

St Michael the Archangel Parish Bulletin 20th April 2025 Easter Sunday Parish Contact Options

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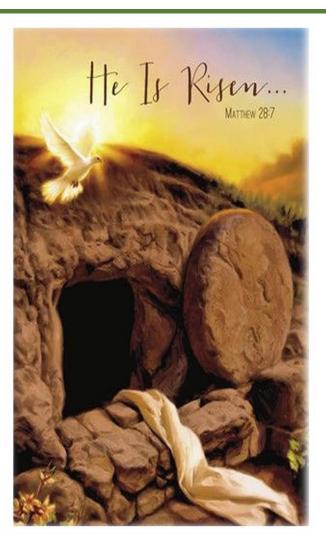
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Our Sunday evening Holy Hour will resume next Sunday 27th from 6.30–7.30pm All are welcome!



Fr Feeney and the staff here at St Michaels would like to wish you and your families a Blessed Easter filled with Joy!

Mass Times This Week



Monday & Tuesday 10.00am Eucharistic
Prayer Service
Wednesday 10.00am Mass &
7.00pm Novena Mass
Thursday & Friday 10.00am Mass
Saturday 5.00pm Vigil
Sunday 11.00am Mass
Adoration of The Blessed Sacrament will
resume after Easter



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

Anniversaries: John Martin, Paul Lowry, Joseph McCullagh, Leo & Carl Rooney, James Lowe, Sean O'Mahony, Paul Eastwood, Martha Prunty

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 (Option 1)

Email: stmichaels@downandconnor.org

The Offertory Collection for 13th April amounted to £2316.00 Thank you

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LIFE IN THE SPIRIT SEMINARS ST MICHAEL THE ARCHANGEL PARISH CENTRE

Sunday 27th April - Sunday 1st June 7.30 pm

27th April Gods' Love Fr James O'Reilly 4th May Salvation Fr Ciaran Dallat 11th May New Life Martina Purdy 18th May Receiving God's Gift Collette Higgins 25th May Baptism in the Holy Spirit Fr Darren Brennan

1st June Growth & 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.



Divine Mercy Sunday

Would you like your soul to be as pure as on the day you were baptised? If the answer is yes, read on. St Pope John Paul II canonized a Polish mystic, Sister Faustina (1905 - 1938) on the Sunday after Easter in 2000 and declared that from then on, the second Sunday of Easter would be known as Divine Mercy Sunday. In a revelation to Sister Faustina (recorded in her Diary 1109) Jesus told her, 'I want to grant a complete pardon to the souls that will go to confessions and receive Holy Communion on the Feast of My Mercy' (Divine Mercy Sunday). The conditions for receiving this great grace, including going to confessions, can be fulfilled by attending any of the following Churches on Divine Mercy Sunday, 27 April this year. St Peter's Cathedral at 2pm, St Paul's, Falls Rd at 2pm, Sacred Heart, Oldpark Rd at 2.15pm, St Patrick's, Lisburn at 3pm and All Saints Ballymena at 2pm, (huge crowds at Ballymena, come early!).



St. Pio Relics to visit Holycross Abbey (E41PHO1): Saturday 24th and Sunday 25th May. Veneration and ceremonies from 10am to 8pm on Saturday and 9am to 8pm on Sunday (incorporating our annual St. Pio Pilgrimage on Sunday from 1.30pm). All are welcome. Contact 0504-43124 or hbparishoffice@amail.com for information







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 (26th April. 24th May and 21st June) Booking essential. To find out more, contact

Pauline <u>07519289185</u> or Marie <u>0789611966</u> <u>9</u> or email <u>belfastbe@yahoo.com</u>

St Michaels and St Agnes Prayer Group meet every Monday at 11.00am in St Agnes Parish Centre All new members very welcome!

HOLY HOUR FOR PRIESTS



Please join us before the Blessed Sacrament,

every Tuesday from 11.45–12.45, in St Mary's

Church, Chapel Lane, Belfast, in a dedicated

hour of prayer for priests.

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

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



2025/26 Offertory Envelopes

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