

# **BALLINAMORE / DRUMREILLY LR. PARISH NEWSLETTER**

*Sun 24<sup>th</sup> September 2017 (25<sup>th</sup> Sunday O.T)*

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**Memorial / Feast Days:** Mon 2<sup>nd</sup> The Guardian Angels, Wed 4<sup>th</sup> St. Francis of Assisi, Sat 7<sup>th</sup> Our Lady of The Rosary

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

## **Mass Intentions**

Sun 24<sup>th</sup> Sept 11am Frank O'Brien , High Street  
Tue 26<sup>th</sup> Sept 9am Maryanne McGovern, Ardrum  
Sat 30<sup>th</sup> Sept 11am Brigid & Peter Hearty, Church Street  
Sun 1<sup>st</sup> Oct 11am Madge & Tom Gilheaney also Margi their daughter, Willowfield RD  
Dermot & Bernadette Spollen (1<sup>st</sup> anniv) , Railway Terrace.

## **Altar Servers**

**Team 3 : Sun 1<sup>st</sup> Oct** Eoin, Killian, Emma, Kacee, Adam

## **Door Collectors**

**Group 6 1<sup>st</sup> Oct & 8<sup>th</sup> Oct :** Diarmuid McCaffrey, Alan Banks, Donal Duignan, David Prior

## **Ministers of the Word**

**Sun 1<sup>st</sup> Oct** Sr. Marie

## **Eucharistic Ministers**

**Sun 1<sup>st</sup> Oct 11am** Brendan Brennan, Seamus McGrath, Patricia Griffin

## **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 23<sup>rd</sup> Sept 8:15pm No Intention  
Sat 30<sup>th</sup> Sept 8:15pm People of The Parish  
**Altar Servers :** **Sat 30<sup>th</sup> Sept Team B** Aoibhinn, Caoimhe, Hailey, Fergal **Suprv** Moran  
Ann Marie McTeigue & Mary Mulvey

## **Readers for Oct:**

**Sat 30<sup>th</sup> Sept Team 2** P Flynn & Murphy **Oct 7<sup>th</sup> Team 3** S Prior & M McTeigue

## **Eucharistic Ministers:**

**Oct 14<sup>th</sup> Team 4** S O'Dowd & B Sammon **Oct 21<sup>st</sup> Team 5** T Boyle & K Mulvanerty

**Door Collectors for Oct:** Seamus Prior, Eddie Dolan, Keilan Mulvanerty

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

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

## **Mass Intentions**

Sat 23<sup>rd</sup> Sept 7pm Thomas Joseph Murphy, Drumderig (Months Memory)  
Sat 30<sup>th</sup> Sept 7pm No Intention

## **Readers for Oct:**

Michael Prior & Helen McGovern

**Eucharistic Ministers Oct:** Gillian McNiff & Michael McGovern

**Door Collectors for Oct:** Conor McGovern & Michael McTague

**Altar Society Oct:** Carol McNiffe & Bernadette McGovern

**Adoration :** Wed 10am – 10pm

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

## **Mass Intentions**

Sun 24<sup>th</sup> Sept 9:45am Desy & Nora Quinn and deceased members of the Quinn family Killaphort Garadice  
Monica Prior & deceased family members , Glenonmore

Sun 1<sup>st</sup> Oct 9:45am

Brigid Donoghue

## **Eucharistic Minister:**

**1<sup>st</sup> Oct** Christy McGovern , **8<sup>th</sup> & 15<sup>th</sup> Oct** Patricia Deane **22<sup>nd</sup> & 29<sup>th</sup>** Charlie Kelly

## **Readers for Oct:**

Megan Quinn & Aisling Quinn

## **Altar Society Oct:**

Mary Sammon Quinn & Cathy Quinn

## **Door Collectors Oct:**

John Stringer & Pat Flanagan

## **Church Notes**

**Congratulations:** to Kevin McCabe & Aimee McGough who were married last weekend in Corraleehan Church.

**Baptism:** We welcome Lochlainn Francis Sweeney to our church community as he was baptised last weekend. Congratulations to his parents.

