

**CHURCH OF ST. TREA
PARISH BULLETIN**

ALTAR SOCIETY: January: Colette Slevin

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January: Fionnuala McLarnon

COUNTERS: January: Team B

REMEMBER OUR DEAD: Please pray for the repose of the souls of the recently deceased Michael McPeake, Collette Hogge and the deceased priests and benefactors of this Parish and for those whose Month's Mind Masses or Anniversaries occur at this time.

SUN 5 Jan: Eddie Walls, Eugene Crozier, Dolores Madden, Tom Pratt (1st AV), Mary McArdle (M.M.).

MON 6 Jan: James McKee, Bernard Rea, Cecilia Kinghan, James Mackle, Patrick O'Neill, Bernard O'Neill, Donal McNeill.

TUES 7 Jan: Paul Devlin, Joseph Donnelly, Patrick Joseph Quigley, Margaret McKeever, Jim Walls.

WED 8 Jan: John McKeever, John Mackle, Sarah Young.

THU 9 Jan: Michelle Pooley, Dermot Corr, Margaret Gribbin.

FRI 10 Jan: Annie McKenna, Annie Devlin, Mick Gribbin, Lewis Doyle, Martha McMurray, Jim Mc Donagh, Mary McErlane.

SAT 11 Jan: Rose Mulholland, Alphonsus (Phonsie) Bradley, Michael McPeake (M.M. 10am)

SUN 12 Jan: Teresea Regan, Patrick Doyle, Eugene McErlain, Una Doyle (1st AV 10.15am)

Eternal rest grant to them, O Lord, and may the perpetual light shine upon them. May their souls and the souls of all the faithful departed through the mercy of God rest in peace. Amen.

WEEKLY COLLECTION: £777.44, Priests Dues £20. Thank you.

CHRISTMAS CHARITY COLLECTION: £1,997 Marys Meals & De Paul (Homeless Charity Belfast). Thank you.

Standing Order – if you prefer to pay your envelope directly, please contact Parish Office 02879580515 or email newbridgechurch@googlemail.com

THOSE WITH COELIAC CONDITION: Please contact the sacristy before Mass.

PRAYER AFTER HOLY COMMUNION: O my Jesus receive my poor offering. You have given Yourself to me, and now let me give myself to you: I give you my body, that it may be chaste and pure. I give You my soul, that it may be free from sin. I give You my heart, that it may always love Thee. I give You every breath that I shall breathe, especially my last. I give you myself, in life and in death, that I may be Yours for ever and ever. Amen.

**SECOND SUNDAY AFTER CHRISTMAS YEAR C.
5th January 2025**

POPE'S INTENTIONS FOR THE MONTH OF JANUARY: For The Right To An Education. Let us pray for migrants, refugees and those affected by war, that their right to an education, which is necessary to build a better world, might always be respected.

JUBILEE YEAR 2025: "As the Jubilee Year's theme suggests, during 2025 we are all invited to be pilgrims of hope in our daily lives, renewing our commitment to faith, love and service. Let us journey together in prayer and action, united by the hope we find in Christ."

CHURCH open for Private Prayer daily 10.30am until Dusk.

WEEKEND MASS: SUNDAY 10.15am

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ADORATION: Wednesday & Friday 10.30 - 11.30am.

THE EPIPHANY OF THE LORD: Mass at 10am Monday 6th Jan. It is a Holy Day of Obligation.

DESIGNATED BOOK: to be signed in the Sacristy if you are bringing Holy Communion to someone at home.

ARCHDIOCESE OF ARMAGH ANNUAL PILGRIMAGE TO

LOURDES: Archdiocese of Armagh annual pilgrimage to Lourdes takes place 5 – 10 May 2025. Cost per person sharing €995.00 and single room supplement is €205.00

A PRAYER BY TELEPHONE: The Sisters of Mercy "Bethany" 34 Point Road, Dundalk. Welcome any person who may wish to request prayer, especially during these difficult times. All requests are confidential Tel: 0035342-9331602 9am -9pm daily. One of the sisters will be happy to Listen and Pray with you.

ST PIUS X COLLEGE, MAGHERAFELT: Open Day is on Saturday 11th January 2025. Invitations have been distributed to P7 pupils. Parents/Guardians of pupils in Anahorish and St Trea's Primary Schools are invited to attend at 9.30am.



Feast of the Epiphany

Father, the star that led the Magi to the stable announced to the world that its Saviour was born. Today we live in a world that is still covered by darkness, and still needing to make that journey to the stable door. May our lives reflect your light day by day, as we seek to serve where you have placed us. That we might be the means through which others can encounter Jesus Christ. Amen



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Feasts of the Week

Mon 6 Jan – The Epiphany of The Lord.
Tues 7 Jan - St Raymond of Penyafort.
Wed 8 Jan - Our Lady of Prompt Succor.
Thurs 9 Jan - St Adrian of Canterbury.
Sat 11 Jan - St Eithne

GRAVEYARD: Because burial ground in the parish is a very limited resource it is important to use it efficiently. For this reason, it is important that all new graves be deep enough for two coffins (a single grave is double deep). Only when more than two burials in a plot will be required can a double width be allocated. Guidelines can be read in the Church porch or on the parish website. (www.sttreas.info)

A Post Box has been installed outside the Parish Centre for requests for anniversaries, late collection envelopes, etc. or these can be brought to the sacristy. (not to the Parochial House).
Anyone needing baptismal certificates or organising a Mass please contact Deacon Kevin.

PARKING: Parishioners are requested to keep clear the forecourt of the filling station as large vehicles have been unable to access the pumps. Please leave a place opposite the gate for the Magherafelt Priest. Thank you for your co-operation. Cars may park down in the farmyard.

Contact Details –

FR GATES: 028 79632439 - FR. JUAN: 07736955013

DEACON KEVIN DUFFY: 07960974645

Deacon Kevin can be contacted for marriage arrangements and for funeral preparations. Emergency sick calls should be addressed to the priests in Magherafelt. (Numbers above)

PARISH OFFICE: 028 79580515 (New Number)

PARISH BULLETIN: Text: 07872385538

EMAIL: newbridgechurch@googlemail.com

WEBSITE: www.sttreas.info C630 (Defibrillator code)

FACEBOOK PAGE: St Treas – Parish of Newbridge & Ballymaguigan

WEBCAM: <https://www.churchmedia.tv/newbridge> or on our facebook page 10am weekdays and 10.15am Sunday

SAFEGUARDING OFFICER: Siobhan Kealey 07921382293

DEADLINE FOR NOTICES: 9am each Thursday. No adverts published.

ST VINCENT DE PAUL Helpline 028 7930 0819

MAGHERAFELT – Saturday Vigil 6.15pm, Sunday 11.30am

Weekday Masses – 11am Novena Monday 7.30pm

CASTLEDAWSON – Sunday 9am.

CONFESSIONS: Magherafelt - Saturday after 11am Mass & before 6.15pm Vigil Mass