

Saint Brigid's Parish Pastoral Community of South and East Belfast

Anniversary List

Please pray for all those whose Anniversaries occur at this time: Susan Mulholland, Rose Donnelly, Ryan Musy, Ray Robinson, Margaret O'Hare May they rest in peace

Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

19th July 2020, Year A, Psalter Week 3

First Reading: Reading from the book of Wisdom Ws12:13.16-19 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: Letter of St Paul to the Romans Rm 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 grow till the harvest.

MASS TIMES

From Monday 20th July Mass times in St Brigid's Parish will be Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, and **Friday at 9.30am.** Maximum capacity currently at 70 persons.

(Currently **no** Mass on Saturday or Sunday)

VISITS FOR PRIVATE PRAYER

Evening visits to the church are now suspended from Monday 20th July as we will be having mass each morning. A word of thanks to all the Stewards who volunteered to help with the evening visits!

Funerals, Weddings and Baptisms

FUNERALS

The Maximum number that can attend a funeral service will be determined by the size and circumstances of the venue, whilst facilitating social distancing and observing safety guidelines. Therefore, the number attending funeral rites in the church may be permitted up to the capacity of the church determined when you carried out the risk assessment for the recommencement of Mass and Sacraments. The Executive guidance indicates that the maximum number who may attend the committal at the graveside or doors of the crematorium is capped to 30 persons.

WEDDINGS

Indoor marriage ceremonies can resume from Friday 10th July. The number of persons attending the wedding may be up to the capacity determined for the Church for the celebration of Mass following all requirements in relation to hygiene and social distancing.

Currently maximum capacity is 70 persons for St Brigid's Church.

BAPTISMS

Following the announcement from the NI Executive we are delighted to confirm that baptisms can now resume! If you are waiting to have your baby baptised in St Brigid's please contact the Parish Secretary for a baptism form



and to be added to our waitlist: stbrigids@downandconnor.org

Contact St Brigid's Parish Office and Parish Priest

Phone: 02890 665409

Email: stbrigids@downandconnor.org

Address: 40 Derryvolgie Avenue, Belfast, BT9 6FP

St Brides Parish Hall still remains closed.

St Brigid's Community Association: stbrigidsra@gmail.com



Sunday Homily

Fr O'Donnell's Sunday Homilies are available to read and listen to on our Parish Website. Please go to The Liturgy > Sunday Homilies.