**Recent deaths:** We pray for the soul of *Paddy O'Rourke*, formerly of Corraleehan Beg, (Brother of Noel O'Rourke) whose funeral mass took place on Saturday in Corraleehan . Our sympathy to his families

**Day For Life** is about raising awareness about the meaning and value of human life at every stage and in every condition. The Church teaches that life is to be nurtured from conception to natural death. This year's *Day for Life* is celebrated on Sun Oct 1<sup>st</sup>

**FIRST HOLY COMMUNION 2018:** A very important information meeting for Parents/guardians of children due to receive their First Holy Communion in 2018 will take place in Scoil Chlann Naofa (formerly boys school). This meeting is on Wednesday 27<sup>th</sup> September at 8pm. Your child will be registered on this evening and all information regarding dates of coming years rituals/programmes will be given. We look forward to seeing you there. Any queries to Martina Pastoral Worker on 087 154 5012.

**Reminder:** While we appreciate greatly those who volunteer to participate in various ministries in our parish, can we remind you of the importance of turning up on your allocated day. **If you cannot be there please get someone to cover for you.**

**CHURCH GATE COLLECTION:** A Community Care church gate collection will be taken up at all masses in Ballinamore / Drumreilly Lr parishes next week end, September 30<sup>th</sup> / October 1<sup>st</sup>. The proceeds of this collection will go towards the Senior Citizens Christmas Party.

**Apostolic Society** - Annual display takes place in Pastoral Centre Cavan on Sunday October 22<sup>nd</sup> at 3pm - AGM of Society takes place Sunday November 26<sup>th</sup> with Mass at 2 30 for deceased members and benefactors. Honorary Subscription now due can be given to Maura Mulvey, thank you all for your subscriptions last year - this money goes to help our missionaries with their work and we have Missionaries from our own area who are doing great work on the Foreign Missions and really appreciate all the help they receive.

### Dates for Your Diary

**Saturday October 7<sup>th</sup> at 7pm :** Mass for Harvest Thanksgiving, Corraleehan Church  
**Friday November 10<sup>th</sup> at 8pm :** Mass for the Bereaved, Aughnasheelin Church .

**Novena to Mary, Untier of Knots.** A special devotion of Pope Francis. Mon 25<sup>th</sup> Sept – Tues 3<sup>rd</sup> Oct Cathedral of SS Patrick & Felim, Cavan . Mass at 7:30 pm each evening (except Mon 25<sup>th</sup> ) with a reflection given by a guest speaker and Novena Prayers. This years theme is preparation for the 2018 World Meeting of Families: "We Are Family". For more information contact 049 4375004 Pastoral Centre or see poster in church porch.

**Two pro-life world renowned experts.** Dr. Angela Lanfranchi and Professor Priscilla Coleman from the USA will speak on the link between abortion and breast cancer and abortion's harmful effects on women's mental health on Saturday 30th September 2017 in the Ashling Hotel, Dublin 8 (near Heuston Station) 9.30am to 4pm. Entry €20. Hosted by 'Ask Majella' Pregnancy Counselling, a project of Human Life International. For more info Tel. 094-9375993. Both of these women have been featured in the recent multi award winning documentary film 'HUSH'. [www.hushfilm.com](http://www.hushfilm.com)

**Sept 30<sup>th</sup>: Our first ever Diocesan Youth Day** will take place in the Pastoral Centre Cavan. Aimed at 12-18 Year Olds. Starting at 1.30pm. A Redemptorist Youth Group called 'Scala' will lead the young people in workshops until 5 o'clock. At 5 a band from Belfast called 'I am Worship' will lead the young people in Music Ministry. We will have a pizza party at 6 and proceed to the Cathedral for 7.30. Fr. Patrick Cahill will speak at the mass. I am worship will provide the music. There is no cost for the day.

**The Diocese of Kilmore will celebrate the countdown to the World Meeting of Families** at a special ceremony in the Cathedral of SS. Patrick & Felim, Cavan, at 7:30p.m. on Monday 25 September next. This will coincide with the beginning of the fourth annual diocesan Novena to Mary, Untier of Knots, the theme of which this year is 'We are Family.' All 34 parishes have been invited to send representatives to the ceremony at which Bishop Leo O'Reilly will preside. **EVERYONE IS WELCOME TO ATTEND THIS SPECIAL EVENT.** The guest speaker will be Fr. Timothy Bartlett, Secretary-General of the World Meeting of Families. The new icon of the Holy Family, commissioned for next year's event, will be present in the Cathedral in Cavan from Monday 25 to Friday 29 September when it leaves after the 10:00a.m. Mass.

