

Holy Week Ceremonies

Palm Sunday

6.30 pm Vigil Mass (Sat 1st)

10.00 Dunsford 11.30 Ardglass

Penitential Service: in St. Patrick's Church Downpatrick at 5pm.

Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday 3rd, 4th, 5th 10.00am Mass Ardglass

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament Tuesday 11am -11.00pm Ardglass

Confessions after Masses on Monday and Tuesday (no confessions on Wednesday)

Holy Thursday Dunsford: No Morning Mass

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament will begin at 11.00am and cease at 3.00pm)

7.00pm Mass of the Lord's Supper (**Dunsford**) followed by confessions

'Watch with the Lord' Holy Hour 8.30- 9.30pm at the Altar of Repose in St Mary's Church.

Good Friday (Day of Fast and Abstinence)

3.00pm: Stations of the Cross (**in Dunsford**) followed by confessions

7.00pm: The Celebration of the Passion of the Lord (**in Ardglass**)

Holy Saturday Ardglass

6.00-6.30pm Confessions

8.30pm Easter Vigil

Easter Sunday Masses

10.00 am Dunsford Children's Mass 11.30 am Ardglass

Easter Week Masses

(**No Masses** on Monday, Tuesday Wednesday or Thursday)

Mass in Ardglass on Easter Friday 14th April at 10am

Adoration of the Most Holy Eucharist:

Ardglass: Easter Tuesday 11.00am -6.00pm

Dunsford Easter Thursday 11.00am-6.00pm

Please do your best to participate in the Holy Week Ceremonies.

OTHER BULLETIN NOTICES:

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WEEKLY COLLECTION: We acknowledge with grateful thanks last week's Offertory Promise Collection which came to £551.50, Loose plate £467.00, Direct Debits £55.00, Building Fund came to £208.50 loose plate £125.00.

ANNIVERSARIES: Deirdre & Ella Fitzgerald, Elizabeth Kearney, Teresa Laverty, John Ross, Mamie Smyth, Pat Branniff, Bernadette Kearney, Phillip Fitzsimons, Edward Smyth, Aldo Venacia

PREPARATION FOR EASTER SUNDAY CHILDREN'S MASS: Any parents who wish their children to take an active role are asked to come to St. Mary's Church Dunsford, on Monday evening 3rd February at 6.30pm

TROCAIRE BOXES: Please return asap or if you simply wish to make a donation to Trocaire, please write a cheque made payable to the parish of Dunsford and Ardglass (and mark the envelope for Trocaire).

Parish Volunteers A big thanks to all our Parish Volunteers who contribute to the life of the parish in so many different ways, and without whom the Parish would be lacking in so many ways.

Congratulations to our Primary 3 children from both schools who made their first confessions recently

LEGION OF MARY MORNING STAR VOLUNTEERS SOUGHT Catholic men and women wanted to join The Legion of Mary, to help with the mission of the Legion to care for the spiritual and temporal needs of vulnerable and homeless men living in Morning Star House, Divis Street, Belfast. For more information please call 07596128437 after 5pm any day.

Diocesan Vocation Retreat for young men interested in the Priesthood:

21-23 April @ Drumalis Retreat House Larne directed by Fr Stephen Langridge
For more information, please contact Fr Conor McGrath Diocesan Vocations Director
028 90654157 or Fr Gerry McCloskey

Pilgrimages:

- 1. All Ireland Rosary Rally, (Day Pilgrimage), Saturday 3 June. The Legion of Mary are running a bus...For more details phone Sean McAlea 07504041526**
- 2. Down & Connor Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes 12-17 July For more info phone 02890770162 or visit www.downandconnor.org/lourdes**

A very happy Easter to all!

(Please note there will be no bulletin for the next two weeks)