St. Patrick's Ballinderry

Parish Priest Fr Peter Donnelly Week Commencing 5th March 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 Emma McGlade, Dan Bateson, Luke McGuckin, Caoimhe Mullan and Chloe Mullan will assist at Mass on Sunday 19th March at 10am. The "All God's Children" programme in our parish aims to support parents, children and teachers as we prepare to celebrate First Confession in March and First Holy Communion in May.

Lent In Ballinderry Parish

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

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

Saint Patrick's Day Masses

<u>Vigil Mass</u>- Thursday 16th March at 7:30pm <u>Feast Day Mass</u>- with Prayers in Irish and English, Friday 17th March at 10am

Church Parade

Ballinderry Division Ancient Order of Hibernians, accompanied by St Patrick's AOH Flute Band, will attend Mass on St Patrick's Day at 10am. Motorists Please Allow Extra Time

Eucharistic Minister Rota- March 2023

Saturday- Mary Mc Ivor Sunday- Sinead Crozier

Congratulations To Ballinderry Confirmandi

The Parish Family congratulates the P7 Pupils of Derrychrin and Ballylifford Schools who were Confirmed on Thursday by Bishop Michael Router. Particular thanks is due to parents and teachers and family members, who supported the children on their faith journey; to Derrychrin staff Mr O'Neill (P7 Teacher), Miss Hughes (Choir), Mr Mc Elroy and all the staff ;to Ballylifford staff, Miss Mayo (P7 Teacher), Mrs Sweeney (Choir), Mrs Conway and all the staff. The magnificent floral décor was the work of the Caroline Wilson, Patricia Crozier, Leanne Mullan, Catherine O;Neill ,Pauline Mullan ,Annette Collins ,Clodagh Donnelly. The Altar Society Team: Marie Mc Vey, Molly Quinn, Geraldine Mullan, Geraldine McCrystal, Bernie Hamilton, Collette McCusker who prepared the Church. Rosemary Donnelly and Keelin Rocks attended to the children's Art Displays. Mrs Mary McKinless laundered the Vestments and altar linens. Altar Servers Rihannon, Aoife, Conall J, Conall G, Jimmy and Calum. Safe-guarding Supervisor Philomena Mc Guckin. Sacristan John Wilson. Master of Ceremonies Fr Juan Borollo, Magherafelt. Sincere Thanks to One and All!

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.

Liturgy Group Rota- March 2023

Saturday 11th March Ryan McErlane Saturday 18th March Ryan McErlane Saturday 25th March Aine McCusker

Sunday 12th March Sinead Devlin Sunday 19th March Sinead Devlin Sunday 26th March Rosemary O'Donnell

Loughshore Traditional Music Classes

An evening of storytelling and traditional music in Kinturk Cultural centre on Saturday 18th March at 7.30pm to raise funds for classes in fiddle, tin whistle etc. For details Tel Josie Maguire- 077 61286592 or Ursula- 077 32144807.