

Sunday 20th November 2022

Our Lord Jesus Christ King of the Universe

Pastoral Community of Downpatrick Parish of Dunsford & Ardglass

How worthy is the Lamb who was slain, to receive power and divinity, and wisdom and strength and honour. To him belong glory and power for ever and ever.

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Weekly Collection: We acknowledge with grateful thanks last week's Offertory Promise Collection which came to £649.00. Direct Debits £55.00. Loose plate £486.00.

MASSES for SUNDAY:

ARDGLASS	6.30pm Vigil Saturday
	11.30am Sunday Funeral Mass Fiona Boyd
DUNSFORD	10.00am Sunday

Other Weekday Masses:

ARDGLASS: Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday 10.00am

DUNSFORD: **MONDAY FUNERAL MASS ROSEMARY MUTTON 12.00**
Thursday 10.00

CONFESSIONS: Sat 6.00-6.25pm (or upon request)

RECENTLY DECEASED: PATRICK FITZSIMONS, ROSEMARY MUTTON, FIONA BOYD.

ANNIVERSARIES: Billy Cope, Sarah Gracey, Philomena Teggart, Hugh Cross, James Cahir, Bernard McVickers, Eileen McAvoy, Patrica Ross, Jack Cultra, John McGreevy, Irene Thompson, Bernard Feenan, Philomena Lennon, Irene Doyle.

Legion of Mary Parish Visitation: Please welcome 18 members of the Legion of Mary who are visiting some houses in pairs in different parts of the Parish this afternoon Sunday 18th November. Their aim is simply to talk with people and/or/ to encourage them in the practice of their faith.

Children's Mass

Our Mass last Saturday was a wonderful success. Thanks to all those who attended, participated, and/or/ who helped with the organisation.

If parents would like their child/children to participate in the next Children's Mass (10am St Mary's Chapel Dunsford Sunday 11 December), please phone or text Fr McCloskey 028 4484108 or Mairead 07714248349 leaving your name and contact number and we will get back to you

Annual Community Carol Service

Marina Car park Sunday 11th December 4pm (please note the new start time)

'Marianne Making Memories' Christmas Craft Fair

Sunday 4th December St Nicholas Primary School 11am -2pm Range of Stalls, Tombola, Tea, Coffee, Treats, Santa. Everyone Welcome

A good way to prepare for Christmas

This Advent, we invite you to join with us for a time of discussion, reflection and praying with the Gospels through Lectio Divina (Divine Reading) as we prepare our hearts and minds to welcome the child Jesus this Christmas. The sessions will run for 4 weeks online via zoom and will be facilitated by Fr Paul Byrne and Aishling Steen from the Living Church Office. We have 2 options for you to join in: Beginning Monday 21st November @7:30 pm or Tuesday 22nd November @11:30 am for 4 weeks. To book your place please contact Claire at livingchurch@downandconnor.org or telephone 02890690920.

Men of Ireland: Rediscover your Catholic faith

Men's retreat weekend: St Michael the Archangel Church Belfast Friday 25th -27th November: Friday 6pm – Sunday after lunch. Non- residential. £20 (includes 4 meals) For more information & to book, contact Luke McCann on 07955386288 or lukefjmccann@gmail.com Retreat is hosted by Legion of Mary and will be given by the Servant Brothers of the Home of the Mother.