

BALLINAMORE /DRUMREILLY LR. PARISH NEWSLETTER

Sun 7th May 2017 (4th Sunday of Easter)

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Feast Days: Fri 12th May Ss Nereus and Achilleus, St Pancras, martyrs

Ballinamore St. Patrick's Church Masses : Mon & Wed 7pm, Tues Thurs & Fri 9am, (No Sat morning mass) Sun 11 am

Mass Intentions

Sat 6th May 11am First Holy Communion
Sun 7th May 11am Vocations Sunday
Sonnie & Rita McBrien, Cornwall
Tue 9th May 9am Deceased members of The Harte and Kirby families
Sun 14th May 11am Tessie & Francie Flynn and daughter Teresa (Kiltymoodan)
Thomas & Maryanne Prior, Drumrane and deceased members of Bohan family.
James Dooner, High Street

Altar Servers

Door Collectors

Ministers of the Word

Eucharistic Ministers

Adoration :

Team 3 : Sun 14th May Eoin, Killian, Emma, Kacee, Adam
Sun 14th May **Group 16:** Thomas Kelly, Gerry Mahon, Seddie McGovern, Gordon Hughes
Sun 14th May Michael Dolan
Sun 14th May Evelyn McHugh, Marian Sharpley, PJ McLoughlin
Fridays 9:30 – 1:30pm **7pm to 9pm**

Aughnasheelin St Marys Church Masses: Fri : 8pm, Sat 11am, Sat 8:15pm

Mass Intentions

Sat 6th May 8:15pm George White and deceased members of the White Family , Derrinkeher McDonald
Fri 12th May 8pm Margaret, Tom & Joe Costello, Greaghrevamore

Sat 13th May 11am

Sat 13th May 8:15pm

Altar Servers :

Ministers of The Word May

Eucharistic Ministers:

Door Collectors May

Adoration :

First Holy Communion
Paddy Fee of Lisculfee and deceased family members
Sat 13th May Team B Aoibhinn, Caoimhe, Hailey, Fergay **Suprv** Flynn
Grainne Reynolds, Senan McTeigue, (Person Responsible Caroline)
Sat 13th May Group 6 M Rooney and B Mulvanerty
Philip Roddy, Liam Kellegher, Thomas Prior
Wednesdays 11am-12md, 8pm-9pm and 9pm-10pm

New Rota for Eucharistic Ministers & Ministers of The Word on Church Noticeboard

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

Mass Intentions

Sat 6th May 7pm No Intention
Wed 10th May 9:30am Francie & Mary Agnes Meehan and deceased family members(Corraleehan beg) & Charlie O'Berine UK
Sat 13th May 7pm Francie, Annie, Maura, Patsy, Carmel & Kathleen McGovern (Greagh)

Ministers of The Word May

Eucharistic Ministers for May

Door Collectors for May

Altar Society for May

Adoration :

Joanne Curnan & Aoife Mannion
Carmel McNiffe & Philomeana Dolan
Pat Prior & Michael Prior
Annette & Damien Gilheany
Wed 10am – 10pm

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

Mass Intentions

Sun 7th May 9:45am Tom Counihan, Drumreilly
Denis Breen, Cleendargan
Sun 14th May 9:45am Frank McTague, Stralohan and deceased family members.
Eucharistic Minister: 14th May: Patricia Deane 21st & 28th May Charlie Kelly

Minister of The Word May

Door Collectors for May

Altar Society for May

Aughawillan Whist Drive

Darragh Maxwell & Megan Quinn
Donal Quinn & Michael Flanagan
Patricia Deane & Mary O'Hare
Tue night Community Centre . **Ladies :** Breege McCauley & Dymrna Maguire

Church Note

Recent Deaths: We pray for the souls of (a) Bernadette McLoughlin, Church Street whose funeral took place in Ballinamore Tues 25th April, (b) Carmel McGovern (nee Kellegher) from Drumgownagh Corraleehan whose funeral took place in Enniskillan Sat 29th April, (c) Lilly O'Hara (mother of Marcella McKiernan, Kildorrigh) whose funeral took place in Tourlestrane, Sligo on May 1st .(d) Teresa O'Brien (sister of Mae McDevitt, High St), funeral takes place in St. Dymrna's Church Upper Lavey, removal at 8pm Sun and funeral Mon 11am. Our sympathy to their families.

