

Anima Christi

Soul of Christ, sanctify me;
Body of Christ, save me;
Blood of Christ, inebriate me;
Water from the side of Christ, wash me;
Passion of Christ, strengthen me;
O good Jesus hear me;
Within your wounds hide me;
suffer me not to be separated from Thee;
From the malicious enemy defend me;
In the hour of my death, call me
And bid me come unto Thee
That I may praise Thee with Thy saints
And with Thy angels,
Forever and ever. Amen.

Feast of Corpus Christi
22nd June 2025



For those Parishioners who wish to talk or consult. I will always be available a half hour before and after Mass in any of our Churches.

In the case of an emergency clergy can be contacted at the following numbers:

Fr O'Neill (Brackaville): 02887740221

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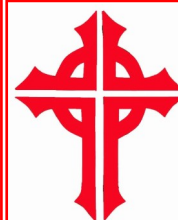
Parish Office is open every Tuesday and Wednesday from 10am - 2pm to arrange for Baptisms, Certificates, Anniversaries and all other bookings.

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Corpus Christi 22nd June 2025

Travel the world and in some city of most countries there's a solemn tradition of a cannon being fired from the highest point at a set daily time. Normally it's there to remind us of some great event or happening from the past and yet mostly it's only tourists and visitors who notice it, who stop and look to see what's happening. The locals don't even hear it because they're so well used to it – familiarity can do that to us all. One perfect example is from a hill near Cape Town in South Africa, just below the famed Table Mountain, where the gun is fired every day at noon. The hill is known as Signal Hill. The firing of the gun once served a beautiful purpose. It signalled that a ship, on it's way to or from India, had arrived in the harbour with a cargo of goods, and was in need of supplies of food and fresh water. A beautiful exchange resulted. There was receiving and giving. But that was a long time ago. The purpose no longer exists. Yet the gun is still fired dutifully every day but, the firing is now little more than an empty ritual. Once it had a marvellous meaning. Now the meaning has gone out of it. The locals ignore it and visitors are told, "If you hear a loud bang at mid-day, don't worry. It's only the gun going off." However, the ritual still has one thing going for it. Most people know the story behind it. If that story were to be lost, then the ritual would become poorer still. The Eucharist celebrates a wonderful event - the Gift which Jesus made of His life on our behalf. Every time we celebrate the Eucharist, we tell that story again. But like anything that is repeated over and over again, there is a danger that it may become just a ritual. It's always a good thing to remind ourselves that at every Mass something sacred and special happens, something that is worthy of our respect, our best mind and attitude, something that should lift us for a moment out of the now and into the presence of God, because after all, we believe that God is truly there on the Altar and in the Tabernacle. But rituals can become routine and our minds can wander, our heads can be in the shops, at work, mulling over the latest news and gossip or casting the critical eye, while our bodies are going through the motions of Mass. We can come forward to receive the Blessed Sacrament without reverence or without a sense of appreciation. We can utter Amen without thinking that we say "I agree – yes this is the Body of Christ". We can all slip our ways and our worship. Always remember the great gift the Eucharist is – God Himself there for you. Do we give the Eucharist the honour and respect we should? In our Mass we get a chance to step out of the world for a few moments, to be silent and still, to be with God. Take that opportunity because the blessing of God for your worries and concerns, for your deepest prayers comes in that silence. In a world that's so quick and busy it seems strange to simply sit and ponder the mystery of God but always make that effort when you can. In every Mass a wonderful exchange happens – we give our time to God and He gives Himself for and to us, He gives us hope, strength, courage and love if we think about and look for His blessings. When you're at Mass or just in Church let your actions and ways show the hardest soul how deeply you believe and do it for God as thanks for what He did and does for you.

With best wishes for the week - Fr O'Neill

ROSARY: at Our Lady's Grotto every evening at 8.00pm.

DIVINE MERCY CHAPLET: Friday - 10.30am.

BAPTISMS: Baptisms normally take place on Saturdays at 4.00pm in Holy Family Church and after 11am Mass on Sundays in St Mary's. The next available dates for Baptisms are Saturday **28th June** and **Saturday 5th July** in Holy Family Church, Coalisland and Sunday **6th July** in St Mary's Church, Stewartstown. To book please email the Parish Office at: coalislandparish@yahoo.co.uk or telephone the Parish Office on Tuesday/ Wednesday mornings.

HOLY FAMILY CHURCH, COALISLAND

WEEKEND MASS: Vigil Mass - 6.00pm; Sunday Mass - 9.30am

ST MARY & ST JOSEPH'S CHURCH, BRACKAVILLE

MIRACULOUS MEDAL NOVENA: Monday evenings at 7.30pm

WEEKDAY MASS: Tuesday - Friday: 10.00am.

