

CASTLEBAR PARISH NEWSLETTER

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Sunday Mass Times

Parish Church: 7pm (Sat), 8.30am, 10.30am, 12pm Ballyheane Church: 8pm (Sat) Breaffy Church: 10am, 11.30am

PRIEST ON CALL: tel 094 9021844

Mass Intentions for the Week

PARISH CHURCH

Monday 30th September:

10.00am - Patrick & Nancy Ward, Gladesville. Stasia Banville, Wexford.
Jack & Vera O'Callaghan & dec. O'Callaghan & Richards families. Special Intention.
7.00pm - Private Intention.

Tuesday 1st October:

10.00am - Nora O'Malley, Garryduff Court (1st Anv.) & dec. O' Malley family. Special Intention.
Val, Angela & Tony Donegan, Blackfort. Aidan Bunyan & dec. family.

Wednesday 2nd October:

8.00am - Private Intention.
10.00am - Ann & Brod Kearns & dec. Kearns & Hopkins families. Special Intention.

Thursday 3rd October:

10.00am - Francis Simmonds & Robert Bull.

Friday 4th October:

8.00am - Don & May Murphy, Newtown.
10.00am - Private Intention.

Saturday 5th October:

10.00am - Martin & Annie Quinn, sons John, Christopher & Mike, daughter Marguerite & aunt Ellie Gannon,
Snugboro. Padraic & Bernie McDonald, Greenfields, Pontoon Road.
Sean Kilcoyne, Castle Street.
Jim Brett, Pound Road.
7.00pm - Martin Philbin, Conloon. (1st Anv.)

Sunday 6th October:

10.30am - Paul Roche, 7A Garryduff Drive. (1st Anv.)



BREAFFY CHURCH

Mon. 30 th September:	7.30pm	- Mary Hunt & dec. Hunt & Wilson families.
Wed. 2 nd October:	7.30pm	- Helen, Martin & Mary Maughan & dec. Maughan & Collins families.
Fri. 4 th October:	7.30pm	- Tom Heffron. (M.M.)
Sat. 5 th October:	10.00am	- Michael, Annie, Pat & Liam Moore & dec. family.
Sun. 6 th October:	10.00am	- Gina Carney & dec. family. (1 st Anv.)
	11.30am	- Thomas, Sue & Kieran Murphy & dec. Murphy & O'Beirne families.

BALLYHEANE CHURCH

Fri. 4 th October:	8.00pm	- Kate & Paddy Kilcoyne, Errew & dec. Tuffy & Kilcoyne families.
Sat. 5 th October:	8.00pm	- John & Mary Reilly, Moundaisy.

ALTAR SOCIETY

A. Irwin

DAILY READERS

Tues	-	B. Johnson
Wed	-	M. Foy
Thurs	-	N. Feely
Fri	-	Ú. Ní Ghabhláin

MINISTERS OF THE WORD

5th/6th October

7.00pm	-	R. McGarrigle
8.30am	-	E. Horan
10.30am	-	J. Hanley
12.00pm	-	M. Reynolds



REST IN PEACE

Peggy McAllister, Blackfort, Newport Road.
Bridie MacAleese, Ballynew & Garryduff Court.
Maura Reynolds, Roscrea, Co Tipperary, sister of Christy Conlon, Curragh.
Eileen Pierce, Maryland.

First Friday - 4th October

There will be Mass at 7.30pm in Breaffy Church and 8pm in Ballyheane Church.

Extended Adoration

You are invited to Extended Adoration for our unborn in the Monastery, from 7pm on the First Friday 4th Oct. to 9.30am on Saturday 5th Oct. If you would like to join the rota please tel. 086 8197111.

THE RICH MAN AND LAZARUS

The Rich Man and Lazarus is a powerful story reminding us that we are called to live our faith in our daily lives through generosity towards the poor and in working towards justice in our world. We do this in a variety of ways and we can see the goodness around us in those who are living examples of the Christian message. We are now called to listen urgently to the cry of the earth and to reflect on the injustices caused by the climate crisis. Millions of people are suffering worldwide through drought, sea-level rise and a breakdown of the earth's ecological systems.

