



Open Door Complex:

Luncheon Club: Monday 12:00noon— 1:00pm

Legion Of Mary now meet in the hall every Wednesday 6:00pm to 7:00pm. All welcome.

Pantomime Time!! Bellaghy Pantomime players Present Cinderella at The OpenDoor Complex Sun 18 Dec at 2:30pm & 8:00pm. To book your tickets call Noel- 07841510222, Hughie-0709896259,Paddy- 028793877, adult £10 child £5.

The Rosary Coasters will meet on Sunday 18 December at 3pm on Benone Strand, left hand side as usual. There MAY be a Christmas cupcake or two for afters. Everyone welcome, bring a friend and wrap up warm! Details 07730330028.

Meeting for couples getting married: There will be a meeting in the Prayer Room at St Mary's Church, Bellaghy, at 2pm on Sunday 22 January 2023 for all couples getting married in the parishes of Bellaghy and Greenlough in 2023 and early 2024.



Couples from the parishes who are planning to marry elsewhere are welcome to attend.

Year of Vocations:

The child to be born will be called Emmanuel, a name that means "God-with-us." We pray for those called to the priesthood and religious life in their mission to proclaim the Good News of God's love and of the presence of God in and with His people.

If you are considering such a vocation, contact the Diocesan Vocations Director, Fr Pat O'Hagan, at pgoh2111@gmail.com or mail info@vocations.ie



St Mary's Bellaghy/St Joseph's Ballyscullion. 18 December 2022 Fourth Sunday of Advent

Mass Times:

Mon 19: 9.30am, Bellaghy Tues 20: 9.30am, Greenlough

Wed 21: 9.30am, Bellaghy, (with prayers for the sick)

Thurs 22: 7.30pm, Greenlough Fri 23: 9.30am, Bellaghy.

Sat 24: Vigil at 5.30pm (Greenlough)

6pm Ballyscullion 7pm (Bellaghy)

Sun 25: 9am (Greenlough) 10am (St Joseph's)11am (Bellaghy)

Penitential Service:

Greenlough: The Penitential Service will take place on Monday 19 Dec @ 7.30pm Bellaghy: The Penitential Service will take place on Tuesday 20 Dec at 7.30pm.

<u>Ordination to the Diaconate.</u> We ask you to keep Stephen Ward in your thoughts and prayers as he prepares for his ordination as Deacon on Sunday 6 January in Waterside Parish.

May God bless Stephen as he continues in his journey towards priestly ministry.

Christmas Mass Times:

Bellaghy:

Sat 24 Dec 7pm Sun 25 Dec 11am

St Joseph's, Ballyscullion:

Sat 24 Dec 6pm Sun 25 Dec 10am

Greenlough:

Sat 24 Dec 5.30pm Sun 25 Dec 9am



December Schedules:

St Mary's: Eucharistic Ministers:

Vigil: C O'Neill, M Larkin, B McMenamin, J McGoldrick.

11am: M Scullion, T O'Kane, P Diamond. **Weekdays: Morning:** Betty Campbell

Readers: Vigil: Louise Steele **11am** Fidelma McClenaghan **Weekdays:** Anyone interested, please contact the parish office.

Church Cleaners: John Paul II students

Church Stewards: Vigil: Francis Diamond, Aidan Diamond.

11am: Brian Scullion, Peter Diamond.

Car Park: Pius Diamond & Chris Diamond.

Altar Society: Kathleen McGoldrick

St Joseph's: Eucharistic Ministers: K McErlain & C Quinn

Reader: Neil Duffin

Altar Society: 11 Dec: Maura McErlain 18 & 25 Dec: Helen Duffin

ANNIVERSARIES

Sat/Sun 17/18: Sarah Doherty, Anthony Gygax, PJ Agnew, Kevin Agnew, Jim McElhone, John O'Boyle, Maggie Scullion, Frank Scullion, Frank Harte. Fr Blee SMA

Mon 19: Gerry O'Neill, Roy Molloy, Annie McLaughlin,

Tues 20: Barney Lynn,

Thurs 22: Mary Convery, Sheila Scullion,

Sat/Sun 24/25: Maeve Scullion, Charles John Agnew, Barney Mawhinney Geraldine McErlane, Biddy Joyce, Seamus Gribbin, Kevin McErlean,

Paddy Nesbitt,

May they rest in peace.

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Samaritans 08457 909090 or 02871265511

<u>Children In Crossfire Advent Appeal:</u> Children in Crossfire Advent Appeal boxes are now available at the back of the chapel. Thank you for your support We ask that envelopes are returned **on or before Sunday 8 January.**

<u>Parish Christmas Mass Bouquets</u> are available from the Sacristy and Parish Office. *Minimum donation £2*. This year proceeds will go to the Macmillan Unit, Antrim Area Hospital.

St Mary's Primary School and Nursery Unit

Open Morning Monday 19 Dec 9.30-10.30am For parents and children considering applications to our Nursery Unit or Primary School September 2023. The online application procedure opens from 12 noon 10 Jan until 12 noon on 27 Jan 2023.

Friends of Bellaghy Lotto No's: 3. 6. 7. 27

£25 each Siobhan Brady & Paul Doherty Jackpot £5000

<u>Castledawson GAC</u>: Lotto; 2, 15, 19, 24 £25 Paddy Bradley £25 Benny Wilson Next Week's Jackpot £1,000

Sacred Heart

Messenger 2023:

The subscription of £22 is now due, and should be returned to your promotor or the Parish Office or Sacristic Charmes about the

ty. Cheques should be made payable to St Mary's Church.

We welcome into God's family through Baptism:

Layla Mary McKinley, Ballymacombs Road. Lara Graffin, Ballynease Road.

Holy Baptism

The Offertory Collection for last week was £1,755.00

Thank you for your generosity.

Any cheques should be made payable to

St Mary's Church as per bank instructions.

