

Priors Corner 12

Servite Priory, Main Street, Benburb, Co. Tyrone, BT71 7JZ

Autumn 2019

Another "social" year begins. This phrase has always surprised us as the year begins on January 1st. The phrase refers mainly to the beginning of the school year and all the frenetic activity around this event.

For many it will be a time of "trauma" as our children leave" home for their first year at school or they are moving from one school to another. All change as we wonder how they will cope and what lies ahead. We hope all will be good and wonder at how time seems to fly by -"it seems no time since....."

As this social year begins we wish and pray that all goes well and good lies ahead. May the year be fruitful for those going to nursery, beginning primary school., moving to secondary school, entering college/ university and embarking on life beyond educational systems. May it be the beginning of a wonderful journey.

Servite Community

MASS IN HONOUR OF ST. PEREGRINE

(Healing Mass for those suffering from cancer)

1st and 3rd Mondays of each month

At 8:00p.m.

Sacrament of reconciliation celebrated before the celebration of Eucharist

Cemetery Sunday 2019

The Servite Cemetery Sunday was celebrated this year on Sunday 11 August and the mass was celebrated by Fr. Paul Addison (Prior Provincial). It was a very good celebration with family and friends of our deceased brothers in attendance. Light refreshments were provided after the celebration of mass and visit to the Priory cemetery. Thank you to all who helped and joined us for this special moment.



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Fr. Charlie M. Toland, OSM, a native of Derry and who worked tirelessly in the Servite Missions of Zululand, died unexpectedly in August following a car accident.

Fra Nabobonke M. Ngubane and Charlie were driving to the Delegation Assembly when the accident occurred. Nabo was injured.

Charlie, age 87, reported that he was OK at the scene of the accident. He was taken to a hospital in Richards Bay and then surprisingly passed away.

He was buried in Zululand. A requiem mass remembering Charlie was celebrated in his native Derry . This was attended by his family and friends.

Please pray for Charlie and his family at this time.

ENGLISH OPEN DOOR CLUB

HOLDING A STEW AND DANCE EVENING

8:30P.M.—12:30 AM

FRIDAY 1ST NOVEMBER 2019

BENBURB PRIORY MAIN HALL

TICKETS £8

Proceeds in aid of new industrial dishwasher for Priory

Do You Believe God Is Calling You To Religious Life?

Do You Have A Desire To Serve Him In The Service Of Others ?

Are You Interested In Sharing Our Dream?

If So Drop Us A Line At The Priory Or Visit Our Vocations Page

www.servitefriars.org



An Evening for various community and interest groups

Benburb Library and Museum Committee organised a very successful evening for community and other interest groups associated with the Priory. The Blue Room was “overflowing” with participants It was funded by The Mid-Ulster Council Good Relations Team and Rural Action.

There was great enthusiasm and commitment to the Priory. It was an uplifting experience for those attending which demonstrated the central and understated role of the Priory in the life and wellbeing of the local and wider community.

The evening was a clear confirmation of the wide range of support for the Priory as the area hub for community activity and involvement for everyone's benefit.

Prof P.G. McKenna

Stables Coffee Shop

Taking a walk in the grounds of the Priory or visiting the Priory for any reason, why not stop and visit our coffee shop situated in the old stables area of the courtyard.

The coffee shop was opened about 18 months ago as part of the development of the library, museum and archives project supported by the National Heritage Lottery Fund .

It has been very successful to date and does provide for those seeking snacks or just a cup of coffee and scone.

It can also host small groups.

Further information can be obtained from Erin by phoning the coffee Shop Thursday—Sunday 9a.m. to 4pm 02887655203.



As we approach the month of November let us remember out loved ones who, having completed their journey with us, have now returned to the loving embrace of the Father of us all.

If you wish to have them remembered during the month in the prayers and masses of the community you can find a list which you can complete and return in the envelope provided.

These can be found at the front reception or back of the chapel. You can request for one to be sent to you.

A PRIEST IS ON DUTY

Monday	10:00—12:30
Tuesday to Thursday	10:00 - 12:30 2:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.
Friday	10:00 a.m.—12:30
Saturday	If a priest is available
Sunday	2:00 p.m. —5:00 p.m.

If you wish to keep up-to-date with what's happening at the Priory please keep visiting our Facebook Page and our web site.

If you would like your name to be added to our mailing list please send your name and address to:

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we will endeavour to send you copies of our literature.

Correspondence in relation to St. Peregrine should continue to be sent to Fr. Sean OSM at the same address.

Enquiries about booking the Priory for retreats, groups, meetings etc can be made by phoning the Priory on 02837548241.

OFFICE HOURS

Monday to Friday	9:30 a.m.—1:00 p.m. 2:00 p.m.—5:00 p.m.
Saturday	when a priest is available
Sunday	2:00 p.m.—4:30 p.m.