

# *St. Patrick's Ballinderry*

*Parish Priest*  
Fr Peter Donnelly

*Week Commencing*  
21<sup>st</sup> August 2022

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## Sunday Masses

Saturday Vigil at 6:30pm

Sunday at 10am

Live transmission at [www.churchservices.tv/ballinderry](http://www.churchservices.tv/ballinderry) and Parish Radio

## Weekday Masses

Monday- Saturday at 10am

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## Church Opening Hours

Monday- Sunday: 8am- 5pm

**Visitors are advised that webcam may be in use.**

## Liturgy Group Rota- August 2022

**Saturday 27<sup>th</sup> August**      **Sunday 28<sup>th</sup> August**

Ryan McErlane              Rosemary O'Donnell

## Parish Envelopes

Weekly Envelopes have been delivered to homes in Ballinderry Parish. It is important to emphasise that the **weekly collection is our sole means of revenue** to maintain and manage the Church, Graveyard, Church Grounds, Church properties. We receive no funding from public agencies, grants or subsidies of any kind and are required to be self-sufficient.

## Conference in Benburb Priory

### The 'Meaning Crisis', Modernity, and the Christian Way

Benburb Priory will host a one-day conference on the meaning crisis (rise in suicides, depression, and more) and the Christian way, today.

The conference will feature leading Christian thinkers, including Paul

Kingsnorth, Paul Vander Klay, and Fr Calvin Robinson.

This event will take place on Friday 2nd September.

Tickets are available at [www.Benburbpriory.com](http://www.Benburbpriory.com).

All welcome.

## Archbishop Martin States:

“Concerns have already been expressed in Ireland, and around the world, that the Synodal discussions could damage, rather than create, communion in the Church. Synodality is sometimes misunderstood as a kind of parliamentary, voting system where majority opinions might overturn longstanding Church tradition or core teaching.

To guard against this possibility, Pope Francis has emphasised in his book *Let us dream. The path to a better future*, that the Synodal journey must always be guided by the Holy Spirit, and have its foundation in the Word of God, in prayer and in adoration. He writes (p 84-85):

“What is under discussion at Synodal gatherings are not traditional truths of Christian doctrine. The Synod is concerned mainly with how teaching can be lived and applied in the changing contexts of our time... What characterises as a Synodal path is the role of the Holy Spirit”.

It is vitally important that we work together here in Ireland to ensure that our ongoing Synodal journey will avoid divisiveness and polarisation of views, or degenerate into a kind of “them and us” adversarial process which loses sight of our shared belonging within the Church of Christ.”

## Phone First Service- Emergency Departments and Minor Injuries NI

The Phone First service is designed for patients who are feeling unwell and considering travelling to an ED with an injury or illness which requires urgent treatment but is not immediately life threatening.

### **Craigavon Area Hospital, Daisy Hill Hospital and South Tyrone Hospital For Minor Injuries:**

0300 123 3 111. Service operate Monday-Friday, 9am-6pm.

Text Relay Number- 18001 0300 123 3 111.

### **Antrim Area Hospital, Mid Ulster Minor Injuries Unit, Causeway Hospital ED:**

0300 123 1 123. Service operates 24/7.

Text Relay Number- 18001 0300 123 1 123.

**For all emergencies that are life threatening always call 999 immediately. This can include: Stroke, heart attack, loss of consciousness, breathing difficulties, severe bleeding or major trauma.**