



St Michael the Archangel

Parish Bulletin

1st June 2025

The Ascension of The Lord

Cycle C Psalter Week 3

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The Parish Office will be open this Monday -

Thursday 9.30am - 12.00pm

In the event of an emergency please call
the Vicariate Mobile on 07549209775

Webcam: Churchmedia.tv or

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Mass Times This Week



Monday 10.00am Eucharistic Prayer Service

Tuesday - Friday 10.00am Mass

Wednesday 7.00pm Novena Mass

Saturday 5.00pm Vigil

Sunday 11.00am Mass



Will take place on Wednesdays & Fridays
after the 10.00am Mass



Our Sunday evening Holy Hour will take place
from 6.00-7.30pm a time of intercession for
vocations, followed by a Holy hour of prayer
and reflection to 7:30pm. Adoration of the
Blessed Sacrament throughout. All very
welcome.



We pray for all our deceased relatives and
friends and for those whose
anniversaries occur at this time.

Anniversaries: Fred Ewing, Mary McNaughton,
William & Annie McKee, Josie McCullagh, Jim
Gracey, John Hartigan, Marie McCarney,
Bobby & Kathleen Clarke, Mary Clarke,
Malachy Gregory, Josephine Donnelly, Peter
Elliott

Recently deceased: Rosie Maguire

You can book an anniversary Mass or give an
anniversary intention for this section of the bulletin by
calling or e-mailing the parish office 02895 904304
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Email: stmichaels@downandconnor.org

A Mass in remembrance of Philomena Gillen who
died in America will be held here this Tuesday
3rd June at 10.00am followed by the burial of
her ashes



The Offertory Collection for Sunday
25th May amounted to £2132.80

Thank you

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OUR WEBSITE

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Thank you for your continuous support and
generosity



This week the sanctuary lamp
burns in loving memory of Fred Ewing

Cemetery Sunday 2025




The Rock Cemetery Sunday 8 June 2025 3pm

Tullyrusk Cemetery Sunday 15 June 2025 3pm

Please could any Eucharist Ministers attending
assist with the distribution of Holy Communion.



In this Jubilee year of Hope, come on an
authentic ST PATRICK'S WAY 
pilgrimage experience in Downpatrick on 7
June, or 5 July or 9 August, led by pilgrim
guides Martina Purdy and Elaine Kelly. Visit The
Saint Patrick Centre & see the fabulous IMAX
film, receive your pilgrim passport on a 6 mile
walk with guides to Inch Abbey and Saul Church
& St Patrick's grave. Pilgrim Lunch @ Saul Barn
and bus transfers included £50 pp. (9am-3pm
approx) More info contact the Centre 02844
619000 or book online

www.saintpatrickcentre.com/experiences/



LIFE IN THE SPIRIT SEMINARS ST MICHAEL THE ARCHANGEL PARISH CENTRE

Sunday 27th April – Sunday 15th June

7.30 pm

1st June Growth Elaine Kelly

8th June Pentecost Dana (in St Michael's
Church) Refreshments afterwards in Parish Hall

15th June Transformation Thomas Carey.

Explore the basic truths of our faith and what
it means to live a New life in the power of the
Holy Spirit.

First Saturday Devotions will take place in St.
Matthias's Church, Glen Road on 7th June at;
3.00 p.m. Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament,
Confessions and Act of Consecration.
4.00 p.m. Holy Sacrifice of the Mass

Down and Connor Day Trip to Knock Sunday 8th June

Coach leaves St Anne's carpark 8.00am followed
by pick ups at St Michael's & St Agnes's
Cost £60 which includes coach, tea and scones
and evening meal in The Killyhevlin Hotel.
Contact Frank Donnelly 07852583086

Sacred Heart Crusade 2025



Animated by the Jubilee Year of Hope we
humbly offer our inspirations in launching a
renewed and revitalised rally to encourage all to
explore a relationship with the Sacred Heart of
Jesus. Heart speaking to heart, a fresh personal
encounter with Christ. Hence an inspiration to
launch a Sacred Heart Crusade of Love and Hope
for the people of our nation at this crucial time
in history. The Sacred Heart Crusade
commenced with the papal blessing of four
pilgrim Sacred Heart Statues on the 8th
January 2025 in Rome. The pilgrim statues will
travel to each of the four provinces in Ireland
where we have requested that: within each
diocese the pilgrim Sacred Heart Statue visit as
many parish clusters as possible over the period
from February 2025 to mid-June 2025 and
after the 22 June event the visitation continues.

**We are pleased to announce that we will host
the statue in our parish on Tuesday 17th June**

Details will follow soon.

The Sacred Heart Statues will travel to Knock
for the celebration of Holy Mass in the Basilica
and the Re- Consecration of Ireland to the
Sacred Heart of Jesus on 22 June 2025

Parish Draw for May 2025



Congratulations to all our winners this month!

1st Prize £500.00 John McCay

2nd Prize £100.00 Conan O'Rourke

3rd Prize £100.00 Paul Flanagan

4th Prize £100.00 Teresa McCrudden

5th Prize £100.00 Colette Carey

Promoters Prize £50.00 Bill Gribbin

Thank you to all who contribute to the parish draw.

St Michaels and St Agnes Prayer Group

meet every Monday at 11.00am in St Agnes Parish Centre

All new members very welcome!

Neils Zumba Fitness Class

St Annes parish hall

Mon and Wed nights at 6.45pm – 7.45pm

£6.00. No booking necessary



Come along to dance and have some fun

The Jubilee Prayer



Father in heaven,
may the *faith* you have given us
in your son, Jesus Christ, our brother,
and the flame of *charity* enkindled
in our hearts by the Holy Spirit,
reawaken in us the blessed *hope*
for the coming of your Kingdom.

May your grace transform us
into tireless cultivators of the seeds of the
Gospel.

May those seeds transform from within both
humanity and the whole cosmos
in the sure expectation
of a new heaven and a new earth,
when, with the powers of Evil vanquished,
your glory will shine eternally.

May the grace of the Jubilee
reawaken in us, *Pilgrims of Hope*,
a yearning for the treasures of heaven.

May that same grace spread
the joy and peace of our Redeemer
throughout the earth.

To you our God, eternally blessed,
be glory and praise for ever.

Amen