



Parish Bulletin

**ST. JOHN
THE EVANGELIST**
FALLS ROAD

9 JUNE 2019

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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.

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.

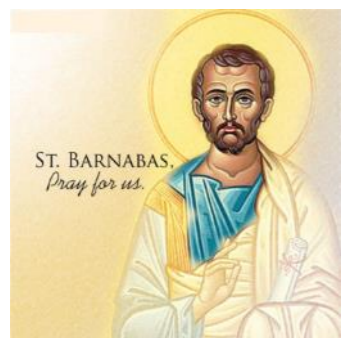
THE HOLY MASS / AN TAIFREANN NAOFA

Our next **bilingual Mass** will take place on Sunday, 16th June @ the 10am mass Preparation (incl. the Mass responses in Irish) will be provided on Tuesday, 11th June, at 7pm in St John's Church.

We hope you will join us, Bigi Linn!!!

Church Door collection for the Diocese of Down and Connor **Lourdes Pilgrimage** will take place this weekend **8th & 9th June 2019**.

CLONARD NOVENA 19-27 JUNE 2019



SAINTS THIS WEEK

Tuesday - **St Barnabas**, Apostle;
Thursday - **St Anthony of Padua**, Priest & Doctor;
Friday - **St Davnet**, Virgin.

REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS

RECENTLY DECEASED: Fr. Aidan Denny (Former curate of St John's, C.C P.E. Corpus Christi Parish), Davy McKnight (Whiterock Dr).

MONTH'S MIND: John Joe Knocker.

ANNIVERSARIES: Elizabeth Forker, Teresa McAleese, Patrick & Dympna Moore, Jonny McDonald, Mary Frances Larkin, Patrick Brennan.

REMEMBER ALSO: The Holy Souls.

Eternal Rest grant unto them, o Lord...

MORNING PRAYER OF THE CHURCH

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

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 07821 190906 or email info@koinonia.ie

POPE FRANCIS TWEETS

'As Christians we are called to manifest, even on the internet, the communion that marks our identity as believers, opening the way to dialogue, encounter, and to smiles.'

Follow Pope Francis on Twitter @Pontifex or @VaticanNews

"BUILDING FOR THE FUTURE" CONSULTATION

Thank you to all those parishioners who have responded to the consultation on the future of our church building. The consultation results are on display at the back of the church and on the parish website www.stjohnsfallsroad.com/pc

Total Returns: 228

Option 2: 11% (Demolish and rebuild a new church with gathering space)

Option 3: 12% (Demolish the church and rebuild the same size)

Option 4: 2% (Demolish and rebuild half the size)

Option 5: 44% (Refurbish and repair with gathering space)

Option 6: 30% (Refurbish and repair)

As a result of the consultation returns, the parish has submitted an application to the trustees of the diocese requesting permission to carry out the most urgent of works (roof and heating)

THE PRIESTS

Mid-Summer Evening with THE PRIESTS on Friday, 21 June in St. Bernadette's Church, Rosetta Road Belfast at 8pm. Tickets £25 (under 19s free). Telesales: Philip 07803 018891, Matchett Music, Wellington Place or Bread & Banjo, Ormeau Road. Debit/credit card sales: www.stbernadettesparish.org

PARISH HALL KITCHEN

We are delighted to announce that our parish has been awarded a grant of £9,950 by the National Lottery **Awards for All NI**. The money will be used for the upgrade of St John's Parish Hall kitchen.

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

PARISH COLLECTIONS - 2 June 2019

Weekly Offering: **£723**;

Monthly Stipend: **£530**.

2nd collection this week: Building Fund;

next week: Peter's Pence.

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.

SPRINGVALE LEARNING ENROLMENT

The Springvale Group is one of Northern Ireland's leading providers of quality employment & learning services, delivering training and employment programmes to young people and adults throughout Northern Ireland. School leavers (16-18 year old) are now invited to enrol with us. For details of training available and to enrol contact us on: Springvale Learning, 200 Springfield Road, Belfast, BT12 7DR; Email: info@springvalelearning.com; Tel: +44 (0)28 9024 2362, Website: www.springvalelearning.com/

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.

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

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

CONTACT DETAILS

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

Option 3 - Parish Priest; **Option 5** - Bethany

Bereavement Support Group

Email: stjohns@downandconnor.org

Website: www.stjohnsfallsroad.com

Facebook: [stjohnsparishfallsroad](https://www.facebook.com/stjohnsparishfallsroad)