FIRST ANNIVERSARY: Friday 27th June - 7.30pm - Edel Campbell

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION: Wednesday - 10.30am - 6.30pm

ROSARY: Tuesday & Thursday: 9.30am, Wednesday: 6.00pm

CONFESSIONS: Wednesday: 5.00pm - 5.45pm

ST. MARY'S CHURCH, STEWARTSTOWN

WEEKEND MASS: Sunday - 11.00am

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION: Monday - 10.00am - 6.00pm

CLEANING FOR JUNE: Phyllis Donaghy

CLEANING FOR JULY: Colette Gillen

SUNDAY READER: 22ND JUNE: Katie O'Neill

SUNDAY READER: 29TH JUNE: Martin Kennedy

"Keep your heart in peace and let nothing trouble you,
not even your faults.
You must humble yourself and amend them peacefully,
without being discouraged or cast down,
for God's dwelling is in peace."

St Margaret Mary Alacoque

COLLECTION: Sunday 15th June: £4224.50

Many thanks for your generosity. If anyone would like to make a donation by cheque please make cheques payable to "Coalisland Catholic Church". For those who would like to set up a Standing Order, forms can be downloaded from the Parish website.

LATELY DECEASED: Please pray for those who have died recently: Kayleigh Magee; Theresa McCaughey; Marion O'Cuinn; Joey Toner; Cathal Duffy; Rose McDonagh; Kathleen Toner

WEDDINGS 2025: All couples who plan to marry in **2025** are asked to contact the Parish Office **by email** at coalislandparish@yahoo.co.uk to arrange for the completion of all necessary Church and State paperwork. Meetings to complete paperwork will take place on Monday evenings in January at 5pm / 5.45pm and should last no more than 30 minutes. **The completion of the necessary paperwork is a legal requirement and without completion the wedding cannot take place.** The requirements are:

- 1) Arrange for your Pre- Marriage Course – see accord.ni for details
- 2) Contact your local Council Offices for Notification of Marriage Forms
- 3) Complete Pre-Nuptial Enquiry forms with the Priest of the Parish you live in.

If anyone you know is hoping to marry in 2025 please bring this to their notice. Many thanks.

JUNE: MONTH OF THE SACRED HEART: The Sacred Heart Novena began on Thursday **19th June and will conclude on 27th June** - the Feast of the Sacred Heart. Novena prayer will be prayed **after weekend Masses and before the Monday evening Novena Mass but during Mass from Tuesday through to Friday morning.** Prayer leaflets are available in the Church for those who wish to join in. We all know only too well the need for a sustainable peace in so many countries of the world, but also in so many homes and communities in our own land. Please do join in this initiative, as when we all pray only good, no matter how small, can come about.

SUMMER BAPTISMS: the provisional schedule of available dates for Baptisms over the summer months is as follows. To book, please email the Parish Office at coalislandparish@yahoo.co.uk

5th July -	Holy Family Church, Coalisland -	4.00pm
6th July -	St Mary's Church, Stewartstown -	11.45am
26th July -	Holy Family Church, Coalisland -	4.00pm
9th August -	Holy Family Church, Coalisland -	4.00pm
10th August -	St Mary's Church, Stewartstown -	11.45am
23rd August -	Holy Family Church, Coalisland -	4.00pm

SUMMER MONTHS: during the summer months weekday Mass may occasionally be replaced by a Communion Service. All anniversaries will be prayed for on the day requested and all Mass intentions will be fulfilled. Many thanks for your understanding.

PARISH OFFICE: will be closed during the weeks of 7th and 14th July. All booking requests for Baptisms, anniversaries etc can still be made by email or the usual methods during these weeks.

KNOCK SHRINE: will host Sr Brieghe McKenna on Monday 4th August. A coach will run for those who wish to attend at a cost of £25 per person. To book a space please contact Gabrielle at 07933521105 or Catherina at 07899 810181.

FINAL BULLETIN: before the summer months will be published next weekend. If anyone has notices which they would like included pertaining to events during the summer months please forward to the Parish Office before Thursday morning.

MARY'S MEALS CHURCH GATE COLLECTION: will be held on the weekend of 16th/17th August at all Masses in the Parish. Many thanks for your ongoing support for this charity.

ANAM CARA PARENT SUPPORT EVENING 25 JUNE 2025 AT 7.30PM: in the Armagh City Hotel, Friary Rd, Armagh. This event is free and open to all bereaved parents regardless of the age your child died, the circumstances of their death, or how recent their death was. You do not need to register in advance. Please note that there will be no meetings in July & August, and we will recommence on Wednesday 24th September. We also offer an online support group meeting. To find out more call 01 4045378 or email info@anamcara.ie