

# IN THE Spotlight

In our latest **InTheSpotlight** feature, we catch up with **Anne Meehan** from the Communications Team. Having joined the Communications team in March 2022, Anne is involved in all matters relating to internal and external communications within the Parish.



## **What is the purpose of your team and what does it involve?**

Our aim is 'To promote communication inside and outside of the Church via different channels'. We do this by working closely with Melanie in the Parish Office as well as acting as a link between all groups in the parish.

A typical week involves keeping the website up to date, updating our images library and posting on our social media channels. The 'In The Spotlight' initiative that you're currently reading is a new one with the aim of raising awareness of what different parish groups are up to. We're also starting to promote parish events in the local community.

## **How many people are involved?**

We are a small team of four, (Lorna Barratt, Elaine Durno & Paul Durden and me) but we are always looking for new people to join our team!

## **How does your team fulfil the Parish Vision?**

You could say it's as simple as finding and sharing good news!

## **What do you enjoy most about your role?**

I enjoy the challenge of keeping the information we share fresh and relevant and I've learnt new skills along the way.

## **What are some of the key challenges you face?**

We'd love to encourage more young people and new members of the parish to get involved in parish life and to follow us on our social media platforms.

## **What has been your highlight so far?**

The launch of our new parish website was exciting and seeing that folk are increasingly using the website and social media is very satisfying.

## **How can others in the Parish get involved?**

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