

## **CHURCH OF ST. TREA PARISH BULLETIN**

**MINISTERS OF THE WORD:** Feb: Geraldine McIvor & Caroline Graham.

**MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION:** Feb: Monica Keenan.

**ALTAR SOCIETY:** Feb: Bridie Gribbin.

**COUNTERS:** Feb: Team C.

**THOSE WITH COELIAC CONDITION:** Please contact the sacristy before Mass.

**REMEMBER OUR DEAD:** Please pray for the repose of the souls of the recently deceased Anthony McCann, Emmett Downey (Leitrim), Michael McErlain, Eileen Mulvenna, Philomena O'Brien and those whose Month's Mind Masses or Anniversaries occur at this time.

**SUN 1 Feb:** James Gilmore, Patrick O'Neill, Kathleen Downey, Jackson Moore, Susan McLean, Hilda Walls.

**MON 2 Feb:** Frank Scullion, Imogen Cleary - Vang

**TUES 3 Feb:** Henry James O'Neill, Philomena Larkin.

**WED 4 Feb:** Jane McKenna, Henry Dougan, Rita Jackson, Annie O'Neill.

**THU 5 Feb:** Dan McPeake, Finola Chambers, Jeannie Bradley, Eddie O'Neill, Michael O'Neill, Martina Devlin.

**FRI 6 Feb:** Maisie Hurl, Jimmy O'Neill, Tom McKenna, Colum Bradley, Clare McConomy.

**SAT 7 Feb:** Tom & Sarah McCann, Lily Montgomery, John Murphy, Mary Muldoon (M.M.) Mass 10am

**SUN 8 Feb:** Annie Madden, Charles Pat Doyle, Mary Walls, Robert Fullerton, Elizabeth Toal, Seamus Doherty (M.M) Mass 10.15am.

Eternal rest grant to them, O Lord, 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.

**WEEKLY COLLECTION:** £1012.30. Thank you.

**Standing Order** – if you prefer to pay your envelope directly, please contact Parish Office 02879580515 or email newbridgechurch@googlemail.com

**MARY'S MEALS:** A very sincere and grateful thanks to St. Treas Newbridge and Ballymaguigan Parish for this wonderful donation of £1,150 received. Thank you for including Mary's Meals in your annual fundraiser. This fantastic amount will feed 60 children for a full year in school. Well done to everyone involved.

## **FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

**St Brigid's Day**

**1<sup>st</sup> FEBRUARY 2026**

**World Day for Consecrated Life, 2 February:** In 1997, Pope Saint John Paul II instituted a day for women and men in consecrated life. This global celebration is attached to the Feast of the Presentation of the Lord on February 2nd. The Feast is also known as Candlemas, the day on which candles are blessed symbolising Christ who is the light of the world. So too, those in consecrated life are called to reflect the light of Jesus Christ to all peoples.

**CHURCH** open for Private Prayer daily 10.30am until 5pm.

**WEEKEND MASS:** SUNDAY 10.15am

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**ADORATION:** Wednesday & Friday 10.30 - 11.30am.

**SICK & HOUSEBOUND:** Mon, Tues & Fri this week in the usual order and will include a blessing of the throats.

**WE WELCOME TO THE PARISH FAMILY:** Theo William Ryan.

**CANDLEMAS 2nd FEB:** Candles can be purchased in the sacristy - £1.50 each, and must be paid for before being blessed.

**ST BLAISE 3<sup>rd</sup> FEB:** Feast of St Blaise throats blessed after 10am Mass.

**DIOCESAN CONGRESS:** On Youth, Family and Faith, will take place in the Armagh City Hotel from 20–22 March. Please pray for this intention.

**MARRIAGE ENRICHMENT WEEKEND 20 – 22 March 2026** St Mary's Retreat Centre, Knock. Marriage Enrichment has, for many years, supported married couples in their Sacrament of Matrimony by offering them a sacred space to deepen their relationship, renew their commitment, and grow together through reflection, prayer, and dialogue.

**SR CLARE CROCKETT:** The Parishes of Bellaghy & Greenlough are having a combined Lenten Programme in Memory of Sr. Clare Crockett's 10th Anniversary. It will commence on Thursday 12th February with an information night, followed by weekly prayer nights from 19th Feb - 26th March.



### ST BRIGID,

You were a woman of peace.  
 You brought harmony where there was conflict.  
 You brought light to the darkness. You brought hope to the downcast. May the mantle of your peace cover those who are troubled and anxious, and may peace be firmly rooted in our hearts and in our world. Inspire us to act justly and to reverence all God has made. Brigid you were a voice for the wounded and the weary.  
 Strengthen what is weak within us. Calm us into a quietness that heals and listens.  
 May we grow each day into greater wholeness in mind, body and spirit.  
 Amen.

**GRAVEYARD:** Because burial ground in the parish is a very limited resource it is important to use it efficiently. For this reason, it is important that all new graves be deep enough for two coffins (a single grave is double deep). Only when more than two burials in a plot will be required can a double width be allocated. Guidelines can be read in the Church porch or on the parish website.

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).

Anyone needing Baptised, Baptismal Certificates or Mass please contact Parish Office.

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

**MARRIAGE PREPARATION COURSES** – for booking & information see [www.MarriageEncounter.ie](http://www.MarriageEncounter.ie) or [www.courses.accord.ie](http://www.courses.accord.ie)



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MAGHERAFELT – Saturday Vigil 6.15pm, Sunday 11.30am  
 Weekday Masses – 11am Novena Monday 7.30pm

CASTLEDAWSON – Sunday 9am.

CONFESSIONS: Magherafelt - Saturday 11.30am & 5.45pm