



**Mary, Mother of the Church  
Saintfield**

Open Sun. Tues. Wed. Thurs. 10 am – 4 pm  
Mon. Fri. Sat. 10 am – 8 pm

**MASS**

Saturday 6:30 pm  
Sunday 11:00 am  
Monday, Friday 7:30 pm

**Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament**  
Monday 7:00 pm

**St Joseph's Church, Carrickmannon**  
Open Sat & Sun 10:00 am – 2:00 pm

**MASS**

Sunday 9:00 am  
Tuesday 10:00 am

**CONFESSIONS**

Before Vigil Mass

**ALTAR SOCIETY**

Saintfield – Group 5  
Carrickmannon – Team 1

**READERS 13/14 June**

**Vigil:** Desi McHenry  
**9am:** Harry Murray  
**11am:** Marie Murray

**EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS**

**13/14 June**

**Vigil:** Margaret Bennet, Agnes O'Hea  
**9 am:** Brian Mullan

**11 am:** Therese Mageean  
Sarah Morris, Fionnuala McClure

**CEMETERY SUNDAY** will be held on **5<sup>th</sup> July 2026 at 2pm** in St Joseph's Church, Carrickmannon followed by the blessing of graves in the Good Shepherd Cemetery, Kilcairn



**Please remember in your prayers**

Gerry Hynds, Fr Hugh J O'Hagan, Ann Donnelly, Hugh Quinn and Brian McCaffrey recently deceased.

**Anniversaries:** Fr Frank Harper, Anne Mullan, Margaret Walsh, Kathleen Laverty, Derek Duffy, Mary Miskelly, Andrew Creighton, Thomas Flynn, Charles Steele and all the Holy Souls.

**First Anniversary Mass** for Anne Mullan will be offered in Saintfield Church on Monday 8<sup>th</sup> June at 7:30 pm.

**Feast Days**

Monday: St Colman, bishop  
Tuesday: St Columba (Colmcille)  
Wednesday: St Ephrem  
Thursday: St Barnabas  
Friday: The Sacred Heart of Jesus  
Saturday: The Immaculate Heart of Mary, St Anthony of Padua

**The Novena to the Sacred Heart of Jesus** continues until Friday 12th June. May this time of prayer deepen our devotion to the Sacred Heart and draw us closer to the love of Christ.

**Weekly Collection 31st May £1313**

The feast of the Sacred Heart of Jesus falls on Friday 12<sup>th</sup> June and the feast of the Immaculate Heart of Mary on Saturday 13<sup>th</sup> June 2026. Bishop Donal McKeown invites you to join the **Worldwide Marian Procession to Jesus through Mary** which will take place on Saturday 13<sup>th</sup> June beginning with Holy Mass at 12:30 pm in St Mary's Church, Creggan, Derry. For info. visit: [www.worldwidemarianprocession.com](http://www.worldwidemarianprocession.com)

To mark this event **24 hours of Adoration** will be held in the **Church of the Immaculate Heart of Mary, Carryduff** following 9.30am Mass on Friday 12th June and finishing at 10am on Saturday 13th June.

**Confessions** will also be available on Friday 8.30-9.00am & 6.00-6.30pm Saturday 9.00-9.30am followed by **Benediction**

If you would like to take part please scan the QR code on the poster in either of our churches. Sign-up sheets are also available in the Church of the Immaculate Heart of Mary, Carryduff.

**Down and Connor Vocations**

Fr Conor McGrath & David Goodwin Invitation to Vocation 'Allies' Evening Tuesday 9th June 6.30pm at the Catholic Chaplaincy, Queens University, Belfast.

**St Vincent de Paul**

**Contact: 07521463667**

[stmochai.saintfield@svpni.co.uk](mailto:stmochai.saintfield@svpni.co.uk)

**Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes**

We still have seats available for the **7-night pilgrimage**. Contact Lourdes Pilgrimage Office **02890 770 162** if you wish to book a place.



Hello children. Today Jesus tells us that he is the living bread which has come down from heaven. Anyone who eats this bread will live forever. Every time we come to Mass, the bread and wine are changed into the body and blood of Jesus. And we come to share in it, even if we only have a blessing, welcoming Jesus into our lives.

Our prayer for this week: **Lord, Giver of Life, we thank you for the gifts that you have given us. Watch over all your people and work through us so that all your children around the world may have enough to eat. Amen.**

Worksheets and the Kids Bulletin to support this week's Gospel are available in both churches. Pick up copies for your children/grandchildren.



