

Priests Collection: Parish Envelopes can be placed under the door of the sacristy or through Presbytery doors. We appreciate any support you can give in these difficult times.

Should you wish to pay by electronic transfer or set up a standing order, the following are the parish account details

Priests Dues: Priests Revenue Account

IBAN: IE85 AIBK 93745219069018 BIC: AIBKIE2D

Weekly Collection: Annaghdown Church Account

IBAN: IE15 AIBK 93745200022000 BIC: AIBKIE2D

Please include your name as a narrative to appear on our bank statement. Thanks again for your support of your parish and clergy.

Return to Mass:

1. The return to public Masses is not a return to normal practice, only a partial return. *“In all circumstances the safety and health of people, ministers, and priests must be paramount. No church should be opened for public prayer or worship until satisfactory arrangements have been put in place”.* (Irish Bishops)
2. It is most important that people who are vulnerable or unwell, and especially those with any symptoms that might suggest Covid-19 infection, should stay at home and, if possible, participate, as now, via webcam, social media, television, or radio. The same applies to those who have been in recent contact with someone who has the virus, in accordance with public health advice.
3. The normal obligation for Catholics to attend Mass is suspended for now. All parishioners are free to make the decision whether they are comfortable attending or not.
4. Physical distancing means that only about 25 people will be able to attend at Mass in Annaghdown church as we need to maintain a distance of 2 metres from each other, both inside and outside the church.
5. I propose that parishioners would attend Mass only once per week to allow space for others on other days. Parishioners who are not in the workforce might attend on weekdays to give priority to those unable to attend during the week.
6. Please maintain good hand hygiene, coughing/sneezing etiquette at all times. Church doors will only be open 20 minutes before Mass and seating will be allocated on a first-come basis and seating will be assigned from the top back. Entry will be through main door and exit for all via side door.
7. If there are additional parishioners unable to gain access, they are encouraged to listen to Mass in the church car park and Holy Communion will be distributed to them after Mass at the church door.
8. Your co-operation and understanding are greatly appreciated during this process

- Fr Sean

Window Restoration: Three new windows have been installed in the main aisle of the church in recent days as part of the restoration work. The three windows over the main doors have also been removed for re-framing. Thanks for your support of this ongoing project.

Holy Hour: Holy hour on Wednesday at 8.00pm for all our intentions. It will be available on Parish radio or to view online on the parish Facebook page, Annaghdown-Corrandulla Parish.

Priests Summer Collection: Thanks to all who contributed to last Sunday's collection for the support of the priests of the parish. We appreciate any support you can give.

Annaghdown Parish Council Office The Parish Council Office in the Girl's Old School in Corrandulla, is now active again, behind closed doors.

Telephone 793796 with any queries, Mon-Wed mornings.

Any notices for the local newspapers can also be forwarded to info@annaghdown.ie.

Sunday Mass online: Parishioners do not need a Facebook account to view the Mass/Holy Hour on Facebook live. Go to www.corrandullachurch.com and click on Facebook link.