Parish Ministries:
Next week’s volunteers are as follows:
See rota on notice boards for more details.

Readers:
1st & 2nd December
Crosstown
Sun 9:30am
Monica Devlin
Sun 11:00am
Willie Hanna & Marie Dowdall
Killyleagh:
Sat: 3:30pm
Liam Higgins & Kate McGlinn
Teaconaught:
Sat: 7:00pm
Dennis Cahill & Francis Martin

Mass Intentions:
If you wish to have a Mass offered for a special intention ie Months Mind, Anniversary, Thanksgiving or Names added to the ‘Prayer of the Faithful’ please make sure the names of your loved ones are submitted to the sacristan of the church at least one month before the due date, as to avoid any disappointment.

Sign Language Mass:
I wish to inform you of an initiative within the Diocese of Down and Connor that is very beneficial to those who are deaf and hard of hearing.

Each day a BSL Ni Sign Language Mass is provided via the webcast from St Vincent de Paul Parish, Lisgoil, Belfast. https://www.saintvincentdepaulonline.com/webcast. You can also watch a recording of the Mass externally at https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCQJFQZn2pZxKs4p6P0J8A This will have subtitles.

Bishop Noel Treanor

November Lists for Deceased Family Members:
During the month of November, the morning weekday Masses at 9.30am will be offered solely for those names of deceased relatives/family members on the Dead Lists which are available at the back of the churches. Please provide the complete lists in the receptacles/baskets provided.

Anniversary Masses may be booked for evening and weekend Masses.

St. Patrick’s Grammar School:
Mass for deceased staff, students and members of the school community will be held on Tuesday 27th November in the school oratory at 7.30pm.

SDVP:
The Annual Christmas Dinner will be held at 1.45pm on Wednesday 5th December in Crossgar Community Hall. If you would like to attend please give your name to a St. Vincent de Paul member or ring 07521 111 543. Names may also be posted in the Parish Office letterbox no later than 5pm on Friday 30th November.

St. Vincent de Paul’s Annual Special Christmas Collection will take place on 8th and 9th December. Please give generously.

Kilmorie Parish St. Vincent de Paul Christmas Cards are on sale at the back of the Churches. Cost £3.50 per pack.

Advent Prayer Gatherings hosted by Knights of St Columbanus:
The season of Advent runs for 4 weeks and offers us all an opportunity to pray and to come closer to Christmas. For Advent 2018, St. Paul parish is offering 4 weekly Advent prayer gatherings.
The topics of weeks of Advent are:
• Advent Week 1 (30th Nov) - Stay Awake - “That day will be sprung on you suddenly, like a trap”
• Advent Week 2 (1st Dec) - The Wilderness
• Advent Week 3 (4th Dec) - Joy
• Advent Week 4 (11th Dec) - Saying Yes to God
The first gathering will be on Friday 30th November in Saul Pastoral Centre after 7pm Mass and all are welcome to come.

Reminder - Bulletin Notices:
All bulletin notices can be emailed to the office email address marked “bulletin”. Notices must be in by Wednesday.

Baptism Times:
Baptisms will take place as follows:
• Crosstown: 3rd Sunday in October
• Teaconaught: 3rd Sunday in November
• Killyleagh: 3rd Sunday in December

Weekly Collection: We acknowledge with thanks and appreciation last week’s offerings.