

**BALLINAMORE /DRUMREILLY LR. PARISH NEWSLETTER**

*Sunday 24<sup>th</sup> March 2019 ( 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday of Lent)*

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**Ballinamore St. Patrick's Church Masses: Mon 7pm, Tue Wed & Thurs 8am, Fri 9am, Sat 11am Sun 11am**

**Mass Intentions**

**Sun 24<sup>th</sup> March 11am** Phil & Lily McGovern (Tully) & deceased family members  
**Mon 25<sup>th</sup> March 7pm** Annie & Jim Fox & members of The Fox & Flood families (Cloverhill)  
**Sat 30<sup>th</sup> March 11am** Mary Travers, Railway Rd  
**Sun 31<sup>st</sup> March 11am** Peter McGovern, Ardrum  
Philip & Philomena Murphy, St Brigid's St & all deceased members of The Murphy & Turbitt families.  
Gerry Brady, Aghadark & deceased members of The Brady Family Longford

**Altar Servers**

**Ministers of the Word**

**Eucharistic Ministers:**

**Door Collectors**

**Adoration :**

**Confessions:**

**Sun 31<sup>st</sup> March Team 3** Mark, Tomasz, Niamh, Caoimhe, Romy

**Sun 31<sup>st</sup> March** Niamh Griffin

**Sun 31<sup>st</sup> March** Mona Creamer, Liam McGovern, Maureen Martin

**Sun 31<sup>st</sup> March Group 7** Paddy McManus, Michael Dolan, Tom Gannon, Walter Sharpley

Fridays 9:30 – 1:30pm **7pm to 9:00pm**

**Confessions 11:30am each Saturday morning or on request**

**Aughnasheelin St Marys Church Masses: Wed 7pm, Fri 8pm, Sat 7pm**

**Mass Intentions**

**Sat 23<sup>rd</sup> March 7pm**

Paddy Joe & Celia Mulvey Aughlin.

Michael, Mamie, Francis, Josephine & baby Ffion McGirl (Drumany)

**Sat 30<sup>th</sup> March 7pm**

Sadie & Francie Mulvey, (Foxwood) Donie Green & deceased members of The Shanley & Mulvey families

**Altar Servers :**

**Sat 30<sup>th</sup> March Team A** Aoibhinn, Eileen, Diarmaid, Eadaoin **Suprv** Meehan

**Eucharistic Ministers:**

**Sat 30<sup>th</sup> March Group 5** T Boyle & K Mulvanerty-

**Eucharistic Adoration**

Wednesday 11am-12md, 8pm-10pm

**Station of the Cross for Lent :** Stations of the Cross will be recited after 8pm Mass on Friday during Lent.

Anyone who would like to lead the stations please contact Breda Mulvanerty 0863763809. "Greater love has no one than this: to lay down one's life for one's friends" John 15V13 NIV

**GAA** - Lotto - next Draw Sunday March 24<sup>th</sup> in Jackies with a Jackpot of €2,375 so make sure to have your ticeidi in the Drum.

**Corraleehan St. Brigid's Church Masses: Wed 9:30am, Sun 9:45am**

**Mass Intentions**

**Sun 24<sup>th</sup> March 9:45am**

Hugh & Roseanne Prior, Bernard & Joan Prior (Derrinever) & Peggy Dolan

**Sun 31<sup>st</sup> March 9:45am**

People of The Parish

**Adoration :**

**Wed 10am – 8pm .**

**Aughawillan St. Patrick's Church Masses: Tues 7pm Sat 8:15pm**

**Mass Intentions**

**Sat 23<sup>rd</sup> March 8:15pm**

Patrick & Rita McCauley, Drumreilly

**Sat 30<sup>th</sup> March 8:15pm**

No Intention

**Eucharistic Ministers**

**Sat 30<sup>th</sup> March & Sat 6<sup>th</sup> April** Bernadette Mahon

**Church Notes**

**Recent Deaths:** We pray for the soul of Stephen Dunworth, Kiltymoodan. Funeral to take place in Ballinamore Tuesday 12noon followed by burial in Oughteragh cemetery. Our sympathy to his family.

