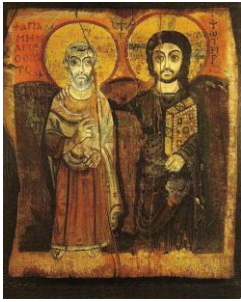


20th October 2024 – WORLD MISSION SUNDAY



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: Tues 22nd St John Paul 11 – Pope,

PRAYER OF THE DAY

Lord God, you are present to your people always, in all places, at every time. Help us to see every person with the eyes of Jesus. Give us the grace to share the gospel message of love with all people. Help us to spread justice and equality. May we value all peoples of our world giving them their dignity as children of God.

PRAYER PEOPLE

Intention for Parish Community Year 11
Week 47

We pray for all parishioners to be generous in their support of the missions both in prayer and giving.

Thought for the Week

“Our mission is to bring the Gospel to all creation and we must imitate the One whom we are preaching about. Instead of the various banquets of consumerism, selfish comfort, the accumulation of wealth, and individualism. The Gospel calls everyone to the divine banquet, where joy, sharing, justice and fraternity in communion with God and with others prevail.”

Pope Francis
World Mission Sunday 2024

Offertory Collection: £3,487.00
Thank you to all who contributed.

Recently Deceased: Margaret Bradin

Anniversaries: Gerry McGleenon, Archie McBride, Eamon McGarry, Patsy Hill, Katie Graham, The Logan Family, Frankie Fulton, Sarah McLaughlin, Gerry Conn, Mary & Martyn McAnespie, Joe & Joan McGarry, Mick O'Shaughnessey, Tom Brennan Evelyn Kelly & Peter Kelly

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

Healing Night 20th October 2024

This month we have invited Jason Hamilton, a convert to the Catholic faith to come and share his conversion with us at the monthly healing night in St Joseph's at 6pm. Please come along and hear this great witness to the faith. We will have Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament, Confession and Prayer ministry available for those who would like individual prayer. This will be a night of many blessings, and we would welcome parishioners to come and see for themselves, the beauty and peace of spending this gentle time with Our Lord. Refreshments will be available in St Joseph's hall afterwards.

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

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

St. Joseph's Bowling Club The Mass to remember the deceased members of St Joseph's Bowling Club will take place on Friday 25 October in St Joseph's Church at 7 pm. All past and current members are welcome to attend.

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

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

Randalstown Hockey Club presents a **Fashion Show** by Lily & Lucy and Wallace's on **Friday 25th October** starting at 6.45pm in the Parish Hall at St Joseph's, 56 Greystone Road. For more information and tickets (£15 including a slight supper) **phone 07515152589**. Donations to Laurel House.

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>

20th October 2024
WORLD MISSION SUNDAY

Priest: Confident in approaching the throne of grace and mercy we present before the Lord our prayers and petitions

We pray that every member of the church may bear witness to Christ by word and deed wherever we are.

Let us pray to the Lord

We pray that with the support of our prayers, faith communities and missionaries throughout the world may persevere in the face of war and violence, poverty and persecution.

Let us pray to the Lord

We pray that the Church may continue to form and send missionaries to the edges of society to proclaim the love of Jesus.

Let us pray to the Lord

We pray that as a parish community we may reach out in love to missionaries throughout the world and to the communities they serve, especially those most in need.

Let us pray to the Lord

We pray that the sick, the elderly, the lonely and those bereaved may be healed and comforted as they offer their sufferings with those of the Risen Christ.

Let us pray to the Lord

We pray that all who have died, may rest from their labours, especially our deceased missionaries and inherit the kingdom prepared for them since the foundation of the world.

Let us pray to the Lord

Recently Deceased: Margaret Bradin

All those named in the bulletin.

Let us pray to the Lord

Priest: Lord of all, hear our prayer as we seek your mercy and love and pray for the strength to serve your mission each day in prayer and sacrifice. Through our Lord Jesus Christ your Son who lives and reigns with you and the Holy spirit. God forever and ever. Amen