

BALLINAMORE /DRUMREILLY LR. PARISH NEWSLETTER

Sun 20th August 2017 (20th Sunday O.T)

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Feast Days: Mon 21st St. Pius X Pope, Tue 22nd The Queenship of The Blessed Virgin, Thur 24th St Bartholomew

Ballinamore St. Patrick's Church Masses : Mon & Wed 7pm, Tues Thurs & Fri 9am, Sat 11am, Sun 11 am

Mass Intentions

Sun 20th Aug 11am

Margaret & Hugh Boyle, Rosóg.

Bernie & Mary Brigid Mahon, Stralongford

Sun 20th Aug 2:30pm

Mass in Oughteragh Cemetery followed with Blessing of Graves.

Sun 27th Aug 11am

Jimmy Clyne, Railway Terrace.

Deceased members of The Murphy family, Cleenaghoo.

John Joe Smyth, Ballyduff

John & Annie Prior, Camagh.

Altar Servers

Team 3 : Sun 27th Aug Eoin, Killian, Emma, Kacee, Adam

Door Collectors

Group 3 27th Aug: Seamus McTague, Michael Gillen, PJ Duignan. Eugene Maxwell

Ministers of the Word

Sun 27th Aug Philomena Earley

Eucharistic Ministers

Sun 27th Aug Alice Costello, Francis Maguire, Raymond McHugh

Confessions: Every Saturday 11.30am or anytime on request

Adoration :

Fridays 9:30 – 1:30pm 7pm to 9pm

Aughnasheelin St Marys Church Masses: Fri : 8pm, Sat 8:15pm

Mass Intentions

Sat 19th Aug 8:15pm

People of the parish.

Fri 25th Aug 8pm

Pakey & Una Flynn, Derrinkeher Mc Donald.

John Pakie & Lily Bohan & their daughter Vera, Derrinkeher Raycroft

Frank & Mary Murphy & deceased members of The McKeon Family Drumdarton

Sat 26th Aug 8:15pm

Tom Reynolds, Drumkeen

Altar Servers :

Sat 26th Aug Team A Shane, Ellie, Eóin **Suprv**

Eucharistic Ministers:

Sat 26th Aug Team 5 T Boyle & K Mulvanerty

Adoration :

Wednesdays 11am-12md, 8pm-9pm and 9pm-10pm

Corraleehan St. Brigid's Church Masses: Wed 9:30am, Sat 7pm, Sun 12noon

Mass Intentions

Sat 19th Aug 7pm

Thomas Joseph McNiff & his parents, Kiltyhugh

Sat 26th Aug 7pm

Peter & Mary Murphy & deceased family members, Drumderg

Sun 27th Aug 12noon

Mass followed by Blessing of The Graves

Adoration :

Wed 10am – 10pm

Building Fund Collection will take place next weekend.

Aughawillan St. Patrick's Church Masses: Sun 9:45am

Mass Intentions

Sun 20th Aug 9:45am

Michael, Nora & Pat Quinn, Drumcullion.

Pakie McHugh & deceased family members, Boleshill.

Pat & Molly Kelly (Glebe) and deceased members of The Kelly & McBrien Families.

James & Mary Ellen McGovern, Lisgrudy.

Sun 27th Aug 9:45am

Michael and Mollie Dolan, Cronery, Corlough

Eucharistic Minister:

27th Aug & 3rd Sept Bernadette Mahon

Building Fund Collection will take place next weekend.

Recent deaths: Bridie Reynolds nee Mc Nulty formerly from Fenagh (sister of Christina Kellegher Cleenaghoo) whose funeral will take place on August 24th in Liverpool also Thomas Joseph Murphy late of Drumderg who died in London last weekend., funeral arrangements will be announced later. May they rest in peace. Our sympathy to their families

Church Notes

Dates for Cemetery Sundays:

Blessing of Graves takes place after mass.

Ballinamore Sun August 20th Mass at 2:30pm

Corraleehan Sun August 27th Mass at 12noon

Families are invited to bring Holy Water with them to sprinkle on their own graves at all Blessing of the Graves. A limited number of holy water bottles will be available at the cemetery.

Sister's Graves in the Convent Cemetery and Priest's graves at the rear of the Church will be blessed after the 11am mass on Sunday September 3rd.

To facilitate those attending the Visitation and Blessing of Graves in Oughteragh Cemetery this Sun. August 20th a shuttle bus service will operate by Wrynn's Buses from outside Super Value beginning at 1.30pm. We hope that many people will avail of this service which is free.

Altar Servers Outing for servers from the 4 churches in the parish will take place on Monday August 28th to Waterworld Bundoran. Details have been sent to all servers and their parents. If you didn't receive a letter please contact Fr. Sean immediately. It is essential that all paperwork is completed and returned on time to Parochial House, Convent Rd. A meeting for parents of servers going on the Outing will take place in Ballinamore Community Centre on Wednesday August 23rd at 8pm.

Baptism: We welcome Robert Patrick McTiernan into our Church Community as he received the sacrament of Baptism last weekend. Congratulations to his parents.

