

# 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 10<sup>th</sup> September:

- 10.00am - Paddy, Rosaleen, John, Joe, Pat & Paul McGreal.  
Julia & Martin Gallagher & dec McMenamon family, Currane, Achill. Special Intention.  
7.00pm - In remembrance of those who died by suicide.  
John Kennedy, Snugboro & dec Kennedy & O'Brien families.

#### Tuesday 11<sup>th</sup> September:

- 10.00am - Paddy Cannon, Ballymacragh & dec Cannon & Geraghty families.

#### Wednesday 12<sup>th</sup> September:

- 8.00am - Private Intention.  
10.00am - Eugen Heyl & dec family. Tommy Coughlan, Springfield.

#### Thursday 13<sup>th</sup> September:

- 10.00am - Holy Souls in Purgatory. Stasia & Kevin Banville, dec relatives & Holy Souls.

#### Friday 14<sup>th</sup> September:

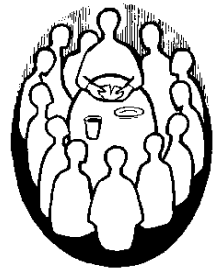
- 8.00am - Private Intention.  
10.00am - Tarnowski & Karczewski families. James Banville, Wexford.

#### Saturday 15<sup>th</sup> September:

- 10.00am - Thomas, Nora & Tommy Kelly, Westport Road & nephew Sean Igoe, Galway.  
Jimmy Burke & dec Kiernan family, Ballinvilla. Ellen & James Quigley, Snugboro.  
Timothy Deasy, McHale Road & dec family. Bridie Geraghty, Ballynew. Special Intention.  
Mary & Eddie Munnely, Milebush, Maisie & Pakie Carey, Springfield.  
7.00pm - Joe Gibbons, Garryduff Park. (M.M.)

#### Sunday 16<sup>th</sup> September:

- 10.30am - Christy Creighton, Newtown (M.M.), Gloria & Margaret Creighton & dec Dalton & Creighton families.



### BREAFFY CHURCH

- Mon 10<sup>th</sup> September:** 7.30pm - Nora & Pat McHale & dec McHale & Gibbons families.  
**Wed 12<sup>th</sup> September:** 7.30pm - Private Intention.  
**Fri 14<sup>th</sup> September:** 7.30pm - Thomas, Sue & Kieran Murphy & dec Murphy & O'Beirne families.  
**Sat 15<sup>th</sup> September:** 10.00am - Dora & Tom Murphy & daughter Christina & dec family.  
**Sun 16<sup>th</sup> September:** 10.00am - Private Intention.  
11.30am - Private Intention.

### BALLYHEANE CHURCH

- Sat 15<sup>th</sup> September:** 8.00pm - Tom & Kate Neary, Derrygarve & dec family.  
Nora & Paddy Kelly, Cloonaghmore & dec family.

### ALTAR SERVERS

<b>6<sup>th</sup> Class - Sun 16<sup>th</sup></b>
8.30am - B
10.30am - C
12.00pm - D



#### **ALTAR SOCIETY:** 15<sup>th</sup> September

Angela Irwin Teresa O'Shea Ann Marie O'Boyle

### DAILY READERS

- Mon - Maureen Tobin  
Tues - Maureen Carroll  
Wed - Chris Millett  
Thurs - Norah Walshe  
Fri - Mary Higgins



#### **MINISTERS OF THE WORD:** 15<sup>th</sup>/16<sup>th</sup> September

- 7.00pm - Tom Lennon  
8.30am - Eveleen Horan  
10.30am - Joe Staunton  
12.00pm - Mary Tighe

### REST IN PEACE

**Pat Doyle, Milebush.**

**Tom Reddington, Ara, Balla, brother of Nora Reddington, Castlehill Park.**

**Tommie Quigley, Pontoon Road.**

**Margaret Park, Chicago, daughter of the late Michael Conway, Chicago & late of Ringeraun.**

### Catechism of the Catholic Church

An introductory meeting on Adult Studies of the Catechism Catholic Church will take place in the Monastery, Chapel Street on Tues 18<sup>th</sup> Sept at 7.30pm. All are welcome. For more info tel 087 2639726.

### Healing/Anointing Catholic Ministry Retreat

Sunday 16<sup>th</sup> Sept from 1pm - 5pm in the Parish Centre. Praise and Worship, Healing Prayer, Talk and Adoration.

## *A Back To School Blessing*

*Lord, bless all the children who are returning to school.  
May they grow, as you did, in wisdom, in stature  
and in favour with God and his people.  
Keep them safe as they go to and from school.  
Keep them faithful to you as they learn and play together.  
Keep them in your loving care  
and help them to show the same loving care to others.*

*Protect the children, Lord, and not only in body:  
protect them from those who lead them astray,  
from the emptiness of those who have no true vision  
but would lead them into false freedoms  
based only on the satisfactions of the moment.*

*May our children, Lord, come to know not just celebrities  
but true heroes, people to bring out the best in them  
men and women of faith, courage and goodness.  
May the children not lack sources of genuine inspiration  
and may the adults in their lives – parents, teachers, priests  
set only the very finest of example.  
Indeed, may the innocence of children bring out the very best  
in those who teach and guide them.*

*All of us, Lord, turn to you for wisdom whatever our stage in life.  
We are all your children – help each of us to grow in faith, hope and love.  
Make us strong in self-giving and in self-restraint.  
Form us, day by day, in the image of your Son.  
Who lives and reigns, forever and ever.*

*Amen*

**Date for your diary:** To celebrate the start of a new school year, the 10.30am Mass on Sun Oct 7<sup>th</sup> in the Parish Church will be for all primary, post primary and third level students and their families.



## **WELCOME**

We extend a very warm welcome to Fr Dixy Faber as our new curate.  
We wish him many years of happiness and service in our parish.

### **Orthodox Liturgy**

Sun 9<sup>th</sup> Sept at 2.30pm in the Parish Church.

### **Children's Liturgy**

Resumes on Sun 16<sup>th</sup> Sept at the 10.30am Mass in the Parish Church. All children 4yrs and upwards are welcome.

### **Castlebar Parish Magazine 2018**

If you have any articles or photographs for inclusion in this year's edition of the Parish Magazine tel Joe Redmond at 087 2708653 or email: redmondjj@eircom.net

### **Volunteers Needed**

Volunteers needed to help a child with homework in the Acorn Club, Castlebar. Tel Sr. Margaret at 087 2072102.

### **PTAA Centenary Function**

A function to mark the founding of the Castlebar Pioneer Centre in 1918 will be held in Breaffy House Resort, on Thurs night, Nov 1<sup>st</sup>. Full particulars later.

### **Castlebar Active Retirement**

Meetings resume on Wed 12<sup>th</sup> Sept in the Social Services Centre at 2pm. New members welcome.

### **Foster & Allen Charity Concert**

Royal Theatre on Thurs 20<sup>th</sup> Sept at 8pm. Adm €20. Proceeds in aid of Mayo Charities. Tel. 094 9023111.

### **St. Joseph's Young Priests Society Meeting**

Tues 11<sup>th</sup> Sept at 8pm in the Parish Centre. New members welcome.

**Arthritis Research Information Evening** with Dr Emma Dorris in the Great National Hotel, Ballina on Thurs 13<sup>th</sup> Sept at 7pm. Adm: free. Tel 087 1661279.

### **Castlebar Artisan Market**

Every Sat from 9am-1pm in the Social Services Centre, Castle Street. For info tel Fintan at 087 1622177. In aid of the Social Services Centre.

### **Morning Bridge**

Resumes on Wed 12<sup>th</sup> Sept at 10am in the Social Services Centre. All are welcome.

### **Men's Shed Choir**

Recommence practice on Mon 10<sup>th</sup> Sept from 3pm – 4.30pm in the Men's Shed, overlooking the track/football field at the rear of GMIT (Old St Mary's Hospital). New members welcome. Tel 087 1306942.

### **Heartfulness Meditation & Relaxation Sessions**

All are welcome at weekly sessions (free of charge) held every Tues starting 25<sup>th</sup> Sept from 1pm-1.40pm, at GMIT College. Also every Wed starting 26<sup>th</sup> Sept from 2.30pm-3.30pm at Rock Rose House. Tel 096 45353.