

BALLINAMORE /DRUMREILLY LR. PARISH NEWSLETTER

Sunday 13th September 2020 (24th Sunday O.T)

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Ballinamore St. Patrick's Church Masses: Mon & Wed 7pm, Tue Thurs Fri 9am, Sat 11am, Sun 11am

Mass Intentions

Sat 12th Sept 12noon Maria Harte, Lahard

Sun 13th Sept 11am Philip & Heleena Quinn (Ardrum) ,son Killian & deceased family members

Wed 16th Sept 7pm Johnny Martin, High Street

Sun 20th Sept 11am Tom, Madge & Margie Gilheaney (formerly Willowfield Rd) & the deceased family members
Thomas & Alice McGovern, Ballyduff

Ministers of the Word Sun 20th Sept Thomas Kelly

Eucharistic Ministers: Sun 20thSept Evelyn McHugh/Marian Sharpley / PJ McLoughlin

Door Collectors Sun 20th Sept John Curran, Gerry McCartin, John O'Connell, David McBrien

Adoration : **Cancelled until further notice**

Confessions: Confessions 11:30am each Saturday morning or on request

Aughnasheelin St Marys Church Masses: Fri 8pm Sat 8:15pm

Mass Intentions

Fri 11th Sept 8pm Pete, Cissie & Seán Murphy, Knockacullion & deceased family members

Sat 12th Sept 8:15pm Margaret Reynolds , Drumkeen (Months Memory) & her husband Tom Reynolds

Fri 18th Sept 8pm Margaret, Tom, & Joe Costello , Greaghreagh Mór

Sat 19th Sept 8:15pm Michael, Ned & Katie Murray & deceased members of The Murray & Nagle Families.

Eucharistic Ministers: Sat 19th Sept Group 4 S O'Dowd & B Sammon

Eucharistic Adoration Eucharistic Adoration will take place 11am-12MD and 8-10pm each Wednesday

Aughnasheelin Apostolic Society - Honorary Membership is now due, thank you to all who have supported the work of the Apostolic over the years they really appreciate it. You can give your donation to Maura Mulvey 087 648 6967 - this year they wont be able to hold their Annual Display due to the uncertain times we in. Thank you in advance.

Corraleehan St. Brigid's Church Masses: Wed 9:30am, Sat 7pm

Mass Intentions

Sat 12th Sept 7pm Gerard Maxwell, Kiltyhugh (1st Anniv)

Sat 19th Sept 7pm People of The Parish

Adoration : Will commence on the 7th October . Hours 10am -3pm & 6pm -8pm

Aughawillan St. Patrick's Church Masses: Sat 12noon, Sun 9:45am

Mass Intentions

Sun 13th Sept 9:45am People of the Parish

Sat 19th Sept 12noon Michael McTague, Sholohan (Months Memory)

Sun 20th Sept 9:45am Frankie Kelly, Glebe (Months Memory)

Eucharistic Ministers: 20th Sept Patricia Deane

Only one Eucharistic Ministers is necessary per mass so we would ask Eucharistic Ministers to agreed among themselves to take turns as appropriate.

Church Notes

Baptism: We welcome Shea Christopher Prior into our Christian Community as he received the sacrament of Baptism last weekend. Congratulations to his parents.

Covid 19:

Wearing of Face Coverings: Irish Church Leaders strongly recommend people to wear face coverings at all church liturgies along with the ongoing maintenance of 2 metre physical distancing. These along with regular hand washing and sanitising are most likely to reduce the spread of the Virus thus helping others. As the Sunday mass obligation does not apply, can we encourage you to please come to weekday masses as an alternative to weekends and also can we ask you as far as is possible to attend mass in your own church area. Thank you for your co-operation.

The Episcopal Ordination of the Very Reverend Martin Hayes as Bishop of Kilmore will take place on Sunday 20 September 2020 in the Cathedral of SS. Patrick & Felim, Cavan at 3:00p.m. Unfortunately, due to COVID-19 restrictions, the numbers attending the ceremony will be greatly reduced and will be by invitation only with only his immediate family and a few friends attending. The ceremony itself will be live-streamed on the internet and may be viewed at www.churchservices.tv/cavancathedral Further information regarding the ordination will be published over the coming weeks. In the meantime, we continue to pray for Fr. Hayes as he prepares to take up his new ministry as shepherd of God's flock in the Diocese of Kilmore.

First Communion : will take place for the children of Scoil Chlann Naofa on Saturday 10th Oct at 11am , First reconciliation on Thursday the 24th Sept at 7pm for these children in St. Patrick's Church Ballinamore. Children of St. Marys School Aughnasheelin will take place on Sunday 11th Oct at 12noon. First reconciliation for these children will take place on Thurs Sept 17th at 7pm in St. Mary's Church, Aughnasheelin.

Booking Masses: Masses can be booked by contacting the Parish Office on a Monday Tuesday Thurs & Fri morning or by emailing ballinamore@kilmorediocese.ie Due to Covid 19 restrictions we are currently restricting mass intentions to two intentions per mass.

Community Notices

Community Garden: Gardening classes will resume in Ballinamore Education & Training Centre (Old Vocational School) on Wednesday 16th & Thurs 17th Sept at 10am. Social distancing applies. Please bring a mask, cup & pen. Thanks you.

Hedge Cutting Grant Scheme 2020/2021

Leitrim County Council invites Applications for the Hedge Cutting Grant Scheme 2020/2021. This scheme aims to encourage the cutting of roadside hedges/trees along the Public Road Network. The Scheme is open to individual applicants and Groups of Applicants/Residents. Minimum length of road network per application is 2 km. Further information and Application Forms are available from our website www.leitrimcoco.ie or by contacting the Roads Department at 071 9620005 Ext. No. 617. E-mail – roads@leitrimcoco.ie. Closing Date is Friday 29th January, 2021.

Proposed Stained Glass Windows for Ballinamore: a crucifixion scene of three stained glass windows has been installed in St. Patrick's Church Ballinamore. These are valuable windows and greatly enhance the sanctuary in Ballinamore Church. If you or your family would like to donate towards the cost of a window please contact Fr. Sean. A plaque bearing the names of Donors or those in whose memory donations are made will be placed in an appropriate place in the church.

Courage

Courage is the most important of all the virtues,
because without courage you cant practice any other virtue consistently
It takes courage to be kind when others are not.
It takes courage to be truthful when a lie might suffice.
It takes courage to keep moving forward when you'd rather quit.
I've learned that courage, or opting for bravery,
is feeling the fear and still doing what is necessary to overcome it.
And in the very act of bravery,
you don't feel brave but just feel what is true and most real.

Dr Maya Angelou