

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

Parish Radio 105.3fm

Monday 23rd May:

- 10.00am - Jude & Mary Walsh, Mountgordon & dec. parents.
- 7.00pm - Private Intention.

Tuesday 24th May:

- 10.00am - Annie Kate Lawrence, Westport.

Wednesday 25th May:

- 8.00am - Private Intention.
- 10.00am - Walter & Josephine Burke, Rehins & dec. McHugh & Burke families.
Kathleen Moran, Ballynew & dec. Moran & Doyle families.

Thursday 26th May

- 10.00am - Tim Hyland, Eamon & Ned Cunningham.

Friday 27th May:

- 8.00am - Private Intention.
- 10.00am - Paddy Edward Padden, Castlebar.

Saturday 28th May:

- 10.00am - James & Carmel McSharry, Rathbawn Road.
Mary Kelly, Garryduff Park.
Owen Harte, Curragh.
Bridie Geraghty, Ballynew.
Paddy & Kathleen Deere, Snugboro, son Michael Patrick & dec. Devaney & White families.
- 7.00pm - Teresa Molloy, Ross West (1st Anv.) & dec. family.



BALLYHEANE CHURCH

view online at churchtv.ie/ballyheane

- Saturday 28th May:** 8.00pm - Mary Heverin, Lisnaponra.
James & Mary Murphy, Parkboy.
Maureen Cusack, Mountdaisy.
Con Ryan, Cloonaghmore & dec. Ryan & O'Grady families.

BREAFFY CHURCH

view online at churchtv.ie/breaffy

- Sunday 29th May:** 10.00am - Mary Kenny nee Barrett, Chicago & late of Drumcurrabawn.
11.30am - Faye Lavin, Woodlawn Park.



Rest in Peace

Nancy Costello nee Philbin, Harrow, London
& late of Conloon.



Church Collection Envelopes

The 2022/2023 Church Collection envelopes are now ready for distribution. We would be very grateful for your help in distributing the boxes. Please contact the Parish Office at 094 9021844. Thank you.

Sixth Sunday of Easter

God lives in our hearts. The Father, the Son and the Holy Spirit are active within us. It is an amazing thought to savour.

The effect of God's presence is peace. The peace in our hearts spreads peace to our communities and is the foundation of peace in the world.

Jesus gently tries to prepare the disciples for the day when he will no longer be present to them in bodily form. Unlike us, who know the story, they did not know what was coming next, so they are confused. God helps us to grow even in times of confusion.

Jesus is inviting his followers not to cling to his physical presence, but to be open to a deeper way of being in relationship with Him. Often, we find it hard to let go, and to embrace the new. But in clinging to the past, we are in danger of letting the present become dead to us.

These words are part of Jesus' great farewell discourse at the Last Supper. The following day will see the immense outpouring of his love on the Cross, a love which remains the same, yesterday, today and forever. This unconditional love calls for an unconditional 'Yes'.

Lord, help me to overcome my guilt, my shame, and my fear. Help me throw open wide the doors to my inmost heart so that my transcendent God can make his home there.

(www.sacredspace.ie Prayer with the Irish Jesuits)



Church of the Holy Rosary

<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

Eucharistic Adoration

National Eucharistic Adoration Pilgrimage to Knock on Friday 17th (7.30pm) and Saturday 18th June (Corpus Christi weekend). More details on www.eucharisticadoration.ie or tel. Angela Ryan at 087 249 7617 or Sr. Anne Maria O'Shaughnessy at 086 868 3619. All are welcome.

Anam Cara Mayo – Parent Evening

The organisation that supports bereaved parents is holding a Parent Evening on Tues. 24th May at 7.15pm in the T.F. Royal Hotel. For more info. email info@anamcara.ie or tel. 085 2888 888.

‘Music for a Midsummer’s Evening’ - Saturday 11th June at 7pm in Knock Basilica
An Evening of Inspiring Irish & Choral Music, featuring the Palestrina Choir, Dublin, Soprano Rachel Croash, Mezzo Soprano Anne Marie Gibbons, the Marlborough Sinfonia, Organist Aleksandr Nisse and Conductor Blánaid Murphy. Doors 6pm. Concert 7pm. Admission Free. More information on www.knockshrine.ie/midsummermusic

Volunteers Needed

Mayo Roscommon Hospice is looking for volunteers to help with their National Sunflower days for Hospice on 10th and 11th June at local stores. Any hours you can give would be greatly appreciated. Contact 094 9388666 or email info@hospice.ie

Scripture Summer School in Knock Shrine from Thurs. 16th - Sat. 18th June

Walking the Synodal Pathway together. Facilitated by Mr. Sean Goan and Fr Kieran O'Mahony OSA. Participants have the option of joining online or in-person. Bookings must be completed online at www.knockshrine.ie/scripture_summer_school.

Charity Day

Castlebar Golf Club is holding a charity day in aid of Castlebar branch of the Alzheimer Society of Ireland on Wed. 25th May from 9am. All are welcome. For information tel. 087 0933335.