

Parish of Bright Bulletin

30th Week in Ordinary Time - 29th October 2023

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Mass Times: Week Beginning Monday 30th October

<u>St Patrick’s, Legamaddy</u>	<u>St Joseph’s, Killough</u>
30th October Monday 10am	31st October Tuesday 10am
1st November Wed 10.00am	1st November Wed 7.30pm
3rd November Friday 7.30pm	4th November Saturday 10am
5th November Sunday 10am	4th November Sat Vigil 6.30pm

Our Lady, Star of the Sea, Rossglass

2nd November Thursday 10.00am

All Saints, 1st November is a Holy Day of Obligation.

Both Masses are on Wednesday 1st November:

Morning Mass in St Patrick’s, Legamaddy at 10.00am;

Evening Mass in St Joseph, Killough at 7.30pm.

All Souls 2nd November: Mass in Our Lady, Star of the Sea at 10.00am

Faithful Departed

Anniversaries: Peter & Michael Clarke, Joe Keenan

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.

First Saturday Fatima Devotion

St Joseph’s Church, Killough, Saturday 4th November: 9.15am Holy Rosary; 9.40am Meditation on the Mysteries; 10.00am Holy Sacrifice of the Mass; 10.40am Confessions.

November Lists of the Deceased are available in all three parish churches. Please leave completed lists in the basket in front of the Altar before any Mass.

November Mass for the Deceased will take place in St Joseph’s Church, Killough on Monday 13th November at 7.30pm.

Our Lady of Knock Shrine

A 6x6 feet image of the Apparition Mosaic in Our Lady of Knock Basilica was recently installed in St Patrick’s Church, Legamaddy. We are grateful to Knock Shrine Communications Office, Co Mayo for permission to display the image and to Sinéad Mallee (Graphic Design & Photography, Co Mayo) for permission to print her photograph. We are also grateful to Fr Timothy Bartlett PP, St Mary’s, Belfast for donating the candelabra. The Knock Apparition image will be blessed at the 10.00am Mass this Sunday 29th October.

Indulgences at the Commemoration of All Souls

(1) From 12noon on 1st November until midnight on 2nd November, all who have gone to Confession, received Holy Communion and prayed for the Pope’s intentions (one Our Father and Hail Mary, or any other prayer of one’s choice) can gain one plenary indulgence by visiting a church or oratory, and there reciting one Our Father and the Apostle’s Creed. This indulgence is applicable only to the souls of the departed. Confession may be made at any time within the week preceding or the week following 1st November. Holy Communion may be received on any day from 1st to 8th November.

(2) The faithful who visit a cemetery and pray for the dead may gain a plenary indulgence applicable only to the Holy Souls on the usual conditions once per day from 1st to 8th November. The conditions mentioned above apply also for this.

What are indulgences? “Indulgences are the remission before God of the temporal punishment due to sins whose guilt has already been forgiven. The faithful Christian who is duly disposed gains the indulgence under prescribed conditions for either him/herself or the departed. Indulgences are granted through the ministry of the Church which, as the dispenser of the grace of redemption, distributes the treasury of the merits of Christ and the Saints” (Compendium of the Catechism of the Catholic Church, 312).

Feast of St Malachy - Friday 3rd November

To prepare for the official launch of ‘Pathways to the Future’ on Sunday 5th November, each parish in the Diocese will mark the Feast of St Malachy, Principal Patron of Down & Connor, as a day of prayer. Bishop Donal McKeown, Apostolic Administrator, will release his Pastoral Letter on Sunday 5th November. You are invited to gather in St Patrick’s Church, Legamaddy, for Holy Mass on Friday 3rd November at 7.30pm; the Holy Rosary will also be offered before Mass for our Diocese at 7.10pm.