

# 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 23<sup>rd</sup> March:**

10.00am - Edward Cusick, Rathbawn Road.

7.00pm - Manus Langan, Spencer Street & U.K.

John, Ellen & Michael Gibbons, Cashel, Turlough & great granddaughter baby Eála Irwin, College View.

#### **Tuesday 24<sup>th</sup> March:**

8.00am - Private Intention.

10.00am - Tom Burke, Snugboro & dec. Burke & Quinn families. Special Intention.

#### **Wednesday 25<sup>th</sup> March:**

8.00am - Private Intention.

10.00am - Dec. McDonagh family, Clooncundra & dec. Lally family, Aughadrina.

#### **Thursday 26<sup>th</sup> March:**

8.00am - Private Intention.

10.00am - Mary Nealon, Kilfian.

#### **Friday 27<sup>th</sup> March:**

8.00am - Stasia Banville, dec. relatives & Holy Souls.

Nora Geraghty & dec. family.

10.00am - Ned Costello, London.

Tom & Annie Moran, Mountgordon.

#### **Saturday 28<sup>th</sup> March:**

10.00am - Peter & Geraldine Ryan, Station Road.

Martin & Helen Maughan & dec. Maughan & Collins families, Castlebar.

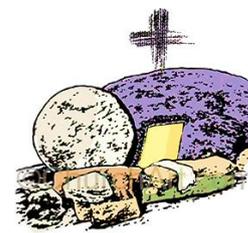
James & Martha Foy & dec. family. Margo Foy, Hillcrest, Knockthomas.

Michael Joe Craddock, Boradruma, parents James & Nora & dec. Craddock &

O'Malley families, Islandeady. Martin Carney, Ballynew.

Joe & Monica Murtagh, Newtown & Paul Cowan, Castlebar.

6.00pm - John Healy, Rathbawn Road. (M.M.)



5<sup>th</sup>  
Sunday  
in Lent

### BALLYHEANE CHURCH

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

**Saturday 28<sup>th</sup> March:** 7.30pm - Frank Walsh, Frenchill. (M.M.)

Bernadette Fahey, Ballyheane

### BREAFFY CHURCH

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

**Sunday 29<sup>th</sup> March:** 10.00am - Fr. John McCormack.

Ben Garrett, Kilnock, Breaffy.

Timothy Lyons Jnr, Kilmacrade.

## Rest in Peace



**Jack Heneghan**, Tuam, brother of the late Jimmy Heneghan, Garryduff Drive.

**Nora Conway**, Curragh.

**Sheila Coughlan**, Springfield.

**Martin Lydon**, Fortfield.

**Bridie Lavin**, Crossmolina, mother of Mairead Mangan, The Oaks.

## Fifth Sunday of Lent

Set against the backdrop of Jesus' impending death, many elements of the raising of Lazarus foreshadows the good news of Jesus' own Resurrection. Jesus, facing the conflict with the Jewish authorities, acts in complete obedience to God. In raising Lazarus, Jesus shows his power over death so that when Jesus dies, those who believe in him might remember that and take hope. Just as Jesus calls for the stone to be rolled away from Lazarus's tomb, so too will the disciples find the stone rolled away from Jesus' tomb. Likewise, each of us, as a result of our Baptism, can recognise how Jesus has rolled away the stones of our own tombs and called us to a new life. We, in turn, are sent forth to bring hope of new life to others who are entombed by suffering, despair and injustice.

Who are some of the people/groups of people in society today who are 'entombed' by suffering, despair and injustice?

How can we bring hope and new life to those who are 'entombed' by these realities?

When was a time that someone brought hope and new life to you?

What are some of the 'stones' that need to be 'rolled away' in our society so that people may truly be free from injustice?

*Intercom - Joe Paprocki catechistsjourney.loyolapress.com*

### Parish Church

**Guided Holy Hour:** Sunday from 7pm to 8pm. **Holy Face Devotion:** Tuesday at 3.30pm.

**Adoration of the Eucharist:** Friday from 11am. **Rosary:** Daily at 9.30am.

**Rosary, Divine Mercy Chaplet:** Daily at 3pm. **Confessions:** Saturday 12pm – 1pm.

### Passion Play for children on Good Friday at 12pm in the Church of the Holy Rosary

A beautiful devotion led by the Junior Legion of Mary. It will be an opportunity for the children to come close to Jesus in his time of need.

### Youth 2000 Day Retreat at Knock Shrine on April 25<sup>th</sup>

Youth 2000 provides an opportunity for young people (16-35) to develop their relationship with God, learn more about the Catholic faith and meet other young people through a structured retreat programme. Talks, testimonies and games. Donation only. Check out Youth2000.ie to register or contact [connaught@youth2000.ie](mailto:connaught@youth2000.ie) for more information.

### ALONE

Would you be willing to provide companionship to an older person? ALONE are seeking volunteers. Full training and support provided. If interested, please apply via the ALONE website at [www.alone.ie](http://www.alone.ie) For further information please email [volunteer@alone.ie](mailto:volunteer@alone.ie) or tel. 0818 222024.

*If you are over 60 and would like to know more about the services ALONE can offer, please tel. 0818 222024.*

### Training for Carers of Family Members with Dementia

Insights into Dementia, informing and empowering by providing positive and practical training for carers of family members with Dementia. The course will be held in the TF Royal Hotel from 1<sup>st</sup> April to 13<sup>th</sup> May, 7pm to 9.30pm. For further details and booking tel. 1800 341341 or email [familycarertraining@alzheimer.ie](mailto:familycarertraining@alzheimer.ie)

### Mayo Historical and Archaeological Society.

'The Annals of the Four Masters and Mayo Local History' - A presentation by Dr. Bernadette Cunningham, on Wednesday 25<sup>th</sup> March at 7.30pm in the ATU Campus. Fáilte roimh chách.

### Society of St. Vincent DePaul

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