

IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENT

In view of the COVID 19 pandemic, Bishop Treanor has announced that from Wednesday 18th March the celebration of Public Masses has been suspended until further notice, across the Diocese of Down and Connor.

Weddings, funerals and baptisms will continue to be celebrated but families are asked to limit the number attending to less than 100, in keeping with latest Public Health Agency Guidance. I wish to reassure parishioners that all priests will continue to celebrate Mass in these unprecedented times.

Specific Mass intentions, anniversary Masses and month's mind Masses already booked will be celebrated privately, but not necessarily on the arranged dates/times.

St. Malachy's Church will remain open each day for private prayer.

The church opening and closing times will be as follows until further notice:-

Monday to Friday - 7am – 5.30pm

Saturday 9am – 5.30pm (Confessions 4.30pm – 5.30pm)

Sunday 1pm – 4.30pm

Mass Times

Mass will be broadcast on the parish webcam – Link: churchservices.tv/stmalachysbelfast as follows:

Monday, Tuesday , Thursday, Friday at 6pm

Saturday at 6pm (vigil for Sunday)

Sunday at 11.30am

(Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament – Friday 11.45am – 12.45pm)

Baptisms

The baptisms which have already been arranged for the 2nd and 3rd Sundays of the month will be celebrated at 1pm. Parents wishing to postpone the baptism of their child are asked to contact the parish office as soon as possible.

Please keep the number of people attending the baptism to a minimum, following advice from the Public Health Agency.

Those who have underlying health issues are advised to stay at home and watch the baptism on the parish webcam.

Interment of Ashes will be arranged through the Parish Office.