**Hospital Visitation and visitation of the Sick & Housebound.**

Due to the new data regulations, lists of patient's names are no longer available to priests visiting hospitals. If you wish somebody to visit you in hospital or a family member, please contact Fr Sean or Fr Johnnie. Also if you wish the priest to visit you for a First Friday call at home, again contact Fr Johnny for Aughnasheelin & Corraleehan & Fr Sean for Ballinamore & Aughawillan.

**Stations of the Cross:** One of the great traditions of Lent is " Doing the Stations of the Cross" daily or having Sunday evening Lent devotions. This Lent it is planned to have the Stations of the Cross on a Monday evening immediately after the 7pm mass in Ballinamore Church.

**Trócaire Boxes are available for collection from the rear porch of each church. Thank you for your co-operation.**

**Change of Mass Times**

As of The 6<sup>th</sup> April 2019, **Aughawillan** weekend Mass will change to Sunday morning 9:45am.

**Corraleehan** Mass will change to Saturday Evening 7pm.

**Aughnasheelin** Mass on Saturdays will change to 8:15pm

**Ballinamore** will remain the same at 11am.

**A Night Out for all our parish helpers and volunteers** both past and present will take place on Friday April 26th in the Commercial Hotel. The evening will begin with mass in St. Patrick's Church Ballinamore at 7pm. As refreshments will be provided and to facilitate the staff of the Hotel it is important that we have some notion of numbers attending. If you wish to attend and remember all are welcome, please contact the following in your Respective Church Area.

**Corraleehan:** Damien Giheaney: 087 2403405 or Tracy Mc Tague 087 284 7718

**Aughnasheelin:** Detta Mc Niff: 086 023 5913 or Gerry Mahon: 083 333 8141

**Ballinamore:** Mary Corby: 087 754 1234 or Thomas Kelly: 087 961 0911

**Aughawillan:** Marie Quinn : 087 9208352 or Pat Stringer: 087 281 0684.

**Parish Office Relocation:** The Parish secretary will be working out of St. Brigid's Parish Centre (Former Scoil Bhríd Naofa opposite Community Centre). Phone number will operate as normal for mass bookings, Mon, Tuesday, Thursday & Friday mornings. Fr Sean has now moved back to The Parochial House Convent Rd.

**Parish Pilgrimage to The Holy Land:** 18th to 25th Nov 2020. Cost in approx. €1350 based on 2 people sharing twin/double rooms, half board accommodation, return flights from Dublin to Tel Aviv. It also includes executive coach travel for the duration, a qualified guide, entrance to all the sights, boat trip on The Sea of Galilee and taxis to the summit of Mt Tabor, daily mass at various locations. **Extra costs are:** compulsory travel insurance, available from £59.00 or arrange your own, Lunches and mid day snacks, Single room supplement.

Tips/gratuities for staff, approx £30.00. Return coach travel to Dublin airport if required. Any interested parties can contact Marion on [marion.larkin@btinternet.com](mailto:marion.larkin@btinternet.com) or 00447790949016.

**How to Pray:** Our Lenten Series continues in St. Brigid's Parish Centre (former Scoil Bhríd Naofa) on Tuesday night at 8pm. This week we will be discussing prayer. Everyone very welcome. Refreshments will be served.

**Confirmation Programme:** for all our young people preparing to receive the Sacrament continues in St. Brigid's Parish Centre on Wednesday night at 7pm.

### Community Notices

**North West S.T.O.P.:** Free Counselling Available; Contact **086 777 2009** Or **1850 211 877**. [www.stopsuicide.ie](http://www.stopsuicide.ie)

**Matters of The Mind:** Community Support Tools for Mental Health Suicide Bereavement Saturday 30<sup>th</sup> March 10:30am – 4:30pm Lough Allen Hotel, Drumshanbo. This event is designed for anyone who is concerned about mental health supports, supports for those bereaved or those affected by suicide and want to know how communities can respond. Book your place – RSVP to [togle@leitrimcoco.ie](mailto:togle@leitrimcoco.ie) or call 087 6095804 .

