St. Patrick's Ballinderry

Parish PriestFr Peter Donnelly

Week Commencing 12th February 2023

Telephone 02879418244

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 **www.churchservices.tv/ballinderry** and Parish Radio

Church Opening Hours

Monday- Sunday: 8am- 5pm Visitors are advised that webcam may be in use.

Mass For Family Sunday

The families of the following children will participate in the Mass on Sunday 19th February; Cillian McGeehan, Matthew Maynes, Alannah McCusker, Liam McCusker and Aoibheann McGuckin.

Ash Wednesday

Ashes will be blessed and distributed at all **three** Masses in Ballinderry on Wednesday 22nd February. Masses will be celebrated in St Patrick's Church at **7am**, **10am** and **7:30pm**

Ash Wednesday At Derrychrin And Ballylifford Schools

Blessed Ashes will be distributed, by Fr Donnelly, at short Prayer Liturgies in our two Parish Primary Schools, Derrychrin and Ballylifford

Lent In Ballinderry Parish

<u>Week Day Masses</u> Monday- Friday at 7am Monday- Saturday at 10am

Stations Of The Cross And Benediction Of The Blessed Sacrament Each Sunday of Lent at 7pm in St Patrick's Church. All welcome

Confirmation In Ballinderry Parish

Pupils of Derrychrin and Ballylifford schools will be confirmed in St Patrick's Church on 2nd March at 5pm. School Principals will notify parents about arrangements.

Liturgy Group Rota- February 2023

Saturday 18th February
Claire Muldoon
Saturday 25th February
Margaret Ann McKee

Sunday 19th February
Ruth Bullock
Sunday 26th February
Liam Duffy

Eucharistic Minister Rota- February 2023

Saturday- Eimear Bell Sunday- Grainne Mc Callion

Visit Of Diocesan Religious Advisor

The annual visit of the Diocesan Religious Advisor, Mr Campbell, takes place on 23rd February. He will visit both Ballylifford and Derrychrin schools and will meet with pupils, their teachers, Mr Mc Elroy, Mrs Conway and Father Donnelly. The aim of the visit is to support the excellent work in the field of religious education being carried in our schools, of which the entire parish family can feel proud.

Looking Ahead

First Holy Communion will be celebrated in St Patrick's Church on Saturday 13th May at 12:30pm. The Principals of Ballylifford and Derrychrin schools will notify parents about arrangements.

First Confession will be celebrated on 29th March following 10am Mass. Again, parents will be notified about arrangements by school Principals.

Ballinderry Bridge Angling Club

The Annual General Meeting will be held on Tuesday February 21st at 8pm in the Credit Union Conference Room. New Members also welcome.

Ballinderry Parishioner New AOH President Of Tyrone

Tyrone County Board of the Ancient Order of Hibernians has elected Mr Pat Joe Quinn of Derrychrin Road as their new County President. Previous holders of this office include the late Mr Joseph Stewart M.P. and businessman Mr P G McQuaid, Dungannon.

Ballinderry Parochial Bowling Club

The club recently played Third Cookstown Presbyterian Church, Molesworth, St Swithin's Church of Ireland, Magherafelt, and Royal British Legion, Cookstown, as they progress through the Mid-Ulster League. Two members of Ballinderry Parochial Bowling Club have also been selected to play for Mid-Ulster in the Northern Ireland competition.