

# CASTLEBAR PARISH NEWSLETTER

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## Sunday Mass Times

Parish Church: 7pm (Sat), 8.30am, 10.30am, 12pm Ballyheane Church: 8pm (Sat) Breaffy Church: 10am, 11.30am

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

## Mass Intentions for the Week

### PARISH CHURCH

#### Monday 6<sup>th</sup> May:

10.00am - Jim & Delia Gavin & dec. Gavin & O'Hara families. Kathleen Duffy, Garryduff Court.  
7.00pm - Jim & May McNally, Blackfort. Kate, Tom & Matt Patten, Gortnagoyna, Dunmore.  
Maudie & Josie Kerins, Lack, Turlough, sons John & Christy & dec. Kerins & Murphy families.

#### Tuesday 7<sup>th</sup> May:

10.00am - Pat & Agnes Gibbons, Derryhariff.

#### Wednesday 8<sup>th</sup> May:

8.00am - Holy Souls.  
10.00am - Michael Guthrie, Fr. Meehan Place. Michael Harney & dec Harney & Heskin families.  
Anthony, Margaret, Rosaleen & Noreen Kilcoyne & Sally & Tommy O'Sullivan.

#### Thursday 9<sup>th</sup> May:

10.00am - Michael Forde & dec. Forde family. Holy Souls.

#### Friday 10<sup>th</sup> May:

8.00am - Seamus & Alice Padden, Springfield & dec. Padden & Hegarty families.  
10.00am - Patrick Mohan & parents Paddy & Kathleen, Davitt's Terrace & dec. Gildea family.

#### Saturday 11<sup>th</sup> May:

10.00am - Michael McDermott, Snugboro. (1<sup>st</sup> Anv.)  
Kathleen & Eamonn Miliffe, Rathbawn Road. Mick & Breege Ruane, Main Street.  
Donal Murphy, Church View. Patrick, Margaret & Peter Murray, Tullycommons, Snugboro.  
Margaret & John Finnerty, Liscromwell. Rita & Pat Quinn, Main Street.  
7.00pm - John Quinn, Sarnaught. (1<sup>st</sup> Anv.)

#### Sunday 12<sup>th</sup> May:

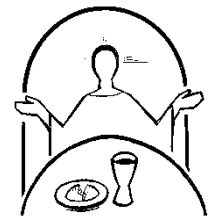
10.30am - Michael McCormack, Garryduff Park. (1<sup>st</sup> Anv.)

### BREAFFY CHURCH

Mon. 6<sup>th</sup> May: 7.30pm - Private Intention.  
Wed. 8<sup>th</sup> May: 7.30pm - Private Intention.  
Fri. 10<sup>th</sup> May: 7.30pm - Private Intention.  
Sat. 11<sup>th</sup> May: 10.00am - Private Intention.  
Sun. 12<sup>th</sup> May: 10.00am - Michael McHale.  
11.30am - Michael Foy & dec. Foy family.

### BALLYHEANE CHURCH

Sat. 11<sup>th</sup> May: 8.00pm - Miriam & Liam Fadden, Holyhill.



### ALTAR SERVERS

6 <sup>th</sup> Class - Sun 12 <sup>th</sup>	
8.30am	- D
10.30am	- A
12.00pm	- B



### ALTAR SOCIETY

S. Hopkins H. Ryder

### DAILY READERS

Mon - A. O'Hara  
Tues - C. Casey  
Thurs - B. Watkin  
Fri - Ú. Ryan



### MINISTERS OF THE WORD

11<sup>th</sup>/12<sup>th</sup> May

7.00pm - I. Douglas  
8.30am - J. Gaffney  
10.30am - M. Mullaney  
12.00pm - First Holy Communion

### REST IN PEACE

*Paddy Cunningham, Rathbawn Road.*  
*Pearl Campbell, Sligo, sister of Noel Campbell,*  
*Pontoon Drive.*  
*John Heneghan, Leeds, brother of Tom*  
*Heneghan, Balloor.*

### FIRST HOLY COMMUNION

#### Breaffy Church

Sat. 11<sup>th</sup> May at 11am & 1pm  
Breaffy N.S.

#### Ballyheane Church

Sat. 11<sup>th</sup> May at 12 noon  
Ballyheane N.S., Errew N.S.



#### Parish Church

Sun. 12<sup>th</sup> May at 12 noon  
Snugboro N.S.

