



Parishes of Holy Rosary and St. Bernadette



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More Information and resources:
holyrosaryparishbelfast.net and www.st.bernadettesparish.org

St Bernadette's Retirement Group

Lyric Theatre: 'Steel Magnolias'. Tuesday 16th June @ 7:30 £13:00.
If you would like to attend, please pay at our May coffee morning,
Thursday walk or contact Patricia 07711887537.
Money must be paid by Wednesday 20th May.

Our next coffee morning will be Wednesday 20th May. 2026/27 registration is now required. £5:00. New members are very welcome to join.

Reminder for members who have booked:

Lyric Theatre, Tuesday 26th May @ 7:30 'Tea in a China Cup'.

Walking group meet every Thursday @10:15 in
St Bernadette's Car Park.

Free tour of Dundonald Nursery. Meet you there on Tuesday 9th June @11am. Please let us know if you'd like to attend, at our May coffee morning, or, contact one of our committee members.

Pray in May with Mary's Meals

Mary's Meals is currently feeding over 3 million children daily around the world. During May, Mary's Meals invites you to pray for children worldwide who rely on a daily meal to access education and for those still waiting. A range of free prayer resources including themed prayers, rosary reflections and a prayer calendar for May have been created to support parishes, prayer groups, schools, families and individuals to take part. They are available at www.marysmeals.org.uk/prayinmay or contact Caoimhe on 07394564065.

Bishop Alan McGuckian SJ and Jim Deeds will lead the Three-Day Pilgrimage to Lough Derg. **Date: 19th – 21st June 2026.** The bus will depart from St Patrick's Church Donegall Street. Cost £100. Places are limited early booking advised. To book contact Claire: 02890690920

"Auction of the Promises" on behalf of Christian Aid at Newtownbreda

(St John's) Presbyterian Church 7pm Friday 15th May.



SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

Sunday

10th MAY 2026

Readings: A (I) ♦ Psalter: Week 2



St Bernadette's:

17th & 31st May, 14th during the 11.00am Mass.

Holy Rosary Parish:

10th & 24th May, 7th & 21st June,
during the 10.30am Mass.

There will be no children's liturgy in St Bernadette's on 28th June.

Holy Rosary Parish
Ormeau Road, Belfast

Craft Fair & Cake Stall
Sunday 10th May
from 9.30am to 2pm

Variety of handmade goods on sale

All proceeds to Holy Rosary Parish

For more information contact
holyrosaryfair@gmail.com

MAY CRAFT FAIR

Holy Rosary Parish

Craft Fair & Cake Stall Sunday 10th May
9.30am - 2pm

Please note that some vendors at the Craft Fair may only accept cash, so we kindly recommend bringing cash with you.

Variety of handmade goods for sale, All proceeds to Holy Rosary Parish

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The CHOSEN

The Chosen is the first multi-season drama exploring the life of Jesus and bringing the Gospel stories to life. It started as a crowd-fund project and has become a global phenomenon - watched by more than 600 million people worldwide and translated into more than 60 languages. Viewers often speak of its humanity, its warmth, and the way it opens the Scriptures with fresh depth and accessibility.

Join us as we journey through Season 1 in a gentle, reflective way. Each Friday we'll gather for tea and coffee at 10.45am, begin the episode at 11.00am sharp and follow it with a short gentle Examen and group conversation. We'll finish at 12.15pm and those who are able are invited to join us for Mass at 12.30pm.

Scan the QR code to register. Small donation suggested.

8 TH MAY	I Have Called You By Name
15 TH MAY	Shabbat
22 ND MAY	Jesus Loves the Little Children
29 TH MAY	The Rock on Which It Is Built
5 TH JUNE	The Wedding Gift
12 TH JUNE	Indescribable Compassion
19 TH JUNE	Invitations
26 TH JUNE	I Am He

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The Chosen — Friday Mornings (May & June): The Belfast Jesuit Centre will host weekly screenings of *The Chosen* (Season 1) on Fridays at **10.45am**, beginning **8th May** and continuing through June. Tea/coffee at 10.45am - episode begins @11am sharp, followed by a short Examen and discussion. Sessions end at 12.15pm, with the option to remain for Mass at 12.30pm. All are welcome. To

register visit: www.belfastjesuitcentre.co.uk



Supporting Parents After Bereavement

Anam Cara, the organisation that supports bereaved parents, will hold its monthly Parent Support Evening on **Monday 11th May at 7.30pm in the Crowne Plaza, Shaws Bridge, Belfast.**

This event is free/ open to all bereaved parents. We also offer an online support group meeting.
Email: info@anamcara.ie

PARISH NEWS & EVENTS

WEEKLY COLLECTION:

Holy Rosary: £1194.00

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St. Bernadette's: £1166.67

MONTHLY OFFERING

Holy Rosary: £1120.00

MONTHLY OFFERING

St. Bernadette's: £818.78

Thanks for your continued generosity and support.

The Building Fund Collection will be taken up this weekend, after Communion in Holy Rosary. The Education of Diocesan Students to the Priesthood Collection will be taken next weekend, after Communion.

Collection offerings can be made by standing order or the Dona machines in the church porch.

TRÓCAIRE LENTEN CAMPAIGN 2026

Trocaire Boxes Can be returned to the church during Mass time/, or left in Holy Rosary Parish. It would be appreciated if you could change coins into notes before handing in your box/envelope. Cheques should be made out to either Holy Rosary Parish or St. Bernadette's Parish Please do not leave boxes when the church is unattended.

Holy Rosary St Vincent-De Paul annual outing

for Senior Citizens to Ballycastle takes place on Saturday 13th June. Bus leaving from Church gates at 10.30am and returning at 5.30pm. To book a place call: 07512605759 before 10th June.

Holy Rosary Senior Citizens

Monday 11th May meeting has changed to 7pm

Bingo

Will be held 17th May 7pm

REST IN PEACE

Recently Deceased:

Nuala McParland
Marie Donaldson
Eithne MacShannon
Deirdre Miskelly
Pat Watson

Anniversaries:

Xi & Family (9am)
John Devine (10.30am)
Hugh & Francis/ Billy & Annie Magee (12.30pm)
Gerry and Patrica O'Rawe (11am)
Marie Glover (6pm)
Mary White, Eithne Watterson,
Joe Fitzpatrick, Peter Livingstone,
James Dolaghan, Deirdre Living,
John Allen, Bernadette Smyth.

Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord



