

# CASTLEBAR PARISH NEWSLETTER

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## Sunday Mass Times

Parish Church: 6pm (Sat), 9am, 11am Ballyheane Church: 7.30pm (Sat.) Breaffy Church: 10am

**Priests:** Fr. Conal Eustace PP, Fr. Shane Costello CC, Fr. George Kappen CC. **Tel.** 094 9021844

**Diocesan Child Safeguarding:** More information available at [www.tuamarchdiocese.org](http://www.tuamarchdiocese.org)

Anyone with issues or concerns around the safety of children should tel. 087 9315823 or 087 4070206.



## Mass Intentions for the Week

### PARISH CHURCH

view online at [churchtv.ie/castlebar](http://churchtv.ie/castlebar)

Parish Radio 105.3fm

#### Monday 11<sup>th</sup> August:

- 10.00am - John, Breege & Cathal Kelly.
- 7.00pm - Maura Lavelle, Knocknaskibbole. (M.M.)  
Evelyn, Patrick & Gerard Tolan, Belvedere Court.  
Michael & Bridget Joyce, Killawalla.

#### Tuesday 12<sup>th</sup> August:

- 10.00am - Kathleen Finnerty, Fortfield & dec. Finnerty & Duffy families.

#### Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup> August:

- 10.00am - Private Intention.

#### Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> August:

- 10.00am - Dec. Morrison & Murray families, Glenisland.  
Brendan & Teresa Bourke, Rowan Drive & Snugboro.
- 7.00pm - The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary.

#### Friday 15<sup>th</sup> August:

- 10.00am - The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary.

#### Saturday 16<sup>th</sup> August:

- 10.00am - Rose & Martin Feeney, Graffymore & dec. Corcoran & Feeney families.  
Sheila Brennan, Tawnylaheen & dec. Ruddy family.  
Mary & Jimmy Burke, Ballinvilla.  
Bridget & Joseph Winters & son John, Aughadrina.  
Nora Kennedy, Rathbawn Road.  
Nora Cafferkey, The Brambles.

#### Sunday 17<sup>th</sup> August:

- 11.00am - Vivian Quinn, Sarnaght. (M.M.)

### BALLYHEANE CHURCH [churchtv.ie/ballyheane](http://churchtv.ie/ballyheane)

- Friday 15<sup>th</sup> August: 7.30pm - The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary.

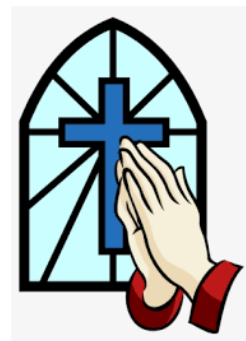
- Saturday 16<sup>th</sup> August: 7.30pm - Mary Hatfield, Derrew, Ballyheane. (M.M.)  
Jim & Ann Hoban, daughter Margaret McTigue & dec. Hoban family.  
Nora & Paddy Kelly, Cloonaghmore, son-in-law Ray Armstrong  
& dec. family.

### BREAFFY CHURCH [churchtv.ie/breaffy](http://churchtv.ie/breaffy)

- Friday 15<sup>th</sup> August: 7.00pm - The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary.

- Saturday 16<sup>th</sup> August: 5.00pm - Dermot Deegan, Hollow Grove. (M.M.)

- Sunday 17<sup>th</sup> August: 10.00am - Michael & Adrian Quinn, Kilkenny Cross.  
Anthony (Bill) Dinsdale, Cregganavar, Breaffy.



## Rest in Peace

Teresa (Olga) Morrin, 'St. John's', Breaffy Road.

Michael Fitzpatrick, Rinshinna.

Martin Christopher (Christy) Flaherty, Lightford.

Martin Neary, Kilmovee & late of New Antrim Street.



## Nineteenth Sunday of Ordinary Time

### *The Unexpected*

Most of us don't like to be taken too much by surprise. We like to think that we have a good idea of what is coming down the road and when it is coming. Yet, we know from experience that the unexpected does happen. It is that experience of the unexpected that features in the parables Jesus speaks in today's gospel reading. The burglar breaks through the wall of a house at an hour nobody expects; the master arrives home at a time when his irresponsible servant is not expecting him. Jesus indicates that there can be the element of the unexpected in his relationship with us and ours with him.

The Son of Man comes at an hour we do not expect. We may be inclined to relate that to the hour of our death; sudden and unexpected death is certainly a reality. However, more may be being referred to than that. The Son of Man comes to us in the course of our lives; his daily coming in the midst of life can also be unexpected. The Lord may call us to do something we had never thought about; he may take us down a path we might never have gone down if left to ourselves. The Lord can come to us through unexpected people; through people we would never think of as the Lord's messengers. The gospel reading suggests that when it comes to the Lord, we can expect the unexpected. He is always the God of surprises and that requires us to be alert and attentive to his many unexpected comings.

*Intercom – Fr. Martin Hope*

#### **Guided Holy Hour**

- Every Sunday from 7pm to 8pm in the Parish Church.

#### **Adoration of the Eucharist**

- Every Friday from 11am in the Parish Church.

#### **Rosary, Divine Mercy Chaplet**

- Every day at 3pm in the Parish Church.

#### **Rosary**

- Every morning at 9.30am in the Parish Church.

### **Castlebar Parish**

#### **One Day Pilgrimage to Lough Derg on Saturday 23<sup>rd</sup> August**

Cost: €75, which includes boat trips, refreshments, light lunch and transport. To book tel. the Parish Office at 094 9021844 or email [castlebarparish@gmail.com](mailto:castlebarparish@gmail.com)



### **The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary**

#### ***Friday 15<sup>th</sup> August - Mass Times***

#### **Parish Church**

- 7pm (Thursday), 10am

#### **Breafoy Church**

- 7pm

#### **Ballyheane Church**

- 7.30pm

### **Our Lady of Knock Novena - 13<sup>th</sup> to 21<sup>st</sup> August**

**Castlebar Parish Choir** will be singing at the Knock Novena on 20<sup>th</sup> August at 8pm.

A bus will leave the Courthouse at 6.45pm on 15<sup>th</sup>, 18<sup>th</sup>, 20<sup>th</sup>, 21<sup>st</sup> August. To book tel. 098 27109.

### **Anointing Fire Catholic Ministry (AFCM) – Afternoon of Healing Service**

Led by Eddie Stone, Clonfert, Galway on Sunday 17<sup>th</sup> August from 1.15pm to 4pm, in the Church of the Holy Rosary. Rosary, Thanksgiving, Praise and Worship, Prayers for Healing, Talks and Eucharist Adoration. All are welcome.

### **Tuam and Killala Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes**

Led by Archbishop Francis, August 29<sup>th</sup>, 6 nights, ex Knock Airport. For details tel. 012410800.

### **A School of Missionary Discipleship for young people 18-35**

The School will commence at Ceili Catholic Community, Kilbeggan, Co. Westmeath from September. It is non-residential, one weekend a month for 8 months and free of charge, donations only. The programme is based on evangelisation and catechetics and trains young people to serve as missionary disciples in their parishes. For more details text mobile 087 9789150.

**Consecration of Home and Family to the Sacred Heart of Jesus and the Immaculate Heart of Mary** - Would you like this consecration for your home? Tel. Mary at 087 7971474.

### **Society of St. Vincent DePaul**

For anyone who needs assistance, please contact SVP tel. 094 9023207.