

Parish of Bright Bulletin

23rd Week in Ordinary Time
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Mass Times: Week Beginning Monday 11th September

<i>St Patrick’s, Legamaddy</i>	<i>St Joseph’s, Killough</i>
11th September Monday 10am	12th September Tuesday 10am
15th September Friday 7.30pm.	13th September Wed 7.30pm
17th September Sunday 10am.	16th September Saturday 10am
	16th September Sat Vigil 6.30pm

Our Lady, Star of the Sea, Rossglass
14th September Thursday 10.00am

Faithful Departed

May the souls of the faithful departed rest in God’s Eternal Peace. Amen

Weekly Confessions

The Sacrament of Reconciliation is available after all weekday Masses and at 6.00pm before the Saturday Vigil Mass in St Joseph’s.

Eucharistic Adoration

St Joseph’s Church, Killough every Wednesday from 1.30pm-7.30pm.

Our Lady, Star of the Sea Church, Rossglass

is closed for cementing works around the church. The church will re-open on Thursday 14th September for Mass at 10.00am.

Mass for the Sick and Infirm will take place in Bright Community Hall, Ballynoe, BT30 8AJ at 12noon on Saturday 16th September. Refreshments will be served afterwards. If you need transport please contact St Vincent de Paul: Nicky 07745 004510 or Sean 07548 647301.

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Inter-Church Carol Service will take place in St Anne’s Church of Ireland, Killough on Monday 11th December at 7.30pm

First Confession

St Joseph’s, Killough Monday 11th March at 1.30pm
St Patrick’s, Legamaddy Tuesday 12th March at 1.30pm

First Holy Communion

St Patrick’s, Legamaddy Saturday 11th May at 11.00am
St Joseph’s, Killough Saturday 18th May at 11.00am

Confirmation

St Patrick’s, Legamaddy Wednesday 22nd May at 11.00am

FROM THE COMPENDIUM OF THE CATECHISM

What is the meaning of the title “Lord”?

In the Bible this title regularly designates God as Sovereign. Jesus ascribed this title to himself and revealed his divine sovereignty by his power over nature, over demons, over sin, and over death, above all by his own Resurrection. The first Christian creeds proclaimed that the power, the honor, and the glory that are due to God the Father also belong to Jesus: God “has given him the name which is above every other name” (Philippians 2:9). He is the Lord of the world and of history, the only One to whom we must completely submit our personal freedom.

Why did the Son of God become man?

For us men and for our salvation, the Son of God became incarnate in the womb of the Virgin Mary by the power of the Holy Spirit. He did so to reconcile us sinners with God, to have us learn of God’s infinite love, to be our model of holiness and to make us “partakers of the divine nature” (2 Peter 1:4).

What does the word “Incarnation” mean?

The Church calls the mystery of the wonderful union of the divine and human natures in the one divine Person of the Word the “Incarnation”. To bring about our salvation the Son of God was made “flesh” (John 1:14) and became truly man. Faith in the Incarnation is a distinctive sign of the Christian faith.

In what way is Jesus Christ true God and true man?

Jesus is inseparably true God and true man in the unity of his divine Person. As the Son of God, who is “begotten, not made, consubstantial with the Father,” he was made true man, our brother, without ceasing to be God, our Lord.