# St. Patrick's Church, Ballinderry

## SUNDAY MASSES

Saturday Vigil at 6:30pm Sunday at 10am

Live transmission at www.churchservices.tv/ballinderry and Parish Radio

#### WEEKDAY MASSES

Monday - Saturday at 10am Live transmission at <u>www.churchservices.tv/ballinderry</u> and Parish Radio

## CHURCH OPENING HOURS

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### SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

The Sacrament of Reconciliation is celebrated weekly on Saturday evening at 6pm. Prior to Christmas there will be an additional celebration on Friday  $15^{\rm th}$  from 7pm <sup>-</sup>7.30pm.

## MONEY RAISED FOR ST VINCENT de PAUL

A cheque for £1,750, proceeds of Ballinderry Fun Run, has been presented to the St Vincent de Paul charity by Maggie King and Rosemary O'Donnell. The organisers express thanks to all who supported the event.

## ALTAR SERVERS COMPLETE THEIR TERM OF SERVICE

Senior Altar Servers have now completed their term of service. The Parish Family wishes to record thanks and appreciation to the young people and their families: Anna Mae McGuckin Mark McGuckin, Odhran McKee, Lilli Rose McKinless, Larissa Mullan, Ava O'Hara & Raiesha Ryan.

## CHRISTMAS IN BALLINDERRY PARISH

Mass of Christmas Eve - Sunday 24th December 5pm Mass of the Nativity of the Lord - 24th December 8pm Morning Mass of Christmas Day - 25th December 10am

## MASSES OF THE CHRISTMAS SEASON

St Stephen's Day - 26<sup>th</sup> December
St John Apostle and Evangelist - 27<sup>th</sup> December
The Holy Innocents Martyrs - 28<sup>th</sup> December
St Thomas Becket - 29<sup>th</sup> December
The Holy Name of Jesus, Mary and Joseph - 30<sup>th</sup> December

#### CHRISTMAS SHOW-CHRISTMAS AROUND THE WORLD

Pupils of Derrychrin Primary School present their Christmas show at the school on Tuesday 12<sup>th</sup> December. Matinee 10am. Evening show 6.30pm

## CAROL SERVICE

Ballylifford Primary School will hold their Christmas Carol Service in St Patrick's Church on Wednesday  $13^{\rm th}$  December.

Parish Priest Fr. Peter Donnelly Week Commencing
9th December 2023

Telephone 02879418244

## CHRISTMAS DINNER

A Christmas Dinner, for people over 60 years of age, has been organised by Ballinderry Community Hub Committee for Friday 15<sup>th</sup> December at 1pm.

Booking, please telephone Maureen, Tel: 07563163284

#### PRESENTATION OF ARTWORK TO OUR CHURCH

A beautiful Tapestry, depicting The Last Supper, has been presented to St Patrick's Church, Ballinderry. The result of Gospel inspiration and more than four hundred hours of needlework,

The Tapestry will be on permanent display in our church as an invitation to pray and to read and ponder the Holy scriptures. Our grateful thanks to the kind donor.

### LITURGY GROUP DECEMBER

Saturday 2<sup>nd</sup> Dec. Claire Muldoon
Saturday 9<sup>th</sup> Dec. Claire Muldoon
Saturday 10<sup>th</sup> Dec. Liam Duffy
Saturday 16<sup>th</sup> Dec. Margaret Ann McKee
Saturday 23<sup>rd</sup> Dec. Margaret Ann McKee
Saturday 30<sup>th</sup> Dec. Christopher Bullock
Saturday 30<sup>th</sup> Dec. Christopher Bullock
Saturday 31<sup>st</sup> Dec. Rosemary O'Donnell

## **EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS DECEMBER**

Saturday Patsy McCusker Sunday Clare O'Kane

### **NEW YEAR's DAY**

Mass for the Feast of Mary, The Holy Mother of God, will be celebrated on New Year's Day, 1st January at 10am.

## FEAST OF THE EPIPHANY OF THE LORD

The Vigil Mass of the Epiphany will be celebrated on Friday 5<sup>th</sup> January at 7.30pm. Mass of the Feast of the Epiphany will be celebrated on Saturday 6<sup>th</sup> January at 10am

#### FAMILY MASS IN JANUARY

Parents and family members of children preparing for First Penance and First Holy Communion are particularly welcome at Mass on Sunday 7th January at 10am. The families of Aimee Mullan, Padraig Ferris, Caolam Callaghan, Mia Quinn and Lorcan Crozier will assist at Mass

#### SICK AND HOUSEBOUND VISITATION

The Parish Family greatly appreciate the contribution of those involved in the Ministry of bringing Holy Communion to the sick and Housebound.

If you have a family member who wishes to be attended by Fr. Donnelly or one of the Eucharistic ministry team, please telephone the Parochial House 028 79418244.