

# BALLINAMORE PARISH NEWSLETTER

*24<sup>th</sup> July 2016 (17<sup>th</sup> Sunday O.T)*

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**Ballinamore Masses :** Mon 9:30 (No Mon Evening Mass) Tues, Thurs & Fri 9am, Wed 7pm, Sat 11am, Sat 7pm, (Vigil) Sun. 11.30am.

**Aughnasheelin Masses:** Wed 9am, Fri 8pm, Sun. 10am.

**Feast Days during the week:** Mon 25<sup>th</sup> July St. James, apostle, Tue 26<sup>th</sup> Ss Joachim & Anne, parents of the Blessed Virgin Mary, Fri 29<sup>th</sup>: St Martha

**Mass intentions for the week:**

Sat 23 <sup>rd</sup> July 11am	Fiona Duignan, Kiltymoodan
Sat 23 <sup>rd</sup> July 7pm	Patrick & Margaret Wynne (Drumrane) & their grandson Philip Kelly of Birmingham.
Sun 24 <sup>th</sup> July 11:30	John Joe Smyth, Ballyduff
Tues 26 <sup>th</sup> July 9am	Mass for Grandparents
Wed 27 <sup>th</sup> July 7pm	Parish Community.
Thurs 28 <sup>th</sup> July 9am	Peter Cassidy, Corlough
Fri 29 <sup>th</sup> July 9am	Johnny & Maura Beirne, Corraghole & deceased members of Beirne & McGovern Families Margaret & Hugh Boyle, Rósog
Sat 30 <sup>th</sup> July 7pm	People of the Parish
Sun 31 <sup>st</sup> July 11:30	Special Intentions

**Altar Servers**

Team 1 Sun 24 <sup>th</sup> July, Sat 30 <sup>th</sup>	Seamus Wisley, Caillian Murphy, Danny O'Brien, Sam Cullen, Eoin Connaughton
Team 2 Sun 31 <sup>st</sup> & Sat 6 <sup>th</sup> Aug	Ruth Creamer, Aoife D'Arcy, Megan McGovern, Niamh Donohoe, Isobel McAllister, Alannah McBrien

**Door Collectors**

30<sup>th</sup> & 31<sup>st</sup> July Anna Gallogly, Declan Cumiskey, Joe Murphy, Louis Creamer

**Ministers of the Word**

Sat 30<sup>th</sup> July 7pm PJ McLoughlin

Sun 31<sup>st</sup> July 11:30 Mary Corby

**Eucharistic Ministers**

Sat 30<sup>th</sup> July 7pm Alice Costello, Francis Maguire, Raymond McHugh

Sun 31<sup>st</sup> July 11:30 Michael Duignan, Maureen Martin, Peggy Ferguson

**Recent Deaths** We pray for the souls of (a) Kevin Stephen Gormley Manchester and formerly of Corraghole, Ballinamore whose funeral takes place in Manchester on Monday 25<sup>th</sup>. (b) Brigid Rodican, Drumcong whose funeral took place during the week. (c) Paddy King, Knockacullion who died on Friday night, funeral arrangements later. May they rest in peace. Our sympathy to their families.

**Baptism:** We welcome Sheenagh Ní Aodh into our church community as she received the sacrament of Baptism on Saturday last in Ballinamore Church. Congratulations to her parents.

**Confessions:** Sat. After 11am mass, before and after Sat 7pm mass, anytime on request.

**Eucharistic Adoration** every Friday from after 9am mass to 1.30pm. All welcome.

## Notices

**Annual Visitation and Blessing of Graves :** will take place in Oughteragh cemetery on Sunday 14<sup>th</sup> August with mass at 2.30pm in cemetery and in Aughnasheelin on Sunday 31<sup>st</sup> July with mass at 10am. Blessing of Graves follows mass. Families are invited to bring Holy Water with them to sprinkle on their own graves.

**Anniversary Masses & New Mass Times:** From the 1<sup>st</sup> weekend in September, there will be no Saturday evening mass in **Ballinamore**. Therefore all masses booked for a Saturday evening from September onwards will automatically be moved to the Sunday of the same weekend. The same for **Aughnasheelin** masses, which will be moved from the Sunday to the Saturday evening of the same weekend.

**Special Day for Grandparents** The Memorial day of St Joachim and St Anne, Parents of Mary, Grandparents of Jesus is on this Tuesday July 26<sup>th</sup>. Please remember and pray for all Grandparents living and deceased and to pray for The Catholic Grandparents Association and all its members worldwide.

This is a very special day for grandparents and families, a day full of graces and blessings, when Grandparents gather together united by the same aim, to give thanks for their children and their grandchildren, to pray for themselves and for each other, to support each other in their vocation in this great task of passing on the faith.

