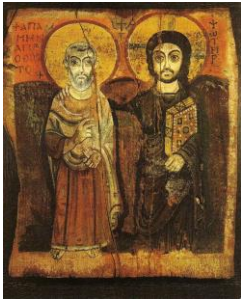
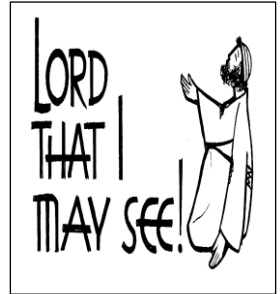


27th October 2024 – 30th Sunday of the Year



PARISH OF ANTRIM
St Comgall, St Joseph, St MacNissius

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SUNDAY MASSES

St. Comgall's 9.00am 11.00am
St. Joseph's 5.30pm (Sat vigil) 12.00noon
St. MacNissius 10.00am

Weekday Mass

St. Comgall's: Monday, Wed, Friday & Sat 10.00am
St. Joseph's: Tues & Thurs 10am Fri 7pm

Mass is celebrated every Mon – Sat morning in the parish at 10am and on Sat @ 5.30pm, Sunday at 9am 10am 11am & 12noon. Available to view on the Parish facebook page and youtube: Parish of Antrim

Confessions

St. Comgall's – Sat 12 - 12.30pm
St. Joseph's—Sat 4.45 –5.15pm

Feasts: Mon 28th Ss. Simon & Jude, Apostles, Fri 1st All Saints

PRAYER OF THE DAY

We give thanks Lord, for the gift of faith given us at baptism. May we look at life with the eyes of faith so that we see your hand at work in our lives. Open the eyes of our minds and hearts that we may follow you and so proclaim with our lives the faith we profess.

Thought for the Week

“No one needs love more than the one who doesn't deserve it.”

PRAYER PEOPLE

Intention for Parish Community Year 11
Week 48

We pray for all parishioners especially those who feel lonely and struggle with life.

Offertery Collection: £2,587.00
Thank you to all who contributed.

Recently Deceased: Michael Morrissey, Veronica Letters
Month's Mind: Margaret Ryan, Frank Donnelly
Anniversaries: Ronnie Gallagher, Mary Mullin, Gerry Clegg, Patsy McGarrell, Mary Ita Murphy,

Friday 1st Nov. is the Feast of All Saints and is a holy day of obligation. Mass times:

St Comgall's Church Friday 10.00am

St MacNissius Church Friday 9.15am

St Joseph's Church Friday 11.00am & 7pm

Saturday 2nd is All Souls Day and is not a holy day of obligation, but a time to remember all the faithful departed. Mass times:

St Comgall's 10.00am

November Dead Lists and Envelopes are available in the churches and should be returned by Thursday 31st October. Please mark envelope as November List

Mass for the Deceased will be offered on Tuesday 12th November at 7.00pm in St Comgall's Church, especially for those who have died in the past year. During the mass their names will be read out and prayed for and a lighted candle is given to a representative of the family or in their absence to a friend or neighbour who will receive it for them.

PARISH CEMETERY AT TANNAGHMORE

The committee seek letters of interest from parishioners who may be interested in purchasing a burial plot. This will help to indicate the level of interest for the proposed cemetery. Letters of interest are available on the website, the Facebook and in the porches of the churches or by clicking on the link:

https://docs.google.com/forms/d/1jKIVtW0_mt9fU7zsa7KZmhcbNDJMI3tob_v9qKIB5WE/edit

Apostolic Work The annual collection in aid of Apostolic Work will take place after all masses on this weekend 26/27 October. Thank you for helping to support Missionary work in the developing world.

50th Anniversary Celebration of High Street Presbyterian Church will take place on Sunday 27th of October @ 7pm and you are invited to attend.

Holy Rosary - St Joseph's Church this Saturday from 10.00am – 4.30pm. All welcome

Christmas Table Arrangement Workshop By Nua Flowers in St. Comgall's Youth Centre Tues 17th December 7—9pm Cost £35 per head (includes all sundries and fresh materials) Proceeds in aid of Parish Funds. Tea/Coffee & Festive Snacks provided. Please leave your name with Nuala 07742788940

Samaritans – Ballymena are recruiting volunteers. If you are interested please see the posters in the Churches for information.

Kadosh Marian Ministries – Belfast Retreat - St. Joseph's Fri 1st Nov – 3rd Nov

Dear Parish Family – We are excited to invite you to our upcoming Parish Retreat. This will be a special time for spiritual growth, fellowship, and reflection. Lets come together to deepen our faith and renew our connection with God and one another.

1st Nov: 1pm – 6pm 2nd Nov: 9am – 5pm 3rd Nov: 9am – 4pm

While everyone is welcome to attend, food will be provided ONLY for registered participants. Please make sure to register in advance on: <https://kadoshmarian.com/belfast-retreat-2024>

27th October 2024
Thirtieth Sunday of the Year

Priest: Let us turn to God in prayer that he may open our eyes to our real needs and those of the church and the world.

We pray for the Church that she may be light to the nations and bring the Gospel to the waiting world.

Let us pray to the Lord

We pray for peace between the nations that those whose lives have been disrupted and destroyed by war and conflict may rebuild with new hope.

Let us pray to the Lord

We pray for renewed care and sense of responsibility on the roads at this time of year that needless tragedies and family grief may be avoided.

Let us pray to the Lord

We pray for eyes to see the beauty and wonder of God's creation that we may care for the earth and its creatures and especially the needs of those suffering because of climate change.

Let us pray to the Lord

We pray for God's healing hand to be upon all who are suffering with pain and poor health.

Let us pray to the Lord

We pray for the faithful departed that they may be welcomed into the communion of saints and see the Lord face to face.

Let us pray to the Lord

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Month's Mind: Margaret Ryan, Frank Donnelly

All those named in the bulletin.

Let us pray to the Lord

Priest: Lord God, hear our prayer and open our eyes so that we may see in the ordinary circumstances of our daily lives the little way that leads to the heart of your Son Jesus Christ our Lord. Who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, God forever and ever. Amen.