



Weekend Mass Schedule					
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	Laurelston	6.00pm	10.00am		
	Gifford		11.30am		
	Clare	7.30pm			

Weekday Mass Schedule					
	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
7.00am	7.30pm	10.00am	10.00am	10.00am	5.00am
Gifford	10.00am	10.00am	10.00am	10.00am	10.00am

ANNIVERSARIES

Sat 2nd 6.00pm: John Doyle (Laurelston)
 Sat 2nd 10.00am: Maria Curvey
 Sat 9th 6.00pm: Stephen Todd (Dc's members of the McCartan Family, Chapel Hill, Clontarf Campbell)
 Sun 10th 10.00am: —
 Sun 11th 11.00am: —
 Sun 10th 11.30am: —
 Sat 2nd 7.30pm: Mary, Thomas & Jack Todd; Joseph McConville; Cecilia & Mabel Prentice; Neil McConville
 Sat 9th 7.30pm: John McAlamain, Cranny Terrace; Joe & Joseph Jay & Agnes Todd

Recently Deceased

We remember to our prayers *Yeamstown Young, Owen Green* and offer our prayers especially to the entire family circle. We also offer our sincere sympathy to: *Charlie McConville, Copperfields, Gifford on the recent death of his mother; Patsie McConville, Derrynealeah; Rose, Jim and John Crotty on the death of their sister May Fitzpatrick (Derby); Graham McAloney (Rose Green) and Pamela McCurtain (Kilniskelly Park) on the death of their father, Alec McCurtain, Steven Hill, Banbridge. May they rest in peace*

Confessions

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

MINISTERS OF THE WORD

	Laurelston	Gifford	Clare
Sat 2nd	10.00am		11.30am
Sat 9th	6.00pm		7.30pm
Sat 9th	7.30pm		
Sun 10th	10.00am		11.30am

Loures Pre-Parish Mass

Sat 9th May 2009 The Clare 7.30pm
 Prayers before are available to each parish.
PLEASE DO NOT PUT MONEY IN THESE BOXES

Infant Dates

Sacrament of First Holy Communion
 Gifford - Saturday 16th May 2009 at 11am
 Cemetery Sunday - Sunday 24th May 2009
 Laurelston 2.30pm & Clare 4.00pm

Congratulations to the girls and boys from St. Colman's Bann Primary School who received their 1st Holy Communion on Saturday.

Collection 26.04.2009
 Laurelston: £2620 Gifford: £2912
 Clare: £20875 Tel: 02838 83126

Laurelston Church Appeal
 I would like to thank those parishioners who have contacted me with promises of financial help. A passionate appeal is made to the many, sadly, some of whom are young workers who, perhaps, could not contribute to assist their fellow parishioners by giving a tithe to the weekly collections and therefore making the burden that little bit lighter for all. We also appeal to former parishioners living in other parishes or abroad. The following donations have been gratefully received, £2000, 4x £1000, £500 and 8x £1000.00 Thank you.
 The work will begin in the first week of June and will take ten weeks to complete. During that time the church will be closed. The weekend masses will be celebrated in St. Colman's Bann Primary School and the weekday masses in the Den, Funerals and Baptisms will be celebrated in the Clare and Gifford.

Anyone wishing to leave a donation can do so by contacting Fr. O'Powell or the Parish Office.
T.L.C. The T.L.C. Group meet every Tuesday evening in the Den, Laurelston from 10.30am - 12.30pm. The group are holding another table quiz on Sunday 24th May at 7.30pm in the Den. All proceeds to Parish Funds.
Troaire Total To Date £5680.41
Please return your box A.S.A.P
 Do you enjoy any of the following, singing, poetry, playing an instrument, story telling or maybe dancing. If you willing to participate in any of the above and over 25 years of age you are invited to join Artia United for a fun and social evening on a weekly basis in the Reading Room in the Community Club Hall, Castle Hill, Gifford on a Wednesday evenings from 7.30pm - 9.00pm, commencing on 6th May. **EVERYONE WELCOME**

St Patrick's High School Class of 1989 Reunion
 The Coach Inn Banbridge on Friday 15th of May 2009, admission £10 proceeds in aid of *The Darren Weir Trust* for further information contact Paul Beattie 0772542424 Paul Lyness 07931858274 or Seana McDermott 07739108484.

St. Patrick's College, Banbridge 50th Anniversary Magazine
 Will be published in May 2009. Limited copies will be available. Reserve your copy to, Walsh's Newsagents, The Parish Centre or the College Office.

TULLYLISH G.A.C
 LOTTO Numbers: 6, 14, 16, 21
 3 Rd winners: E. Scullion, H. McIlwain, M. Cairns, N. McCurtain, L. McCreary, C. O'Rourke, B. Greene, P. Rooney. No Jackpot Winner. next week £2850
Football Training (now at Tullyish Club Hall)
 Monday 11th at 6.00PM, Tuesday 12th at 6.00PM, Wednesday 13th at 6.00PM.

CHILD PROTECTION ID CHECK
 The Denary Representative will be available between 7-8pm on Tuesday 5 May 2009 in the Den to check ID's for volunteers who require vetting. Please bring your completed Access NI and ID forms, completed in black ink and your ID as stipulated in the letter.

Professor Richard R. Gallardetz - holder of the Margaret and Thomas Murray and James J. Beck Endowed Chair in Catholic Studies at the University of Toledo in Ohio, United States will deliver a public lecture entitled *Finding God in Daily Life* in St Mary's University College, Belfast, on Monday 11th May, 2009 at 7.30pm. All Welcome

We would like to wish Greg McCurtan a Happy 81th Birthday on Saturday 2nd May 2009.

195 Years of the GAA Tulluish
 As part of the celebrations for the 195th Year of the GAA Tulluish GAC is holding an exhibition of club history on Sunday 10th May 2009. The 125 page Celebrations Committee are currently researching and gathering information for the exhibition and it would be appreciated if anyone who has any information which could be relevant to the exhibition in Pictures, Videos, Photographs, Reports, Journals, Trophies, Programmes, etc. would contact Frank O'Dowd 0277605204, a very member of the 195 Years Celebrations Committee. Please note all items will be returned after the exhibition.
 All past players and members are invited to attend our 195 Celebrations in Tulluish GAC on Sunday 10th May. It will be an open day from 1pm to late with the days events listed below:

1pm - 6pm 7 a side Parish Blitz
 2pm - 6pm Community Sports Day
 8.30pm-9pm Scór Tulluish Lú
 8.30pm-10pm 195 Quiz
 All Day Exhibition of Tulluish GAC archives

Chalice In The Home Programme
 Thanks to those who are actively taking part in the Chalice in the Home Programme. Sign up cards are available at the back of the church and place in the collection basket at any of the Masses which will be forwarded to Miss Pat Sorphy who is co-ordinating the programme in our parish and she will then contact you. Alternatively you can telephone Pat on: 02838 831024.