

PARISH BULLETIN

MINISTERS OF THE WORD: Aug – Michaela Diamond & Catherine Keenan
MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION: Aug – Malachy Gribbin.
ALTAR SOCIETY: Aug – Josie Mulholland
COUNTERS: Aug - 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 Mary Kealey (Funeral 11am Monday), Kyle Johnston, Susan Harkin and those whose Month's Mind Masses or Anniversaries occur at this time.

SUN 16 Aug: Patsy Walls, Patrick McElhone, John Joe Conway, John McElhone, Mary Murray, Pat Fullerton.

MON 17 Aug: Paddy McElhone, Mary Mulholland, John McCollum, Mary Russell, Patsy Mackle.

TUE 18 Aug: Seamus Diver, Dolores Heaney, Pat Doyle.

WED 19 Aug: Margaret McPeake, Paddy Duffy, John Young, Teresa Donnelly, Bella McAleer, Mary Ann McElhone, Maura Scullion, Patrick McRory.

THU 20 Aug: Katie McLaughlin, Nora Orr, Teresa Johnston.

FRI 21 Aug: Vincent McLaughlin.

SAT 22 Aug: Patricia Duffin, Charlie O'Neill, Anna Gribbin.

SUN 23 Aug: Alex McBride, Jim Shivers, Lewis Mackle.

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: £432.44, Priest's Dues £503.00. Thank you.
Standing Order – if you prefer to pay your envelope directly, please contact Parish Office 02879580515 or email newbridgechurch@googlemail.com

LOUGH DERG: One Day Retreats – Guided Days of Prayer and Reflection - places available on August 18th, 22nd, 23rd, 29th & 31st. Admission €50. Group discounts available. Advance Booking Essential. Includes Special Themed Retreats: 23rd August - St Peregrine, 5th September – Pioneer Pilgrimage, 6th September – St Carlos Acutis, 9th & 12th September – Vocations Monstrance Days, 19th September – Divine Mercy Pilgrimage.

20th SUNDAY ORDINARY TIME

16th August 2026

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.

MIRACULOUS MEDAL NOVENA: Monday 7pm. Everyone welcome.

DO YOU WANT TO LEARN MORE ABOUT YOUR FAITH? Do you want more confidence to play a role in your parish? If you are interested, why not consider joining our Diocesan Theology programme. The programme is accredited by St Patrick's Pontifical University, Maynooth. There are no educational entry requirements, and completion of the course is based on submitted work and does not include sitting exams. Our Theology programme will be continuing this year and starting late September. If you are interested and would like more information, contact Milanda at milanda@parishandfamily.ie All are welcome.

FOREVER YOUNG'S LUNCHEON CLUB (60 AND OVER):

Dinner, dessert, tea/coffee & biscuits - £6. Every Tuesday at 12pm (book in by Monday). InVOLve House, Queen Street, Magherafelt (old cinema)
Call Claire/Patricia for more info or to book in - 028 7930 1862

NEWBRIDGE CCE: Traditional music classes will be starting in Anahorish P.S. on Saturday, 12th September. Further information and registration details on our website - newbridge-cce.com

ANAM CARA BEREAVEMENT INFORMATION EVENING 15

SEPTEMBER 2026: Anam Cara is very pleased to announce our first Bereavement Information Evening especially dedicated to supporting surviving siblings this autumn. As part of our commitment to supporting everyone following the death of a child, we are exploring opportunities to further support the entire family. This event is the first, hopefully of many, of that commitment. This event is open to all parents whose child or children have died, regardless of the age of their child, circumstances of their death, or time since bereavement. We are also opening this Bereavement Information Evening to bereaved adult siblings over 18. This event will take place online on **Tuesday 15 September at 7pm.**



*Blessed Mother Mary, Queen of Heaven, I seek your intercession today. Guide my thoughts towards God's will, and help me follow the path of grace. Strengthen me to remain faithful even when the way feels unclear. Teach me to love more deeply, forgive more freely, and trust more fully in God's promises. Cover my life with your gentle protection and lead me closer to your Son each day.
Amen.*



***Parish of Ardtrea North
Newbridge & Ballymaguigan
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Emergency sick calls should be addressed to the priests in Magherafelt.

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BULLETIN: DEADLINE FOR NOTICES: 9am each Thursday. No adverts published.

WEBSITE: www.sttreas.info (Defibrillator code C630).

FACEBOOK PAGE: St Treas – Parish of Newbridge & Ballymaguigan

WEBCAM: <https://www.churchmedia.tv/newbridge> or on our Facebook page 10am weekdays and 10.15am Sunday

SAFEGUARDING OFFICER: Siobhan Kealey 07921382293

ST VINCENT DE PAUL Helpline 028 7930 0819

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

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 or Deacon Kevin.

MARRIAGE PREPARATION COURSES – for booking & information see www.MarriageEncounter.ie or www.courses.accord.ie

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.

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.