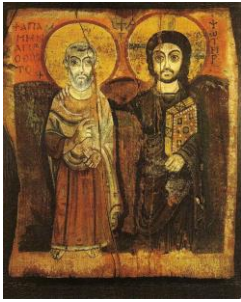
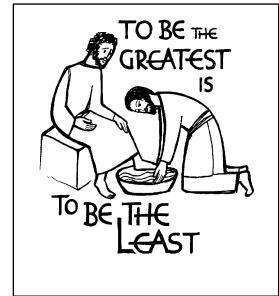


22nd September 2024 – 25th SUNDAY OF THE YEAR



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 23rd St Petrelcina (Padre Pio), Priest Wed 25th St. Finbar Bishop, Thur 26th Sts Cosmas & Damian Martyrs, Fri 27th St Vincent de Paul Priest

PRAYER OF THE DAY

Jesus, your message is clear. Give us the grace to please you by serving others. Our greatness is to be found in being the servant of the most insignificant, the poor, weak and despised. Help us to be servants to one another.

Thought for the Week

“The most beautiful act of faith is the one made in darkness, in sacrifice and with extreme effort.”

St Petrelcina (Padre Pio)

PRAYER PEOPLE

Intention for Parish Community Year 11
Week 43

We pray for all parishioners who are single parents that they are able to cope with their responsibilities.

Offertory Collection: £2,734.00
Thank you to all who contributed.

Recently Deceased: Hugh Kelly
Months Mind: Mary McNally

Anniversaries: Jean Carney, Kathleen Martin, Enda McAuley, Kathleen Butcher, Rose Mairs, Maimie Nelson, Aileen McGinn, Maimie McMenamin, William Winters, Thomas Guiney, Joe Byrne, Liam Clarke, Patrick O’Keeffe, Brigid Duffin

CEMETERY SUNDAY

Thank you to all who attended the prayer services and a special word of appreciation who contributed to the collection at St Comgalls which realised £565.00

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

Beginning Experience The loss of a partner through death, separation or divorce is devastating. Beginning Experience is offering a programme of bereavement support in St Bride's Hall, Derryvolgie Ave., Belfast on three Saturdays (28th September, 26th October and 30th November) Booking essential. To find out more, contact Pauline 07519289185 or Marie 07896119669 or email belfastbe@yahoo.com

The Legion of Mary, the Knights of Saint Columbanus and Youth 2000 present Our Lady's Rosary Festival from Saturday 5 October to Sunday 13 October 2024 with 7 events in different venues. All details can be found at belfastrosaryfestival.com or at 07955386288

RCIA (the Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults) is a process to introduce the teachings of Jesus Christ and the Catholic Church to individuals who wish to learn more about Catholicism, including the opportunity, if they wish, to become Catholic through the Sacraments of Initiation. RCIA is a time of teaching, formation and conversion to come to know, love and develop a relationship with God, the Father, Son and Holy Spirit. We meet Monday nights from 6.30 - 8.00 pm at St Mary's Hall, Chapel Lane, Belfast BT1 1HH from October to May. The start date for the programme is Monday 7th October 2024. The first step is to request a registration form by emailing rcia@downandconnor.org.

CLG Naomh Comhghall Family Name Plaques available to purchase in this our Centenary year 1924-2024. Would you like your family name, business name or name in memory of a loved one on a pitch side plaque?

St Louis Grammar School - Centenary Gala Ball

2024 marks one hundred years since St Louis Grammar first opened its doors to Catholic girls from Ballymena and the surrounding areas. As part of the school's Centenary celebrations a Gala Ball is being held at the Tullyglass House Hotel on Saturday 9th November. *you can get your tickets now at www.friendsofstlouisballymena.com*

St Benedict's College, Randalstown urgently require the following:

Temporary Building Supervisor

Temporary Technician(s) to cover ICT, TD, Reprographics

Any interested parties should make contact with the school on 028 94472411

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Priest: The Lord reminds us to place all our needs humbly before him and so we pray.

We pray that our Holy Father Pope Francis, servant of the servants of God, may be granted health, strength and wisdom for the task of service to the Church and world.

Let us pray to the Lord

We pray that all those in authority may use their power to serve with truth and justice those whom God has entrusted to them, especially the poorest and most vulnerable.

Let us pray to the Lord

We pray that those who work in the fields and on the land may do so in safety and enjoy a plentiful harvest.

Let us pray to the Lord

We pray that children and young people in our families and community may grow in faith and be kept safe from harmful influences.

Let us pray to the Lord

We pray that all those suffering in body or mind may be granted healing, comfort and peace.

Let us pray to the Lord

We pray that all our deceased loved ones and all of the faithful departed may rest in peace in God's heavenly kingdom.

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All those named in the bulletin.

Priest: Heavenly Father hear the prayers of your people which we make with faith in the name of your Son Jesus Christ our Lord who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, God forever and ever. Amen.