

**2nd Sunday
of Advent**

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**5th December
2010**

Weekend Mass Schedule

Fr. Gerry Powell P.P. 4 Holmwood Road Laurencetown Craigavon BT63 6AJ Tel: 406 24236 Fax: 406 25440	Masses	Saturday	Sunday	Fr. Martin Mc Donagh C.S.Sp. 2 Hunter's Hill Road Gifford Craigavon BT63 6AJ Tel: 92338 831256
	Laurencetown	6.00pm	10.00am	
	Gifford		11.30am	
	Clare	7.30pm	—	

CONFESSIONS

Laurencetown: Saturday 5.15 - 5.45 pm
Gifford: Sunday 10.45 - 11.15 am

ANNIVERSARIES

Laurencetown

Sat 4th 6.00pm	James & Roseann Campbell
Sun 5th 10.00am	Special Intention
Thurs 9th 10.00am	Rose & Joe McAvoy
Sat 11th 6.00pm	Special Intention
Sat 11th 6.00pm	Bill Byrne
Sun 12th 10.00am	Lolita & Lily Byrne
Sun 12th 10.00am	Mary Fegan

Gifford

Sun 5th 11.30am	Aimee Mary Byrne
Mon 6th 10.00am	Miriam, Christopher P. Murray
Mon 6th 10.00am	Bridal Canon
Tues 7th 10.00am	Patrick McEwen
Sun 12th 11.30am	—

Clare

Sat 4th 7.30pm	Maria Elena Dwyer
Sat 4th 7.30pm	Heidi & Anne McEvoy
Sat 4th 7.30pm	Laura Langan
Sat 4th 7.30pm	May Hill
Sat 4th 7.30pm	Anne & Paddy Bafferty
Sat 11th 7.30pm	—

PARISH OFFICE 4 Holmwood Road, Laurencetown
Tel: 02830 24236 Fax: 02830 25440
Monday: Wednesday 10.00am - 2.00pm
Thursday 10.00am - 1.00pm

WEEKDAY MASS SCHEDULE

	Laurencetown	Gifford
Monday	10.00am	10.00am
Tuesday	6.00pm	10.00am & 7.30pm
Wednesday	10.00am in school	11.30am
Thursday	10.00am	No Mass
Friday	9.30am	10.00am

MINISTERS OF THE WORD

	L. Town	Gifford	Clare
Sat 4th	J. Byrne	J. Crotwell	—
Sun 5th	M. Convery	I. Dervin	—
Sat 11th	J. Byrne	S. Morgan	—
Sun 12th	D. Farrell	K. McParland	—

A Holy Day of Obligation
The Feast Of the Immaculate Conception
of the Blessed Virgin Mary
Wednesday 8th December
Laurencetown
Tues 7th Dec Vigil 6.00pm in the church
Weds 8th - 10.00am in the school
Gifford
Tues 7th Dec Vigil 7.30pm
Weds 8th Dec - 11.30am

Advent Adoration
Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament
Laurencetown & Gifford
3pm - 5pm each Sunday during Advent
It's important that someone is present in the churches during the times of the Adoration.

Church Art Calendars
Price £1.00 Available from each church parish

Recently Deceased
By request of our priest:
Mr Thomas Clarke, Banbridge
and offer our sincere sympathy to the entire family circle
May he rest in peace.

Ministers of the Word
It's that time of the year again when the new rotas are made. If you would like to become a Minister of the Word in any of the churches, please contact the Parish office as soon as possible.

Recently Married
We would like to congratulate:
Jennifer McQuinn & Peadar Cunningham
(Dante & Pippa & Nellie) together
on their recent marriage and wish them every
happiness in their future lives together.

Baptisms
Tullylish Parish would like to welcome it's newest
member into the Christian Community
(Thomas Joseph Nugent, Gifford)
and congratulate his parents and family.

St. Vincent De Paul
ANNUAL COLLECTION
NEXT WEEKEND
Sat 11th and Sun 12th Dec
After Communion at all masses.
Thank You.

School Christmas Concerts
St Columba's Bann P.S. Laurencetown
Laurencetown Chapel - Thurs 16th December
St John's P.S. Gifford
Gifford Chapel - Thurs 16th December

Do This in Memory of Me
"Do This in Memory of Me" is a Parish-based preparation for
First Holy Communion. It will be used by parents, guardians and
their children in preparation for this very important day in the lives
of our young parishioners.
As we enter *Do This in Memory of Me* we hope that the three
partners of *home, school and parish* will work together to ensure
that all are encouraged and challenged to be more actively involved
in the preparation for First Holy Communion in our parish.
Next weekend we welcome teachers, parents/guardians and the
children from St Columba's Bann Primary school to Mass.

ADVICE NOTES
St Vincent's Mass - Gifford - Mon 6th Dec at 7pm
Laurencetown - Thurs 9th Dec at 7pm
Sacrament of Confirmation 2011
Laurencetown - Tuesday 7th April at 6.00pm
St John's Communion
St Columba's Bann - Laurencetown Sat 7th May 2011 at 11.00am
St John's Gifford - Sat 14th May 2011 at 11.00am

O.P.	28/11/2010
L. Town	4656.70
Clare	496.50
Gifford	1534.94
Total	6688.14

Bright Lights Drama School
Classes for children aged 4-11 yrs
Classes are available every Saturday
Starting from 11.00am in
The Parish Centre, Banbridge.
For more details please contact
Nancy Ellen 07560228017 or
Michael 0749124520

Our Lady's Grammar School
Open night will take place on Thursday 9th December 2010
from 7.15pm - 10.00pm. The principal's address will be at
7.30pm and 8.30pm respectively. Parents of P7 girls will be
very welcome to look around the school and talk to the teachers
and pupils.
Any prospective A level students who may be thinking of
transferring in September 2010 are also most welcome to attend.

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LOTTO numbers: 6, 14, 21, 24 Next week £1150.00
Jackpot Winner: John McQuinn - 3 hit winners - A. McCarty,
E. Scullion, M. McEvoy, P. Rooney

Christmas Penitential Services

Dromore	Sun 19th Dec at 7.00pm
Loughbrickland	Sun 19th Dec at 7.00pm
Laurencetown	Mon 20th Dec at 7.30pm
Banbridge	Thurs 23rd Dec at 7.30pm

Prayer for Advent
God of comfort, these times seem so uncertain, so scary. The
world seems darker than it has in the past and I am less sure of
myself. Maybe that's a good thing; maybe now I am learning to
you with a realization that I need you so much more and that my
life is not in my own control. Let me not forget all of those
around the world who are frightened at this moment. Help those
who are victims of terrorism and war. Be with those who have
lost so much in the past year. Hold us all in your loving arms
and let us be comforted by the strength and peace you want to
send to offer us through the birth of your son, Jesus.
Thank you for the many gifts you offer us.

Trocaire Christmas gifts
Bring joy and peace with Trocaire Christmas gifts!
The gift of a light £20, Olive Trees £20, Cooking Stone
£20, Page £20, need a child to school for a year £20.
These are some of the new Trocaire gifts that are
available through Trocaire's Global Gift Plan.
A gift that serves the true meaning of Christmas.
(This is not just thoughtless but is also genuinely life-
changing. A gift that will continue to be appreciated
for many Christmas to come)
There are more gifts to choose from, for 14 countries
from Afghanistan to Zimbabwe, and each will change
the world for the people who receive them. That's
because we have chosen each gift on the basis
of who is most needed and what can do
have the most positive effects over
time.
Pick up a leaflet in the post.