### Weekend Mass Times

**A new arrangement for the weekend mass times will take effect from Oct 31<sup>st</sup>/ Nov 1<sup>st</sup>.**

**Sat Vigil mass or Vigil for Holy Days will be as follows:**

Aughnasheelin 7pm                      Aughawillin 8:15pm

**Sunday and Holy Day mornings:**

Corraleehan 9:45am                      Ballinamore 11am

### Community Notices

**Ballinamore Men's Shed** are having an "Open Night" in the "OLD Tech" on Wednesday Sept 27<sup>th</sup> from 7-10pm. All are welcome to drop in and have a chat.

**ATHLETIC CLUB :** The Club Winter Training will commence on Tuesday October 3rd at 7.00 p.m. at the Sports Hall. New members will be enrolled that evening. The Leitrim Primary Schools Cross Country Championships will be on Wednesday October 4th.

**Mohill Computer Training (Mohill Enterprise Centre) :** Next FREE "Getting Online" course starts in October. Protect yourself while being online. Learn how to use a range of government services including Agfood.ie for farming records and returns. Max 10 per course.

**Computer Applications for the Workplace –** QQI Level 5 Starting on Monday 9th October 2017

Achieve a QQI Level 5 Major Award in Information Technology. Gain 400 CAO points to use towards any course in third level. You can also get a training allowance while you learn (Payable to eligible participants). Book your place now as places are limited. Call 071-9632024 (email: [info@mct.ie](mailto:info@mct.ie)). All our courses are supported by MSLETB.

**Support Group ---- The Heartbreak to Healing programme** for those who have lost their spouse/partner through death or separation continues in the Bridge Street Centre, Cavan on Tuesday evening September 26<sup>th</sup> and subsequent Tuesdays at 8pm. Full details of this free programme available from Geraldine at 087 2675859.

**Aughnasheelin GAA** - Championship - Sunday at 2 30 pm we play Carrigallen in the Semi Final in Ballinamore - good luck to our Players and Management - this is a big game for our Team so please come along and give them your support. Lotto on Sunday nite in Lawrences - Jackpot €15,325 - make sure to have your ticket.

**1st Leitrim Scouts AGM and Registration Night** will take place on Wednesday 27th Sept. from 8-9pm in Ballinamore Scout Den (beside Sports Complex). From ages 6-15 years, boys and girls.

**Cavan Colour Fun Run:** Cavan Colour Fun Run is a family fun event in which participants of all ages from 1 to 100 years are covered from head to toe in different colours as they make their way through Deerpark Forest, Virginia. It will be held on Sunday 1st October at 2pm starting at Virginia Showgrounds. All funds raised go to SOSAD and Orla's Guiding Light. We would also love to hear from anyone willing to volunteer as a steward or helper on the day. For more information see [www.facebook.com/cavancolourrun](http://www.facebook.com/cavancolourrun) or contact Maeve on 087-9249674 .

**Ballinamore Slow Session:** Ballinamore Comhaltas group are running a slow session on the second Friday of each month in Shortt's Bar. 7.00-9.00. The first of which will be on Friday 13th October. The session is open to anyone learning Irish music. Any age, any instrument. The aim is to help everyone get out there and develop the confidence to play in public whilst improving their level of skill. It will happen in a very informal and relaxed environment. If you played music as a youngster but not in recent times why not get back into it. Spread the word. All welcome.

**Who will You Remember when our Community Walks Together?** The North West Hospice Memorial Walk will take place on Sunday October 15<sup>th</sup> at 12 midday in Sligo town. Walk in remembrance of a deceased family member, friend or work colleague and celebrate their lives. Participants who register will receive personalised t-shirts with the name of their loved one on the front. This scenic walk is a flat route less than 5km and is suitable for all ages and buggies! Register online now at [www.northwesthospice.ie](http://www.northwesthospice.ie) or call (071) 9170523.

**Seán Ó hEislin:** Next Weeks' draw takes place in on Monday night In The Poor Scholar the Pota Oir €2650

### Tomorrow

***Tomorrow is a dream that leads me onward. Tomorrow is a path I've yet to choose,***

***A chance I've yet to take, A friend I've yet to make.***

***It's all the talent I've yet to use. Tomorrow is a dream that leads me onward,***

***Always just a step ahead of me. It's the joy I've yet to know,***

***The love I've yet to show. For it's the person I've yet to be.***

(Karen Ravn)

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