

# CHURCH OF ST. TREA

## PARISH BULLETIN

**ALTAR SOCIETY:** Feb: Bridie Gribbin

**READERS:**

**Mornings:** Feb: Paula Coleman & Geraldine McIvor

**EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION:**

**Mornings:** Feb: Katy Shivers & Catherine Crozier

**COUNTERS:** Feb: Team C

**REMEMBER OUR DEAD:** Please pray for the repose of the souls of the recently deceased John Murphy, Clare McConomy, Fr. Tommy McNulty, Angela McCorkindale and the deceased priests and benefactors of this Parish and for those whose Month's Mind Masses or Anniversaries occur at this time.

**SAT:** 10 Feb: Martha McMurray, Geraldine O'Boyle, Rosaleen Walls.

**SUN:** 11 Feb: Una Doyle (M.M), Gerard McElhone

**MON:** 12 Feb: Phonsie Bradley, Dympna Cassidy, Sarah McErlain

**TUES:** 13 Feb: Harry Bateson

**WED:** 14 Feb: Alice Brady, James Farren

**THU:** 15 Feb: Gerard O'Kane, Mary Diamond

**FRI:** 16 Feb: Joseph Quinn, Michael O'Neill, Sean Scullion

**SAT:** 17 Feb: John McRory, Austin McKendry, Bernadette Adams, Angela Mulholland. Francis Hinfey (1<sup>st</sup> AV) 10am

Eternal rest grant to them, O Lord, and may the perpetual light shine upon them. May their souls and the souls of all the faithful departed through the mercy of God rest in peace. Amen.

**COLLECTION:** Weekly Collection: £813.90 Thank you.

**WEBCAM:** A new parish webcam has been installed and can be viewed at:

<https://www.churchmedia.tv/newbridge> or on our facebook page 10am weekdays and 10.15am Sundays.

**Divine Mercy Conference 24th and 25th February, RDS, Dublin Bus Trip**

**Spiritual journey to the Divine Mercy Conference in the RDS in Dublin.**

**Toome Bus:** A weekend conference from Friday 23rd-Sunday 25<sup>th</sup> February

**Register as soon as possible to guarantee your place on this special trip with amazing talks and healing. To learn more about the Conference see:**

<https://www.divinemercyconference.com>

## SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

World day of the sick

Day of Prayer for Temperance

11 FEBRUARY 2024

**POPE'S INTENTIONS FOR THE MONTH OF FEBRUARY:** For the Terminally Ill: We pray that those with a terminal illness, and their families, receive the necessary physical and spiritual care and accompaniment.

**VOCATION MESSAGE:** God has chosen each person in Christ for a particular vocation.

**CHURCH** open for Private Prayer daily 10.30am until dusk.

**WEEKEND MASS:** SUNDAY 10.15am

**WEEKDAY MASS:** 10am except Tuesday. (Wednesday is at 10.15am)

**ASH WEDNESDAY MASS:** 10.15am (No evening Mass).

**ASH WEDNESDAY:** is a day of Fast (18th birthday until 59th birthday) & Abstinence (14th birthday onwards). Lent is a season of renewal through prayer and the word of God. It is characterised by a spirit of penance and almsgiving.

**DAY OF ATONEMENT:** On this Day of Prayer for Survivors of Abuse, we acknowledge our sins and pause to prepare ourselves to celebrate the sacred mysteries.

**ADORATION:** Begins Fri 16<sup>th</sup> February after 10am Mass.

**FORMS OF LENTEN PENANCE:** The following are suggested:

Abstaining from meat or some other food, alcohol or smoking;

Making a special effort at involvement in family prayer;

Visiting the Blessed Sacrament; Making the Stations of the Cross;

Helping the poor, sick, old or lonely;

Fasting from all food for a longer period & giving what is saved to the needy.

Social Media outlets offer plenty of opportunity for restraint especially in Lent. This applies also to Fridays throughout the year.

**NEW:** Newbridge Community Women's Group: would like to invite everyone to meet on Wednesday 14th February in Newbridge Hall (New Room) at 7.30pm. Bring a friend and see what it's all about.



O ever immaculate Virgin, Mother of Mercy, Health of the Sick, Refuge of Sinners, Comfort of the Afflicted, you know my wants, my troubles, my sufferings; deign to cast upon me a look of mercy. By appearing in the Grotto of Lourdes, you were pleased to make it a privileged sanctuary, whence you dispense your favours, and already many sufferers have obtained the cure of their infirmities, both spiritual and corporal. I come, therefore, with the most unbounded confidence, to implore your maternal intercession. Obtain, O loving Mother, the grant of my requests. I will endeavour to imitate your virtues, that I may one day share your glory, and bless you in eternity. Amen.

### Feast Days for the Week Ahead –

Sun 11<sup>th</sup> – Our Lady of Lourdes / St Gobnait – not celebrated this year as it falls on a Sunday

Sat 17<sup>th</sup> – St Fintan / Servite Founders

A Post Box has been installed outside the Parish Centre for requests for anniversaries, late collection envelopes, etc. or these can be brought to the sacristy. (not to the Parochial House).

The Parish Office is open Tues-Fri from 11am to 2pm for anyone needing baptismal certificates or organising a Mass.

**PARKING:** Parishioners are requested to keep clear the forecourt of the filling station as large vehicles have been unable to access the pumps. Thank you for your co-operation. Cars may park down in the farmyard.



## *Parish of Ardtrea North Newbridge & Ballymaguigan Parish Bulletin 11th Feb 2024*

### Contact Details –

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Deacon Kevin can be contacted for marriage arrangements and for funeral preparations. Emergency sick calls should be addressed to the priests in Magherafelt.

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WEBSITE: <https://www.sttreas.info>

FACEBOOK PAGE: St Treas – Parish of Newbridge & Ballymaguigan

WEBCAM: <https://www.churchmedia.tv/newbridge>

Deadline for Notices: 9am each Thursday. No adverts published.

C630 (Defibrillator code) SVP M'felt Helpline: 028 79300819

MAGHERAFELT – Saturday Vigil 6.15pm, Sunday 11.30am

CASTLEDAWSON – Sunday 9am

Weekday Masses – 11am Novena Monday 7.30pm

Confessions Saturday after 11am Mass & before 6.15pm Vigil Mass