## COME AND HAVE BREAKFAST

The theme of light and darkness in John's Gospel is strong. In today's reading, we hear that it was 'just after daybreak' when Jesus appeared to the disciples. The disciples had been fishing all night but caught nothing. Then, with the dawn Jesus appears on the beach and gently suggests that they cast the nets on the other side of the boat. We are invited to reflect on the resurrection here, moments where we were given a sense of new life, and with that, an abundance of gifts. Perhaps a friendship had broken down or we were dealing with a crisis. Like the disciples, we may have simply been going through the motions of day to day life, in the dark, without much enthusiasm. And then ... daybreak. A gentle voice guided us, a friend or in a moment of prayer. In time, we realised that this was Jesus' voice pointing us in the right direction, and once we allowed ourselves to be guided by Him, the 'catch' was huge.

The end of the passage sees Jesus ask Peter three times if he loves him. Peter is once again by a charcoal fire so this scene mirrors the three denials of Peter during the trial of Jesus. Peter becomes upset, and one can understand the regrets he must have. Yet here, Jesus is give Peter the space to undo his denials. There is healing, new life. We can imagine Jesus' question to Peter at the end of the passage being addressed to us: 'Simon, son of John, do you love me?... Tend my sheep!' Place yourself in this story throughout the week.

*(Jane Mellett, Intercom)*

### **Orthodox Liturgy**

Sun 12<sup>th</sup> May at 2.30pm in the Parish Church.

### **Self-Care to Wellness Programme**

A 6 week programme delivered in 2.5 hour weekly sessions starting on Tues. 14<sup>th</sup> May from 10.30am to 1pm in the Primary Care Centre, Moneen Road. To register tel. Jackie at 087 7185615, email: selfcaretowellness@mayocil.ie

### **Are you caring for somebody with Dementia?**

Western Alzheimers are holding family carer training in Curam Centre, Claremorris commencing on Wed. May 8<sup>th</sup> from 10.15am to 12.15pm for 5 weeks. Booking essential tel. 094 9364900 or email: info@westernalzheimers.ie

### **Family Carers Ireland - Public Meeting**

Fri. May 10<sup>th</sup> at 10.30am in Ard Ri Hotel, Tuam for the West and North West areas. This meeting gives family carers an opportunity to raise their concerns with their local elected representatives. To RSVP tel. 093 70022 or email galwaysupport@familycarers.ie

### **Le Chéile Community & Family Resource Centre, Tucker Street**

#### **Castlebar Grow It Yourself (GIY) Meeting**

Mon. 13<sup>th</sup> May from 7.30pm to 9pm. Guest Speaker. Meetings 2<sup>nd</sup> Mon. of every month.

**Food cloud** available at Le Chéile from Mon. to Fri. at 10.30am for anyone to take free of charge thanks to Tesco Ireland and Lidl Ireland

For more information on activities and classes at the Centre tel. 094 9025126

### **Medjugorje Pilgrimage - June 27<sup>th</sup>**

Spiritual Director: Fr. Dixy Faber. Please contact Detta at 086 8197111 for details.

### **Tuam Diocesan Pilgrimage to Knock**

This Sun May 5<sup>th</sup> commencing with the Sacrament of Anointing of the sick at 2.30pm. Archbishop Michael Neary will lead the Pilgrimage.

### **Public Rosary at the Grotto in McHale Road**

Mon. 6<sup>th</sup> to Fri. 10<sup>th</sup> May at 7pm. All are welcome.

### **St. Therese National Day of Prayer**

Mon. 6<sup>th</sup> May in the Basilica of Our Lady, Knock Shrine. Solemn concelebrated Mass at 3pm, Blessing of the Sick and the Roses. Chief Celebrant: Fr Richard Byrne O.Carm Provincial. For more details tel. Pat Sweeney on 086 8198186.

### **Latin Mass in the Old Rite (Tridentine)**

Parish Church, Knock on Sun. May 12<sup>th</sup> at 5.30pm.

### **Healing/Anointing Catholic Ministry Service**

Sun. May 19<sup>th</sup> from 1.15pm to 5.30pm in the Church of the Holy Rosary. Led by Fr. Shane Sullivan and Lay Preacher Noel Byrne, Co. Carlow. Praise and worship, healing prayers, talks and Eucharistic Adoration after 12 noon Mass. All are welcome.

### **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 on 087 9850267.

### **Help save lives by walking from Darkness Into Light**

Sat. 11<sup>th</sup> May at 4.15am. In aid of Pieta House. Register at [www.darknessintolight.ie](http://www.darknessintolight.ie)