



Parish of Downpatrick

Sunday 19 April – 3rd Sunday of Easter



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You can contact us by telephone or email. Since Downpatrick is a very busy Parish Office; we can’t always answer the phone immediately. Please leave a message with your telephone number and we will call you back.

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**Mass Schedule:**

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**Weekend Masses**

**Vigils**

St. Patrick’s 5pm

St Brigid’s 6.30pm

**Sunday**

St Patrick’s 10.30am

St. Malachy’s – 1<sup>st</sup> Sunday of the Month

**Daily Masses**

**St. Patrick’s**

Monday 7.30pm

Tues – Friday 10am

**St. Colmcille’s**

Wednesday 7:30pm

**Sacrament of Baptism:** 2<sup>nd</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> Sunday of each month

**Confession** available in St Patrick’s, Saturdays 4.15pm – 4.45pm

**Your Prayers are Requested for:**

**Recently Deceased:** Mary McMullan, Gerard Rice, John Sloan, Kieran Stitt, Noel McGarry, Paddy McCartan, Blake Greer, Eamonn Prenter, (Belfast & Dublin), Celine O’Neill (Seaforde),

**Month’s Mind:** Ailish Fegan, Maurice Cassidy,

**Anniv:** Fr. Finbar Glavin, Geoff Flanagan, Charles Mount, James Cochrane, William Cochrane, John Fitzsimons, George Tumelty, William Laverty, Agnes Vint,

Maureen Croskery, Margaret & Henry McCaffrey,

Robert & Sarah Hogg, Maurice Smith, Isobel McKeating, Brian, Gerard & Damian McGrady, Bernard McCartan, Leo McGrady,

**May They Rest in Peace**

**MASS INTENTIONS:**

**Saturday 18 April 5pm St Patrick’s**

**Anniv:** James (Jimmy) Murray, Robert & Sarah Hogg, Joe Cassidy, Phyllis & Sean Mackel,

**Sunday 19 April 10.30am St Patrick’s:**

**Anniv:** Maurice Smith,

**Monday 20 April 7.30pm St. Patrick’s**

**Anniv:** Maureen Stranney, Kevin Curran,

**Wednesday 22 April 7:30pm St. Colmcille’s**

**Anniv:** Willie McConvey,

**PARISH COLLECTIONS:**

**12 April 2026 Easter Collection £2286**

**Offertory** £2515 **Dona** £40, Monthly Offering £1653,

**Trocaire** £ 3309.24

To donate directly via Bank Transfer the parish bank details are:  
**Account Name: Parish of Downpatrick, Account Number: 80146471, Sort Code: 95-06-79** (please add an identifying name to your transaction) please contact your bank to arrange.

**Dona Card Machine** is available for convenience at Our Lady’s Shrine.

**Baptisms**

*We Welcome Sol Gregory & Orlagh Mary into our Parish Family.*

*‘Heavenly Father, we thank You for the gift of new life. As our child is reborn by water and the Holy Spirit, help us to be faithful to the promises we make this day. Teach us to guide our child by word and example in the way of faith, hope, and love. Through Christ our Lord. Amen’.*

Baptisms can be booked by calling in person to the Parish Office, Mon – Thurs 10am -2pm.

**Offertory Envelopes:** There are a number of boxes still to be collected. If you could help by taking a box of envelopes for a friend, neighbor or family member, that would be appreciated.

**Cemetery Sunday Dates:**

**Killough Road, Sunday 21 June at 3pm**

**Struell, Sunday 5 July at 3pm**

**Fountain Foodbank:** acknowledge with Thanks, donations of £125 received through St. Patrick’s Church. Your support is greatly appreciated.

**Donations Via QR Code**

We now have a new donation QR Code – use the camera on your phone to scan the code below and follow the prompts to donate to the Parish.

The QR code can be used for all types of donations to the Parish. If you have any issues, please contact Mary at the Parish Office for assistance.

**PLEASE NOTE:** This QR code replaces the previous codes and is the only one that should be used for donations/offertings going forward.

Thank you for your kindness and generosity to the Parish, it is sincerely appreciated.



**Fr. Jim’s Cartoon Corner**

THEN HE BROKE IT AND HANDED IT TO THEM. AND THEIR EYES WERE OPENED AND THEY RECOGNIZED HIM.

