

# CASTLEBAR PARISH NEWSLETTER

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## Sunday Mass Times

Parish Church: 7pm (Sat), 8.30am, 10.30am, 12pm Ballyheane Church: 8.00pm (Sat.) Breaffy Church: 10am, 11.30am

**PRIEST ON CALL: Tel. 094 9021844**



## Mass Intentions for the Week

### PARISH CHURCH

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

Parish Radio 105.3fm

#### Monday 19<sup>th</sup> September:

- 10.00am - Nancy Costello, Conloon & Harrow & dec. Costello & Philbin families.  
Johnny & Mamie Jordan & Kate Concannon, Ballynew.  
7.00pm - Private Intention.

#### Tuesday 20<sup>th</sup> September:

- 10.00am - Loretta & John Kenny, Riverdale Court.

#### Wednesday 21<sup>st</sup> September:

- 8.00am - Tom Lee, Ballina & Castlebar & dec. family.  
10.00am - Mary Kilgallon, Moneen & dec. family.

#### Thursday 22<sup>nd</sup> September:

- 10.00am - Private Intention.

#### Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> September:

- 8.00am - Patrick & Mary McHugh & dec. McHugh & Davis families, Galway.  
10.00am - Michael Quinn, Turlough Road.

#### Saturday 24<sup>th</sup> September:

- 10.00am - Mary Heneghan, Belcarra.  
Danny & Margaret McGuinness, Lakeshore Drive.  
Dec. Sisters of Mercy.  
Mary Donnellan, Chestnut Grove.  
Joe & Rita Flatley, Ballyhaunis & James Clarke, Claremorris.  
Tony Donegan, Newport Road.  
Tess & Tommy Collins, Castle Street.  
7.00pm - Eamon Jennings, Ballyheane. (M.M.)



### BALLYHEANE CHURCH

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

- Saturday 24<sup>th</sup> September: 8.00pm - Margaret Mandel Walsh & dec. family.  
James & Bridget King, Derrynagooley & dec. families.

### BREAFFY CHURCH

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

- Sunday 25<sup>th</sup> September: 10.00am - Michael & Eileen O'Malley & dec. O'Malley & Rowland families,  
Breaffy.  
11.30am - Mary Hunt, Turlough Road & dec. Hunt & Wilson families.

## Rest in Peace

Gerry Costello, Curragh.

Eileen McGovern, Dublin, sister of Neesa Patten, Blackfort.

Breege Halligan, McHale Road.

Martin Horkan, Springfield Court.

Michelle Vahey, Castle Street & Ballina.

Carmel O'Brien, Balla, sister of Teresa Filan, Ballynew & Michael O'Brien, Watersville.



**Twenty-fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time - Gospel: Luke 16:1-13**  
**(Season of Creation)**

**Kingdom Economics**

If you think that all the parables of Jesus are pleasant stories about people of integrity, then today's gospel might make you think again. In this story, a manager has been given his notice by his CEO and decides, while he still can, to even up the tables for those who are struggling to pay their debts to the company. He uses the power he still has to change the future for these debtors – and for himself. He is happy to make better arrangements for the debtors. The manager is free-spirited, a bit of a scoundrel yes, but Jesus liked scoundrels, once their efforts were put to good use. The only value the money really has is in the way it is used. He is squandering money, but he is not squandering opportunities.

When it comes to the reality of our climate crisis, change is urgently needed at political levels. The science is clear: our world is warming because of human activity, giving rise to drought, famine, devastating wildfires, extreme weather events, a rise in sea levels and the displacement of millions of people. On our current trajectory, many parts of our world will be uninhabitable in the decades to come.

Climate change is one of the biggest challenges facing our world today, and it has grave implications for many aspects of our lives: environmental, social, economic and political. We know that just a hundred fossil fuel companies are responsible for 70% of the carbon emissions which drive this crisis. These corporations care little for future generations. Young people are standing up to such systems, however, calling them to account, engaging in political action and challenging all of us to raise our voices for our common home. They tell us that change is coming whether we like it or not! Today's parable invites us, like the manager, to 'holy mischief'.

*(The Deep End)*

**Church of the Holy Rosary**

<b><u>Holy Hour</u></b>	-	Every Sunday from 7pm to 8pm
<b><u>Adoration of the Eucharist</u></b>	-	Every Friday from 11am

**Anointing Fire Catholic Ministry (AFCM) – Healing Service**

An Afternoon of Rosary, Praise and Worship, Healing Prayers, Talks, Confessions and Eucharistic Adoration this Sunday 18<sup>th</sup> September from 1.15pm to 4.00pm in the Church of the Holy Rosary. Led by Br. Brendan Walsh, Co. Kerry. All are welcome.

**Castlebar Prayer Group Meeting**

Meetings resumes on Wed. 21<sup>st</sup> Sept. at 8pm in the Social Service Centre, Castle Street. All welcome.

**Family Centre Courses – to book tel. 094 9025900**

Common Sense Parenting: Sept. 20<sup>th</sup>, 10am-12 noon Enneagram Part 1: Sept. 21<sup>st</sup>, 8pm-10.30pm.

**Mayo PPN Community Consultation Workshop**

We want to hear your views on how we can make Mayo the best possible place to – Live, Work and Invest. Workshop takes place on Mon. 26<sup>th</sup> Sept. at 7pm in Breaffy House Hotel. For more information and to register visit [mayoppn@mayococo.ie](mailto:mayoppn@mayococo.ie) Enquiries: 094 9064358

**Free Online Living Well Programme**

This 6-week programme is for adults with long-term health conditions. Programmes begin on 20<sup>th</sup> Sept.; 6<sup>th</sup>, 12<sup>th</sup>, 26<sup>th</sup> Oct.; 2<sup>nd</sup>, 4<sup>th</sup> Nov. Tel. Liam on 086 0142675, email: [lgildea@southmayo.com](mailto:lgildea@southmayo.com)

**Coffee Evening in aid of Hospice**

Monday 19<sup>th</sup> September from 4pm to 7pm in Ballyheane Community Centre. All are welcome.

**Order of Malta Cadet Enrolment Evening for Current and New Cadets (10-16 years)**

Tues. 20<sup>th</sup> Sept. at 7pm in Castlebar Celtic Clubhouse, Pavilion Road. For info. tel. 087 7074514.

**Enable Ireland Mayo Services - Volunteers Required**

To work with children with disabilities. No more than 3 hours are required per week. Training is provided. For more information tel. Fiona at 087 6808350 or email [fscully@enableireland.ie](mailto:fscully@enableireland.ie)