Annual Tax Rebate : We wish to advise you parishioners annual statement of church contributions for 2016 will be reaching you shortly. Parishes of Ballinamore & Aughnasheelin will be receiving a 5 years Endurance Cert which will enable your church to obtain a tax refund on an annual donation to the Church of **€250 and over**. Once the form is signed it is valid for the 5 years and does not require re-signing until the 5 years have lapsed. We would ask you to consider participating in this scheme as it is a valuable source of income to your church.

Parish Pastoral Council Meeting Monday 8th May at 9pm in Ballinamore Community Centre

Franciscan Missions would like to thank Corraleehan parish for their donation of €127.91 from the St. Anthony's Box.

Diocesan Vocations & Support Services Collection takes place this weekend.

First Holy Communion will be celebrated in St. Mary's Church Aughnasheelin on Saturday next 13th May at 11am.

Congratulations to Ella Adams, Niall Ahern, Saoirse Barry, Saoirse Brady, Olivier Ciechurski, Wiktorcia Ciechurska, Liam Cunnane, Aoife Donohoe, Ellie Duignan, Clodagh Gartland, Alisha Kennedy, Tiarnan MacBradaigh, Keely Maguire, Cady McGloin, Sarah McWeeney, Layah Nolan, Louis Quinn, Aleksandra Slowik and Christine Jane Smyth, who receive Jesus for the first time as they made their First Communion in Ballinamore Church on Saturday. Our thanks to their parents, teacher, Martina Gilmartin our Pastoral Worker and all who helped prepare them for this special day in their young lives.

Confirmation : Young people from our parish will be confirmed by Bishop Leo O'Reilly in St. Patrick's Church, Ballinamore on Sunday May 21st at 3pm. The Ceremony of Light takes place for all confirmation children and their families on Wed May 10th in Ballinamore Community Centre at 7.30 pm. Please bring your Child's' Baptism Candle. Look forward to seeing you all then.

Trócaire Boxes Please bring in your Trócaire contributions as soon as you can. Would you be kind enough to convert you coins into notes. Thank you for your co-operation

Padre Pio Healing Mass : You are warmly invited by our Parish Pastoral Council and community to join with us for a Padre Pio Healing Mass in Saint Patrick's Church, Ballinamore, Co. Leitrim on Thursday 25th May at 7.00pm. The Celebrant will be Fr. Sean Kelly, OFM Capuchin Priest from Kilkenny and a native of Ballinamore. There will be five Capuchin Friars present with Relics of St. Pio for individual blessings after the Mass. Many healings have been attributed to the intercession of Saint Pio and large crowds always attend the healing Masses dedicated to his life. Everyone Welcome.

Pilgrimage to Lourdes: Places are still available on The Kilmore Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes, which take place on 27th May – 1st June 2017. To book a place please contact Cavan Travel. 049-4361222 or Virginia Travel (049) 854 8544

IRISH CHURCH MUSIC ASSOCIATION REGIONAL GATHERING - The Irish Church Music Association holds its second Regional Gathering in the Kilmore Diocesan Pastoral Centre, Cavan, on Tuesday 16 May 2017 beginning at 7:30p.m. and ending at 9:30p.m. The fee is €10.00 per person. ICMA members are half price. The repertoire will cover a wide variety of liturgical music, suitable for many occasions. Co-ordinators for the workshop are Fr Turlough Baxter and Sr Moira Bergin with Derek Mahady and Paul Flynn as music directors. All choir members, music directors, organists, cantors and instrumentalists are welcome to take part.

LOOKING FOR A SMALL INTIMATE VENUE FOR YOUR CATHOLIC WEDDING? - The chapel of the Kilmore Diocesan Pastoral Centre in Cavan is now available for weddings. Please contact the Centre on 049 4375004 for more information or to obtain a copy of brochure.

KILMORE DIOCESAN PILGRIMAGE TO FATIMA TO MARK CENTENARY OF THE APPARITIONS - There are still a number of places available on this pilgrimage departing Thursday 14 September 2017 and returning Thursday 21 September 2017. Seven nights accommodation in the Hotel Santo Amaro on full board basis. Spiritual Director: Fr. Tom Mannion, CC Glencar. Cost: €759 per person sharing. For further information and booking forms, please contact the Kilmore Diocesan Pastoral Centre in Cavan on 049 4375004.

Ballinamore GAA nursery information night.