**Ballinamore Community Hall :** A group has been formed to look at the development potential of the Ballinamore Community Hall with a view to the current and future needs of the community. A questionnaire form will be available in the Tourist Centre, Library and Community Hall for anyone who wished to make a submission.

### **Celebrating Leitrim**

In the Bush Hotel Sunday, July 31<sup>st</sup> commencing with gala dinner at 8pm, followed by presentation to Leitrim icons of sport and music. Entertainment by the Percy French Singers. Guest of Honour, Fr. Peter Burke, will launch the book "Leitrim Stór" – continuing Leitrim's historic, social and human interest stories.

Tickets, @ €25.00 available from Tommie Moran 086-8588031, Jerome McWeeney 087-6370051, Mary McTiernan 087-2976226 and Terence Boyle.

### **ATHLETIC CLUB**

Arrangements will be made this week to resume club training for National Community Games qualifiers who are club members. The National Finals take place in Athlone on Saturday 20th and Sunday 21st of August. The Club Festival Open 10K and 5K Roadraces take place on Friday August 12th at 7.30.p.m. with arrangements same as last year and Registration from 6.00 p.m. Under Age races will be held as last year in St Felim's at 6.30.p.m.

### **Centenary Lecture on Peter Paul Galligan at Ballinamore Library**

Leitrim County Library's Centenary Lecture Series continues this month with a presentation on Carrigallen-born Peter Paul Galligan – reputedly "one of the most dangerous men in the Rebel Movement". The lecture will be delivered by Kevin Galligan, grandson of Peter Paul Galligan, at the County Library in Ballinamore on Thursday, July 28<sup>th</sup> at 8.00 pm.

Admission is free and all are welcome. Booking is advisable 071-9645566.

Children's Movie Time continues each Saturday at 2.30pm. For details of films contact the library at 071-9645566

**Cavan County Museum** invites you to the Commemoration and Launch of '**The Battle of the Somme 1916**' on Friday 29<sup>th</sup> July 2016 at 7 p.m. Minister Heather Humphreys, T.D., along with Distinguished Guests from our Peace Partners in Northern Ireland, will officially launch this Installation. Everyone welcome.

**Places available on a training course** commencing late Aug/Sept – computer training programme designed to support people facing a long-term barrier due to illness, disability or a personal setback to employment to re-train and enter the workforce. Benefits to this programme include a work placement, training plan, personalised support and QQI certification. – phone Mary on 049 4377038 for more information.

### **Ballinamore Agricultural Show Society**

To Each Member – A meeting of the Show Society will be held in the community Centre on Wednesday 27<sup>th</sup> July at 9pm. The main item on the agenda will be preparations for SHOW DAY on Tuesday 9<sup>th</sup> August.

### **Outdoor Activity Instructor**

Applications are now been accepted for an Outdoor Activity Instructor traineeship course run by Cavan and Monaghan ETB in Tanagh Outdoor Education Dartrey, Co. Monaghan. This qualification will enable graduates to gain employment within the outdoor recreational industry or progress to further study at degree level in Institutes of Technology. Further details are available from [SiobhanMulleary@cmetb.ie](mailto:SiobhanMulleary@cmetb.ie) or 049 4353923

**Family Carers Ireland** are providing the QQI Level 5 Communications module on the 20/09/2016 in Ballinamore based on demand. This is one of the mandatory modules off the Full QQI Healthcare Award. One Day Topic Specific training programmes also available. To express an interest kindly contact 0579370227.

### **Seán Ó hEislin Béal an Átha Móir**

Fixtures

Division 2 game on Sunday morning in Bornacoola at 12.00 against Bornacoola.

Under 14 championship on Monday against Carraig Álainn in the Carraig Álainn at 7.00.

Minor Championship against Dromahair in the Park on Wednesday at 7.00.

## **PRAYER FOR GRANDPARENTS**

Lord Jesus, you were born of the Virgin Mary, the daughter of Saints Joachim and Anne .

Look with love on grandparents the world over.

Protect them! They are a source of enrichment for families, for the Church and for all of society.

Support them! As they grow older, may they continue to be for their families strong pillars of Gospel faith, Guardians of noble domestic ideals, living treasuries of sound religious traditions. Make them teachers of wisdom and courage that they may pass on to future generations the fruits of their mature human and spiritual experience.

Lord Jesus, help families and society to value the presence and roles of grandparents.

May they never be ignored or excluded, but always encounter respect and love. Help them to live serenely and to feel welcomed in all the years of life which you give them.

Mary, Mother of all the living, keep grandparents constantly in your care, accompany them on their earthly pilgrimage, and by your prayers, grant that all families may one day be reunited in our heavenly homeland, where you await all humanity for the great embrace of life without end. Amen! (Pope Benedict )