Congratulations to Rosemary Maguire and Thomas Conefrey who were united in the sacrament of marriage in St. Brigid's Church Corraleeahan on Friday. Best wishes and God's blessing to them.

Holy Land Collection: This collection will take place next weekend in all churches.

Celebrating One Year to the World Meeting of Families 2018 in Knock

We invite you and all your family to come along to the launch of the one-year programme of preparation for World Meeting of Families 2018, which will take place at the Knock Shrine, County Mayo, on Monday 21st August 2017 on the Anniversary of the Apparition of Our Lady in Knock. This day of celebration will include liturgical moments, the celebration of the Eucharist, workshops, as well as faith and fun activities for all the family. The WMOF2018 Icon of the Holy Family will be unveiled and anointed at Mass in the Basilica at 3pm and then begin its journey around the dioceses of Ireland. Please join us in Knock that day with all your family! We look forward to welcoming families from every diocese across the country for this special celebration. More information: www.worldmeeting2018.ie

The "Love Both Project" is committed to building a more welcoming society for expectant mothers and their unborn babies. Right now, our primary goal is protecting Ireland's 8th Amendment, which safeguards the lives of both mother and baby in pregnancy. Each human being, regardless of age, dependency, gender, disability or circumstance, possesses a profound, inherent, equal and irreplaceable value and dignity. If you like to find out more information or help us in any way (financially or through volunteering), please visit www.loveboth.ie or write to info@loveboth.ie.

Donation: I wish to acknowledge a very generous donation of € 2000 from the late Annie Fox, Camagh, to be used for Ballinamore Church. Donations are always welcomed and gratefully received. Our thanks to Annie and all our benefactors.

Aughawillan Cemetery Sunday: A big thank you to all who helped out with our Mass on Sunday last for Blessing of the Graves, to all who did the readings, prayers of the faithful, took part in the Offertory procession, Reflection, the rosary and to the Choir who added so much to a beautiful mass. Thank God we were blessed with a beautiful day. A special word of thanks to our cemetery caretakers Charlie Kelly, Padraic Mc Govern and Eddie Houghton, for their essential work carried out so tastefully.

Community Notices

National Heritage Week event Leitrim launch of Chonmhaice Ceol on Tuesday August 22nd at 7pm in Ballinamore Library. Traditional music presentation by Conor Ward & Fr John Quinn, followed by music session by local musicians

The Golden Era of Ceilli Music is a talk by Brian Lawlor, founder of the Ardellis Ceilli Band, which covers the period 1955-1970. There will be two shows on Friday 25th, starting at 2.30 in Ballinamore Library and again at 5pm in Mohill Library. This is a free event for National Heritage Week.

The Franciscan Friary of Cavan National Heritage week starts on this Saturday 19 August and continues until Sunday 26 August. As part of the County Cavan Heritage week events Fr Liam Kelly will give a talk on *The Franciscan Friary of Cavan c.1300-1800* in the Pastoral Centre, Cavan, on Tuesday 22 August starting at 8pm. All are welcome. Admission free

Mohill Enterprise Centre Open Day on Friday 1st September from 3pm – 7pm. Come along and learn about all the centre has to offer including business support, training, admin services and spaces for rent. Obtain FREE advice on how you can save energy and money in your home and business from Mohill Sustainable Energy Community and an expert from IT Sligo. Speak with staff and tutors about our upcoming courses. Full time, part time and evening courses available starting in September.

Béal an Átha Móir Seán Ó hEislin: Well Done to Dillon Beirne on winning the Golfing Union of Ireland Connacht Junior u16 title, Dillon is an accomplished footballer as well as golfer and everyone at the club would like to congratulate him on this great achievement. **Ballinamore Seán O'Heslin's have a vacancy for a Grounds person/Caretaker,** at Páirc Sheáin Uí Eislin. Persons eligible for CE Scheme are asked to ring 071 9644513 for details.

An Engagement Ring was lost in the vicinity of Ballinamore town on the 10/11th of August. Would finder please contact 085 1657759 or 087 3680737.

Spinathon ; A Ronan O Rourke 6 hour Spinathon in aid of Tyler O Connor will take place outside Ballinamore Library on Sunday August 20th beginning at 2,30pm . please support this worthy cause.

Cavan Institute is holding an "Open Day" on Thursday 24 August from 12 noon to 4.00 pm

This Open Day is for those who have just completed their Leaving Cert and their parents and anyone who wishes to return to full-time Education. Cavan Institute has over 80 courses available, further details on www.cavaninstitute.ie

Prayer for Visiting a Grave in a Cemetery

*God of our ancestors, Lord of the living, who visited Jesus within his grave
And filled him with the fullness of eternal life,
Hear our prayer this day, as we come to this burial place.
With reverence, we visit this sacred shrine where our loved ones are placed
Within the womb of the earth, to await the final day of Glory.
Lord, we have come on this pilgrimage of prayer
To keep the flame of love alive within our hearts.
As we read the names upon these grave stones,
We rejoice because those names have been written
For all ages in the palm of your divine hand.*