**Monday Social Club**

**Next meeting**  
**15<sup>th</sup> June 2026**  
**12:30 – 2 pm**

**Crois Dharach CLG Club**

**Lotto Numbers 2 4 18 30**

No Jackpot winner. Consolation prizes were won by Tom Beston, Stephen Heaney and Paul Ferris. **New Jackpot £9900**. Tickets available on Klubfunder page Oaks Bar, Chestnut Bar, Vivo Shop, Dufferin Bar, International Bar, Central Bar.

**LOUGH DERG ONE-DAY RETREAT**

**Saturday 5<sup>th</sup> September 2026**

Please sign your name in the booklet in Saintfield Church if you wish to go.

**Admission including bus £57**

**Heavenly Father,**

On this sacred Feast of Corpus Christi, we come before You in awe and gratitude. Today, we remember the precious gift of Your Son's Body and Blood, the mystery of the Eucharist that nourishes our souls and unites us as one family in Christ.

**Lord Jesus,**

You humbled Yourself to dwell among us, not only in history, but here and now in the Blessed Sacrament.

You feed us with the Bread of Life, strengthen us in our weakness, and draw us ever closer to Your Sacred Heart.

**Holy Spirit,**

Open our eyes to recognise Christ's presence in the Eucharist and in one another. Fill our hearts with reverence, our minds with understanding, and our lives with a burning desire to serve.

May this feast renew our faith, deepen our love, and inspire us to carry Your light into the world.

As we receive You, Lord, may we become living tabernacles, bringing hope to the weary, comfort to the broken, and joy to all we meet.

We ask this through Christ our Lord.

**Amen.**

Join us at **Recharge for a fun-filled Quiz Night in support of Mary's Meals** on Friday the 19th of June at 7.30pm in St Colmcille's Church Hall, Ballyhackamore! Gather your friends, test your knowledge, and help provide life-changing school meals to children in some of the world's poorest communities. Every answer makes a difference. Come along for a great evening and a great cause. £5 donation - sign up via Eventbrite:

<https://www.eventbrite.com/e/charity-quiz-tickets-1989987423954?aff=oddtcreator>

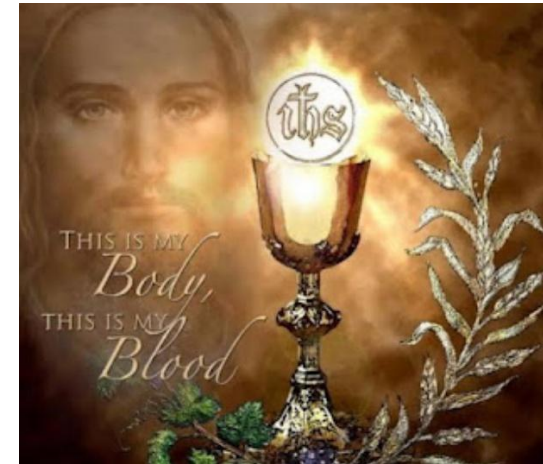
In September, **Maryvale Institute** is launching its first **Further Education course**, over six months, on the **Sacrament of Marriage**. The course runs online, with pre-recorded lectures and monthly live Q&A sessions. The academic year begins on 15 September 2026. Places are limited to thirty students. This course is designed for married couples who wish to go deeper into the vocation they live, for pastoral workers, catechists, and marriage preparation teams, and for anyone called to accompany married life in ministry. To register or to find out more, please visit: <https://www.maryvale.ac.uk/marriage.html>

**Anam Cara** - Supporting bereaved parents - Monthly Parent Support Evening - Monday 8th June at 7.30pm - Crowne Plaza, Shaws Bridge, Belfast.

Bookings for Mass, Month Minds, Anniversaries, Baptisms and Weddings are to be made through the Parish Office **02897510237** or Parish email address at: [saintfield@downandconnor.org](mailto:saintfield@downandconnor.org). Office Hours: Monday & Wednesday 11.00am - 1.30pm. Thursday 12 - 1pm. Please use the Parish Email outside of Office Hours.

The Solemnity of  
**The Most Holy  
Body and Blood of Christ**  
Corpus Christi

7<sup>th</sup> June 2026



## Saintfield & Carrickmannon

### Parish Bulletin

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**New Parish Family Website**  
[www.carryduffsaintfield.co.uk](http://www.carryduffsaintfield.co.uk)