

**CHURCH OF ST. TREA
PARISH BULLETIN**

MINISTERS OF THE WORD: May – Seamus Doyle & Francis Bradley.
MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION: May – Paula Coleman.
ALTAR SOCIETY: May: Colette Slevin
COUNTERS: May: Team C.

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

REMEMBER OUR DEAD: Please pray for the repose of the souls of the recently deceased William Young, Johnny Gilmore, Joe Barton, Bernie Conway, Madge Walls, Eamon Downey and those whose Month's Mind Masses or Anniversaries occur at this time.

SUN: 17 May: Tommy Doherty.

MON 18 May: Margaret Coleman, Sarah Jane Toal.

TUES 19 May: Paul Murray, Francis Hinfey, Bridget Lavery.

WED 20 May: Brendan McErlain, Margaret Doyle, John Cravagan, Karen McErlain.

THU 21 May: Margaret Devlin, Sadie Mulholland.

FRI 22 May: Mary Robinson, Daniel Campbell, John McErlean, Andrew Reid,
Joe Shivers, Seamus Thornton, John Downey, May Donnelly,
Jenny McGrogan

SAT 23 May: Francis Gilmore.

SUN: 24 May: Annie Doyle, James Shivers, Patricia McCann.

Eternal rest grant to them, O Lord, 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: Parish £1011.61, Trócaire £1631.00 to date.
Thank you.

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

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.

**ASCENSION OF THE LORD
17th May 2026**

Today marks the 60th World Day of Social Communications.

CHURCH: Open for Private Prayer daily 10.30am until 5pm.

WEEKEND MASS: SUNDAY 10.15am

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ADORATION: Wednesday & Friday 10.30 - 11.30am.

MIRACULOUS MEDAL NOVENA: Will be recited every Monday evening in St Treas Church starting Monday 25th May at 7pm. Feast of the Blessed Virgin Mary, Mother of the Church. Medals will be blessed on the night as well as enrolment in the brown scapular. The novena, rosary and scapular prayer will be said. Everyone welcome.

GRAVEYARD SUNDAY: 21st June 10.15am.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED: For cleaning the Church. If interested please contact the parish office.

EXAMS: We remember in our prayers all our children who are sitting their exams at this time.

CAM ROCK: Sunday 5th July at 3pm. This year again we are hoping to walk from the Elk to the Mass Rock. Note for your diaries.

LOUGH DERG: Lough Derg will host their Day of Friendship and Prayer on Wednesday 20th May. This special annual event promotes Christian unity. Admission fee of €25 includes boat fare, refreshments, and lunch. Advance booking is essential. www.loughderg.org info@loughderg.org tel. 353 071 9861518. +353 (0)71 9861518.

WORLDWIDE MARIAN PROCESSION: Feast of the Immaculate Heart of Mary. Saturday 13th June 2026. St Mary's Chapel, Creggan, Derry.

THE 41st ALL IRELAND ROSARY RALLY: Will take place in Knock Shrine on 6th June. The Rally is focused on Peace in the World and Renewal of the Faith in Ireland.

ASCENSION OF THE LORD

God our Father, make us joyful in the ascension of your Son Jesus Christ. May we follow him into the new creation, for his ascension is our glory and our hope. We ask this through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever.
Amen.



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Emergency sick calls should be addressed to the priests in Magherafelt.

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

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

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

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MAGHERAFELT – Saturday Vigil 6.15pm, Sunday 11.30am
Weekday Masses – 11am Novena Monday 7.30pm

CASTLEDAWSON – Sunday 9am.

CONFESSIONS: Magherafelt - Saturday 11.30am & 5.45pm

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 Baptised, Baptismal Certificates or Mass please contact Parish Office or Deacon Kevin.

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.

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

MARRIAGE PREPARATION COURSES – for booking & information see www.courses.accord.ie, or www.MarriageEncounter.ie