

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

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Mass Intentions for the Week

PARISH CHURCH

view online at churchtv.ie/castlebar

Parish Radio 105.3fm

Monday 2nd May

- 10.00am - Dec. McGough & Tighe families, Lacken & Castlebar.
Paddy & Monica Mellett, Rathbawn Road & dec. Mellett & Clarke families.
7.00pm - Grace, James & James Jnr. Fallon, Achill.

Tuesday 3rd May

- 10.00am - Jim & Mai Hernan & son-in-law Vinny Geelan, Chapel Street.

Wednesday 4th May

- 8.00am - Private Intention.
10.00am - Rory O' Connor, Main Street. (1st Anv.)
Charles & Lily Egan & dec. family, late of Main Street.

Thursday 5th May

- 10.00am - Private Intention.

Friday 6th May

- 8.00am - Ned & Mary Mongan, Belcarra.
10.00am - Derek Heeney, Rathbawn Drive. (1st Anv.)

Saturday 7th May

- 10.00am - Patrick, Margaret & Peter Murray, Tullycommons.
Gerry Hughes, Fortfield, Ian Hegarty & dec. Plunkett family.
Dec. Gavin, O'Hora & Sullivan families.
Michael Foy, Springfield & dad William.
Patrick & Maureen McGinty, Harmony Heights & dec. Conlon & McGinty families.
Nora Ruane, Sarnaught & dec. Neary family.
7.00pm - Patricia Walsh, Pontoon Road & The Lawn, Claremorris (1st Anv.) & husband John Joe.

Sunday 8th May

- 10.30am - Bridget Ellen Keane, Aughaluskey. (M.M.)



BALLYHEANE CHURCH

view online at churchtv.ie/ballyheane

- Saturday 7th May 8.00pm - Private Intention.

BREAFFY CHURCH

view online at churchtv.ie/breaffy

- Sunday 8th May 10.00am - Mary Gavin (1st Anv.), Billy, Catherine & David Gavin & dec. family.
11.30am - John Mulcahy (1st Anv.) & wife Marguerite, Breaffy.

Rest in Peace

Mary Galvin, An Sruthán.

Marty John Murray, Carratigue, Ballina,
father of Teresa Diskin, Castlebar

Lucy Gill, partner of the late Marty Gill,
formerly of Breaffy & Canterbury, Kent, UK.



3rd Sunday of Easter

It is at the very moment of Peter's failure that Jesus appears, starts over, patiently comes to him and calls him 'Simon' (v.15) – the name Peter received when he was first called. The Lord does not wait for perfect situations or frames of mind: he creates them. He does not expect to encounter people without problems, disappointments, without sins or limitations. He himself confronted sin and disappointment in order to encourage all men and women to persevere.

The Lord never tires of calling us. His is the power of a Love that overturns every expectation and is always ready to start anew. In Jesus, God always offers us another chance. He calls us day by day to deepen our love for him and to be revived by his eternal newness. Every morning, he comes to find us where we are. He summons us 'to rise at his word, to look up and to realise that we were made for heaven, not for earth, for the heights of life and not for the depths of death', and to stop seeking 'the living among the dead.' When we welcome him, we rise higher and are able to embrace a brighter future, not as a possibility but as a reality. When Jesus' call directs our lives, our hearts grow young.

(Pope Francis)

Church of the Holy Rosary

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| <u>Holy Hour</u> | - | Every Sunday from 7pm to 8pm |
| <u>Lectio Divina</u> | - | Every Tuesday at 7pm |
| <u>Exposition</u> | - | Every Friday from 11am to 7pm |



Tuam Diocesan Pilgrimage to Knock this Sunday, May 1st at 2.30pm.

Lough Derg Re-opens

Lough Derg welcomes Pilgrims again with a full Pilgrimage programme this summer. Three Day Pilgrimage: 1st June - 15th August. Booking advised. Concessions available for students, seniors and groups. One Day Retreats and guided Pilgrim Path experience: dates in May and late August through September. Booking essential. More information available at www.loughderg.org email info@loughderg.org or tel. 071 9861518.

The Women of Faith Conference 2022

LIVE on Radio Maria Ireland on Saturday 7th May from 2pm.

Radio Maria Ireland is accessible online at www.radiomaria.ie or on TV SAORVIEW Channel 210.

The Family Centre

Flourish Information Session – Wednesday 11th May from 11.30am – 12.30pm

Flourish Social Prescribing Service offers adults practical ways in a confidential one to one session with a social prescribing link worker to explore a range of ideas around new activities, hobbies and interests. To book a place please tel. 094 9025900.

Castlebar Men's Shed seek volunteer Musical Director for Shed Choir

Ideally suited to a retired person, no experience necessary. Choir practices are held on Mondays at 3pm. Shed is situated at the rear of GMIT campus. Please tel. Iarla Mongey at 087 1306942.

ALONE seeks Volunteers

ALONE is recruiting volunteers to provide companionship and support through their telephone support and befriending service for older people. Visit www.alone.ie/volunteers for more info.

Consecration of Home and Family to the Sacred Heart of Jesus and Immaculate Heart of Mary

Would you like this consecration for your home? If so, please tel. Kathleen at 087 9850267.