**St Patrick's Day Parade, Ballinamore:** A big thank you to all who participated in the parade, who came along as spectators, to the musicians, to the stewards under the guidance of Pius, to the young people who helped out under the guidance of Pauline, to St. Patrick, to the Gardaí and especially to our Sponsors and to Leitrim County Council for assistance under the Tourism & Events Sector Grants Scheme 2019. A very enjoyable day was had by young and old and even the weather stayed good for the parade. Go raibh míle maith agaibh do gach duine.

**Sweet Spirit Gospel Choir:** Sentimental Journey Concert of music & songs on Sunday April 14<sup>th</sup> at 8pm in St. Joseph's Church, Aughas for patients comfort fund **Ballinamore Nursing Unit**.

**Mohill Computer Training – Upcoming Courses**

**Part Time** - QQI Level 3 in Communications will start on Monday 15th April from 1.30pm to 4.00 pm (Monday to Thursday) each week for 4 weeks. **Evening Courses:** Digital Photography starting on Tuesday 26<sup>th</sup> March from 7pm to 9pm and Navigating Modern Living starting on Wednesday 27<sup>th</sup> March from 7pm to 9.30pm. All of these courses will run one evening per week for approximately 6 weeks. Call 071-9632024 (email: [info@mct.ie](mailto:info@mct.ie)). All our courses are supported by MSLETB.

**"ST PIO HEALING MASS. AN EVENING OF PRAYER AND HEALING THROUGH THE INTERCESSION OF ST PADRE PIO WILL TAKE PLACE IN ST BRIGID'S CHURCH KILLYGARRY ON FRIDAY MARCH 29th AT 8pm. CELEBRANT FR JOHN MOCKLER SDS: CONFESSIONS FROM 7pm. BLESSINGS WITH FIRST CLASS RELIC OF ST PIO. ENQ: 087 2549960"**

**Line Dancing** with John & Julie returns to Corlough Community Centre on Wed 20th March 8pm - 9.30pm Adults: €6 and Students €3. All children under 18 must be accompanied by an adult

**The Benedictine Monks, Rostrevor Co. Down,** invite men (18-40) to an Easter Triduum Retreat from Holy Thursday 18th April until Sunday 21st April 2019. Take time to reflect. Examine your life and consider your call.

If interested, please contact: Fr Thierry: [benedictinemonks@btinternet.com](mailto:benedictinemonks@btinternet.com) / +44 (0)28 4173 9979

Facebook: Benedictine Monks Rostrevor / Twitter: @rostrevormonks

**Leitrim's Health is Wealth** on the 27<sup>th</sup> of March in the Bush Hotel, Carrick on Shannon. This event aims to promote positive health & well being. Admission free and all welcome to attend.

**Ballinamore Parent & Toddler Group Ballinamore** Library Wednesday 10.00a.m.-12.00p.m.

€2 per week (for tea, coffee, biscuits etc.) All **parents/grandparents** or child minders who are in the company of babies or toddlers are invited to come along for a cup of tea and a chat while the children mix and play! For more details on this group call Laura on 086 6035977.

**Béal an Átha Móir Seán Ó hEislin**

Tickets will be going on sale soon for the Division 4 final, please ensure you are there to cheer the lads on, further details on tickets will follow in the coming days. The club are organizing a bus to the match to cheer on the Leitrim lads at the division 4 final in Croke Park. If you would like to reserve a seat please contact Patsy Connaughton on (087) 684 6578

Division 3 and 4 fixtures: The lads will be in action on Sunday against Annduff at 12:00 in Ballinamore followed by the division 4 lads away to Kiltubrid at 14:30, best of luck to all the players.

### Reflection

***Treat your friends as you do your pictures and place them in their best light***

*Jerome Churchill*

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