We will be holding a GAA nursery evening at 1830 on Thursday in the sports complex Ballinamore. We would ask all parents and their children from ages 4 and up to attend this fun and informative evening. James Glancy from the Leitrim sports partnership will be on hand to conduct fun games and drills with the youngsters and will then take part in a quick questions and answers session in regard to a nursery group for Ballinamore. Refreshments will be served for the children and parents. This fun evening will be a great introduction to the ethos of a GAA nursery and we would ask all parents and interested children to attend.

Community Notices

There will be a plastic collection of silage wrap, pit covers, meal bags & fertiliser bags at Ellis Yard Fenagh, Ballinamore on Friday 12th May from 9am to 2pm for more details phone 086 2521699, 087 3291081 or 071 9662781

Aughawillan GAA Field Day & BBQ: Come along to our Field Day and BBQ this Sunday 7th May from 1.30pm for what is sure to be a fun filled day with a plentiful supply of food and loads of activities for the kids and a few thrown in for the adults as well.

10km/5km Run: Aughawillan GAA are holding a 10km/5km Run /Jog / Walk on Saturday 20th May at 12 noon. Registration at the club rooms from 11am to 11.45am. This will be a a timed event. Changing facilities, showers and refreshments will be provided on the day. Entry fee: Adult €10, Student/U16 €5, Family(2 adults, 2 children) €20. Everybody is welcome to what will be a very enjoyable day.

DRUMEELA GARDEN CLUB

The cuckoo is singing, bulbs are fading, lawnmowers are beginning to hum.. all signs that summer is upon us and the gardening season will soon be in full swing. Come along to the next Garden Club meeting in Teach Ducháis on Wednesday, May 10th at 9.00pm where you will pick up plenty of helpful information and advice on summer gardening. All are welcome, free for members and €3 for visitors. There will also be the usual refreshments and raffle on the night.

National Learning Network, Carrick- on-Shannon has a number of vacancies on our Employer Based Training course, 12 month duration, offering QQI certification and work placements in a range of sectors with on-going coordinator support and good employment opportunities. For more information contact Noel at 086-2481383 or 071 9650693 / E-mail carrickonshannon@nln.ie

Ballinamore Parent & Toddler Situated in Ballinamore Library (our new venue!) Every 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 information contact: Laura Mc Hugh 086 6035977

Guinness World Record Attempt fastest person to run the length of the country. Tom Garrod will be travelling through Ballinamore during his attempt between 3-5pm Sat 13th May if you wish to cheer him on. He is raising awareness for testicular cancer.

Aughnasheelin GAA : GAA Our Seniors play Fenagh Naomh Caillins this Sunday at 12 30 in Fenagh so please come along and support them. Juniors have a game next weekend.

Béal an Átha Móir Seán Ó hEislin

Cluichí don Seachtain seo : Tues - U15 vs St Josephs in Carrigallen @ 7.00, Wed - Celtic Challenge - Leitrim vs Cavan in Ballinamore @ 7.30, Friday - JFC - Leitrim vs Galway in Pairc Sean @ 7.00, Friday - U13 vs Melvin Gaels in Ballinamore @ 7.00, Sat - Div 1 vs Melvin Gaels in Ballinamore @ 7.00, Sun - Div 2 vs St Mary's in Carrick @ 3.45 - NOTE THE TIME

Sun - U17 Shield vs St Brigids in Ballinamore @ 6.00 , Tues 9th - U13 vs St Mary's in Carrick @ 7.00 Rescheduled Fixture

Girls Under 10/12 Training: Training Monday night at 19:00

U8 training : u8 training on Monday the 8th at 19:00

Aughawillan GAA Club are holding a table quiz in the Viking lounge on Friday 12th may at 9.30 adm £10 per adult four to a table refreshments served all welcome too a fun filled evening

A Prayer for Vocations

Jesus, send labourers into your fields, which are awaiting holy apostles,
Sainly priests, heroic missionaries and dedicated sisters and brothers.

Enkindle in the hearts of men and women the spark of a vocation.

Grant that Christian families may desire to give your Church,

helpers in the work of tomorrow

Amen

New items for the Newsletter should be dropped into the Parochial house, Convent Road or emailed before 12 noon Thursdays to ballinamore@kilmorediocese.ie . The editor reserves the right to edit or omit items according to suitability of content & space in the newsletter