Catherine Carty, Jack O'Kane, Thomas Esmonde, Charles Graham, Susan Mulholland, Rose Donnelly, Neasa Scanlon

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: 9.30 am

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

Monday: *(Will resume in September)*

Friday: *(Will resume in September)*

Eucharistic Adoration

(Will resume in September)

Baptisms

1st & 3rd Sunday of the Month at 1.30pm
Please contact the Parish Office to book

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 16th July: £4893.58

Pastoral Services Collection July: £2035.75



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 the link > [Sunday Homilies](#)*

New Youth Group Volunteers

Working with young people is a rewarding experience and our youth groups can't run without our wonderful volunteers. If you are interested into volunteering in one of our Parish Youth Group from September 2023 (Children's Liturgy, G.I.F.T Programme or Youth Faith), please collect an Application Form from the Parish Office or contact the office on 02890 665409 or stbrigids@downandconnor.org to have one emailed or posted to you. All volunteers need to be vetted and complete training before engaging with group activities and our safeguarding team will assist you through this process.

If you would like any further information on any of our parish groups please visit our website www.stbrigidsparishbelfast.org or contact the parish office.

32 HOURS OF EUCHARISTIC ADORATION

FOR OUR PRIESTS AND FUTURE
VOCATIONS



Friday 4th August, Feast of St John Vianney

St Agnes Church, Andersonstown Road, Belfast

Commencing after 10am Mass until Saturday 5th August 6.15pm

Concluding with Vigil Mass @ 6.30pm

Legion of Mary