

St. Brendan's Church by the Lake Annaghdown

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Mass Intentions from: 17th - 25th Feb 2024

Sat 17th 7.00pm Bridget, Malachy & Deceased Members
of Hardiman Family.

Sun 18th 11.00am People of the Parish.

Mon NO MASS

Tue 20th 7.00pm Bertie & Mary Elwood.

Wed - Thurs NO MASS

Fri 23rd 7.00pm Mary Ellen & Hugh McHugh.

Sat 24th 7.00pm Eileen Farragher, Rinneharney, Anniv.

Sun 25th 11.00am People of the Parish.

Mass online: Go to Churchtv.ie/Annaghdown.

Parish Finances: Parish account details; *Weekly Collection:* Annaghdown:

Church Account .IBAN: IE15 AIBK 93745200022000 BIC: AIBKIE2D.

Please include your name as a narrative to appear on our bank statement.

Annaghdown Parish Priests Revenue Account: IBAN: IE85 AIBK

93745219069018 BIC: AIBKIE2D

Guide for anyone doing online contribution:

Information sheets are available at the back of the church or else go to -

<http://www.annaghdownchurch.com/2024-dues-check-page/>

Annaghdown/Corrandulla Active Age Group: New members would be very

welcome for the coming year. Our meetings are held in the GAA Clubhouse

at Cregg on Thursdays, 10.30am – 12.30pm. Come along for tea and a chat.

Usual activities include music, outings, etc. Enquiries to 087-9967811.

Trocaire Boxes: Are available in the Church.

Card Drive in aid of Temple Street Children's Hospital: On Sunday 25th February

at 7pm in Cloughanover Centre. Tickets €10. Your support would be greatly

appreciated.

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Sat 17th

Sun 18th

Tue 20th

Fri 23rd

Sat 24th

Sun 25th

Tue 27th

Reader

Eugene Keane

Brid Greaney

Mary McGrath

Felicity McCormick

Bridgie Forde

Olivia Divilly

Sally Farragher

Eucharist

Mary Teresa Keane

Brid Greaney

Marguerite Fitzpatrick

Aine Farragher

Basket Collection

John King

Mary McGrath

Bridgie Forde

Olivia Divilly

Church Envelopes 2024: Church envelopes for the coming year are still available at the back of the church for collection. The church envelope system enables us to make CHY Tax rebate claims to Revenue. The system is an important source of funding for the parish. Please take your envelopes as soon as possible.

"Come and See" - Prayer in Daily: (Beginning Wed 21st Feb) Online *Lenten retreat* for everyone! To get to know Jesus Christ and yourself better. To become aware of how God is at work in our daily lives This is a retreat with a difference. By taking some quiet time each day on our own we are able to find God in the ups and downs of everyday life. What is involved: Half an hour of prayer each day at a time and place that suits you, Meet with a Prayer Guide online (via Zoom, Skype etc.) once a week for 4 weeks in Lent to talk about how it is going. **Contact Parish Office for further details 091-791125**

Annaghdown Golf Society AGM: Will take place on Wed 28th February at 8.00pm in Hennellys Bar. Motions can be sent to Golf society phone or any committee member. All members asked to attend and new members welcome.

Reflection: The word 'Lent' comes from an old English word meaning 'springtime'. So, it reminds us of the bursting forth of new life in nature during Spring. Lent need not be a dreary penitential season to be patiently endured. It is a joyful season, as today's Lenten preface reminds us: 'Each year you give us this joyful season when we prepare to celebrate the paschal mystery with mind and heart renewed' The season of Lent offers us a blessed opportunity to do some spring cleaning in our lives and enjoy new life as a result. *What can I let go of to make greater room for God in my life?*