Joanna Sustento lives in Tacloban city, Philippines. On 8th November 2013 she lost her parents, her brother, her sister-in-law and 3 year old nephew in the storm surge of Typhoon Haiyan. This storm was the largest to make landfall in recorded history, with wind speeds of over 300km per hour. 10,000 people perishes in two hours. Joanna's story is one of thousands. The strength of Typhoon Haiyan is attributed to climate change. It is an injustice that those who have done the least to cause this problem are on the frontline. The governments of the world must act. They will only do so if the public demand it. We have a responsibility to ensure that they do so. We are at a crossroads as a global community and we have the solutions. Let us go forward together to a more sustainable future and listen to the cry of the earth and the cry of the poor.

'Christians need 'an ecological conversion,' whereby the effects of their encounter with Jesus Christ become evident in their relationship with the world around them. Living our vocation to be protectors of God's handiwork is essential to a life of virtue; it is not an optional or a secondary aspect of our Christian experience.' (Laudato Si', 217).

(Jane Mellett, Intercom)

You are invited to make your personal commitment to care for "Our Common Home".

Refuse single use plastics, switch to reusable water bottles, avoid plastic wrapping, use cloth bags for shopping, use your own containers when possible, check your recycling list, participate in your local area clean up.

Reduce, Repair, Refuse, Recycle

Archdiocese of Tuam

Celebrates Marriage Anniversaries

Couples celebrating Marriage Anniversaries are invited to this special celebration with their family on Sun. 6th Oct. at 3pm. After Mass, refreshments will be served in St. Jarlath's College. To book tel. 094 9021844.

Mayo Historical & Archaeological Society

An illustrated lecture by Eamon P. Kelly, former Keeper of Irish Antiquities NMI. "The Cow Goddess in Irish and Indo-European tradition", in GMIT on Wed. Oct. 2nd at 8pm. All are welcome.

Beginning Experience Weekend 18th - 20th Oct.

Esker Retreat Centre, Athenry. For people who have lost a spouse through death, divorce or separation. For more information tel. Maureen on 087 6646896.

Mayo Cancer Support

Therapeutic Flower Arranging Classes

Rock Rose House beginning on Tues. 1st Oct. at 6.30pm for 4 wks. For information and to book tel. 094 9038407.

International Youth Conference 27th - 30th Dec.

For young people (16-35) in Clongowes Wood College, Co. Kildare. For more information tel. Ann on 085 7340862.

Car Boot Sale

This Sun. 29th Sept. in Main Street Car Park from 8am to 3pm. In aid of Snugboro Development Association.

25 Card Game Singles

Resumes in Snugboro Community Centre on Thurs. 3rd Oct. at 8.30pm.

A Day in Honour of Our Lady

Sat 5th Oct at Knock Shrine. Starting at 10am with Praise and Worship in the Blessed Sacrament Chapel. 3pm: Pilgrimage Mass followed by testimony, food and music in Rest and Care Centre, finishing with Holy Hour to pray for Priests, Bishops and their Dioceses. To book a seat on subsidised bus tel. Human Life International, Knock on 094 9375993 or email: mail@humanlife.ie

Family Centre Programmes

Mindfulness, Compassion & Care

8 weeks course commencing on Tues. 1st Oct. at 7 pm. Presenter: Dr. Ann Caulfield.

Preparing for Parenthood - Mon. 7th Oct. 7-8.30pm.

For parents to be and also grandparents, extended family/friends who may be supporting someone who is due to have a baby. Facilitator: Dr Jeananne Garavan. For booking and more information tel. 094 9025900.

First Saturdays Devotion

Knock Old Parish Church on Sat. 5th Oct. starting at 11am with Rosary, meditations and concluding with Holy Mass at 12noon, confessions and enrolment of the free brown scapulars. All are welcome

Blessing of Family Pets at Knock Shrine

Sat. Oct. 5th at 11am. It will be held on the green area outside the Family Centre. All are welcome.

Chernobyl Ladies Luncheon

Breaffy House on Sun. 6th Oct at 2pm. Tickets €50. Contact Ann Coleman tel. 087 1267188 for tickets.