



Parish Bulletin

ST. JOHN THE EVANGELIST
FALLS ROAD

19 MAY 2019

FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

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PARISH MASS TIMES

Saturday Vigil 6.30pm
Sunday 10.00am, 12.00pm
Monday-Saturday 10.00am

FIRST FRIDAY

Exposition until 11.30am

CONFESSIONS

Saturday 5.30pm - 6.00pm

NOVENA IN HONOUR OF OUR LADY OF PERPETUAL HELP

Tuesday 10.00 am

BAPTISM

2nd and 4th Sunday of the month 1 pm

BAPTISMS Please contact the parish office at least one month before the intended date of the Baptism.
MARRIAGE Please contact Parish office at least six months before the intended date of marriage.

NEWLY BAPTISED We welcome into the family of the Church and congratulate the parents of: Cormac Anthony Mackin, Eóin Bernard Kerr.

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

Continues every Thursday **after 10am Mass** and continues **until 9pm**. If you can spare **an hour** each week, please leave your name, telephone number and your preferred hour in the Sacristy or contact the parish office.

MORNING PRAYER OF THE CHURCH

Morning Prayer of the Church **EACH MORNING** in the Adoration Chapel in St John's Church at 9.40am. All are welcome.

REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS

RECENTLY DECEASED: John Joe Knocker (Our Lady's Home, formerly Whiterock Crescent).

MONTH'S MIND: Rosie Crawford, Gerard McGoran. **ANNIVERSARIES:** Joseph Savage, Mary Savage and Joseph Savage Jr., Theresa Norney, Theresa Magee, John Kelly.

REMEMBER ALSO: The Holy Souls.

Eternal Rest grant unto them, o Lord...

POPE FRANCIS TWEETS

'Mary, Virgin of Fatima, we are certain that each one of us is precious in your eyes and that nothing in our hearts has estranged you. Guard our life with your embrace, guide us all on the path to holiness.'

Follow Pope Francis on Twitter @Pontifex or @VaticanNews



HAVE YOUR SAY

"BUILDING FOR THE FUTURE" CONSULTATION YOUR RESPONSE

You can voice your view on the proposed options by email, phoning the parish office or calling in during office hours, filling out a very short online survey, or by filling out the short survey contained in the Leaflet that was recently delivered to your home and dropping it back to the church by Wednesday 29th May.

Conor Neeson the Parish Manager will be available at the back of the church on 18th/19th May & 25th/26th May after all Masses to answer any questions.

Leaflets are still available at the back of the church.

The **HOUSE OF PRAYER** has an open door! It's a place to meet Jesus in a relaxed and friendly atmosphere. **Every Wednesday, 7-8pm Green Room @ St John's** Want info? Call Mary on 07821190906 or email info@koinonia.ie

CEMETERY SUNDAYS 2019

City Cemetery

Sunday -19th May 2019 @ 3:00pm, People are invited to gather at the graves of their loved ones for 3:00 pm. Sound amplification will be proved throughout the City Cemetery.

The service will be led from St John's Church for those who prefer to gather there, particularly to facilitate the elderly or infirm.

Individual graves will be blessed by a number of clergy during the Service

St Joseph's Hannahstown

Sunday, 26th May 2019 @ 3.00pm, Mass will be held in the grounds of St Joseph's Church / Cemetery, followed by the Blessing of the

THE LUMEN FIDEI INSTITUTE ROADSHOW 2019

Crisis In The Catholic Church The Lay Response

Thursday, 30th May 2019, 7.30pm - 10.00pm

Holy Rosary Parish Centre

503, Ormeau Road, Belfast, Co Antrim

Presented by: Anthony Murphy, Catholic Voice Editor & John Lacken, Catholic Voice Columnist.

ST JOHN'S PARISH HALL AVAILABLE FOR HIRE

For more information please contact Conor on 90314112 (Option 2), email: stjohnsphbelfast@icloud.com; HOURLY RATE: £20.

WeightWatchers meet in St Johns Parish Hall on Mondays at 5.30pm. For info call Bernie 07789813337.

PARISH COLLECTIONS - 12 May 2019

Weekly Offering: **£626;**

Education of Diocesan Students: **£410**

2nd collection this week: Building Fund;

next week: Building Fund.

Sincere thanks for your continued generosity!

Gift Aid

If you are a visitor to the parish and a UK tax payer and would like to make a contribution to the parish collection, please complete a **Gift Aid envelope** at the back of the church and put your contribution in it.

INVITATION TO BOOK LAUNCH

Deeper Into the Mess Praying Through Tough Times by **Brendan McManus SJ and Jim Deeds**

Where: Fitzroy Presbyterian Church, University Street, Belfast BT7 1HL. When: Sunday, 19th May at 7pm

Hosted by: Rev. Steve Stockman. What: A book launch featuring an interview with the authors; Music, stories & readings from the book

NATIONAL DAY OF REPARATION AND REPENTANCE

Please join us for an afternoon of Prayer and Reparation for Ireland's voting for Abortion on 25 May last year and for the ways our Country has turned away from God. **Saturday, 25 May - St. Mary's Church, central Belfast, 1pm - 3.15pm (Mass at 1pm).**

Please come along, much prayer is needed. Adoration & veneration of the relic of the Holy Face of Jesus will be included.

VACANCY - TRIBUNAL/CHANCERY ADMINISTRATOR

We are currently recruiting for the role of Part-time Tribunal/Chancery Administrator within the Armagh Inter-Diocesan Marriage Tribunal and Judicial Vicariate offices based at 120 Cliftonville Road, Belfast, BT14 6LA.

The terms are based on a permanent appointment requiring 24.5 hours attendance each week. Work pattern required will be Monday to Wednesday from 9.00 am to 5.00 pm daily and on a Thursday from 9.00 am - 12.30 pm.

For more details and the application pack visit: <http://www.downandconnor.org/job-vacancies> or www.nijobs.com Closing date for applications will be 12.00 noon on Friday 31st May 2019.

MASS BOUQUETS may be acquired from the Sacristy or the Repository Shop.

NOTE TO PARENTS AND GUARDIANS No child should be going to the church toilet unaccompanied.

CONTACT DETAILS

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Option 1 - Parish Office; **Option 2** - Parish Hall;

Option 3 - Parish Priest

Option 5 - Bethany Bereavement Support Group

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