



BALLINAMORE & DRUMREILLY LOWER PARISH NEWSLETTER

Sunday 17th October 2021 Twenty Ninth Sunday in Ordinary time. 18th Oct. St Luke, 19th Oct. St Paul of the Cross, and 22nd Oct. St John Paul 11.

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Ballinamore St. Patrick's Church:

Mon & Wed at 7pm, Tues, Thurs, & Fri, 9am, Sat 16th 1pm & Sun 11am

Mass Intentions

Sat 16th Oct. 1 pm Mary Wrynn Jackson (**Months Mind**) (New York and Tarmon), & her father Micheál Wrynn.

Sun 17th Oct. 11 am JJ McPadden (Church Street)

Mon 18th Oct. 7 pm Thomas McKeon (Lisacarn) and all deceased members of the McKeon family

Wed 20th Oct. 7 pm Johnny Smyth (High Street) and Agnes Martin (Lahard)

Fri 22nd Oct 9 am Michael and Mary Darcy (Aughayoula)

Sat 23rd 11 am John Cumiskey (Main Street)

Sun 24th Oct 11 am Daniel Sneyd (**1st Anniversary**)

Kitty McManus and deceased family members

Dan and Alice Gallogly (Drumrane) and their two sons James and Vincent Gallogly

Eucharist Ministers 17th Oct. Philomena Early, Mary McWeeney, Aileen Wisley 24th Oct. Michael Darcy, Maev Shanley, and Noel Dolan

Ministers of the Word 17thOct Alan Banks 24thOct Leigh Murphy 30thOct Raymond McHugh 7th Nov Rhona Conlon

Door Collectors 17th Oct Philip Murphy, John Conway, Pat Fergusson, & Dan Gallogly 24th Oct. Group 15:

Eucharistic Adoration Friday Mornings, 9:30 am to 12:30 pm.

Aughnasheelin, St. Mary's Church:

Friday, and Saturday at 7pm

Mass Intentions

Fri 15th Oct. 7 pm Jack & Kate Ann Doherty, Jim & Michael Doherty and deceased family members of the Doherty and Mulvey families(Foxwood), Michael Joe & Mary Elizabeth Nealon (Foxwood) Paul & Katie Duignan (Corranabainne) & deceased family, Francis, May, Margaret & Michael

Sat 16th Oct 7 pm Ann O'Dowd (Mayo) and deceased family members Margaret Creamer (Foxwood)

Gerard Smyth (Drumdarton) also Francie & Margaret, and John & Jimmy Smyth

Fri 22nd Oct 7 pm Patrick and Mary Mulvey and also Annie and Ellen McCabe

Molly Doran (Mayo)

Sat 23rd Oct 7 pm Paddy and Josephine Brogan (Drumkeen) and deceased family members

Eucharistic Adoration Wednesday 11am to 12 noon, and 8 to 10 pm

Corraleeahan St. Brigid's Church: Wed 9:30am. & Sat 8:15 pm Mass to change from 1st of Nov. Sun at 9:45am

Mass Intentions

Sat 16th Oct. 8:15 pm Laurence Dolan (Garryfluich) his parents Margaret & Frank Dolan & deceased family members Alice and John Joe Creamer (Kiltyhugh)

Sat 23rd Oct. 8:15 pm Jack Prior (Derradda Lower) (**1st Anniversary**)

Brian Prior (Bronx NY & Drumderg) **Months Mind**

Eucharistic Adoration Wednesday, 10am to 8 pm, All Welcome

Aughawillan St Patrick's Church:

Sunday 9:45 am. Mass to change from 1st of Nov. to Sat at 8:15pm

Mass Intentions

Sun 17th Oct 9:45 am Thomas Campbell (**7th Anniversary**) and his grandparents Tom & Mary Ann Campbell

Seamus McTague (Killaphort)

Brigid Donohoe (Drumreilly)

Sun 24th Oct 9:45 am James Stringer (Boeshill)

Eileen Prior (Leken) (**2nd Anniversary**)

Alice & Thomas Flanagan (Drumarigna), Thomas McGovern and deceased family members

Denis and Eileen Breen (Cleendargan)

Paddy and Nonie Quinn (Garadice)

NEW MASS TIMES: from 1st of November Aughawillan Mass will be on Saturdays at 8:15 pm and Corraleeahan Mass will be on Sundays at 9:45 am.

One Eucharistic Minister is enough per mass. Eucharistic Ministers can take turns. Eucharistic Ministers are asked to wear a face mask while giving out Holy Communion (masks provided) if you feel uncomfortable doing this please contact the parish office.

RECENT DEATH: we pray for the soul of Josie McGovern (Church Street) who's funeral took place on Friday, and also Patricia Murphy (sister of Fiona Reynolds Aughadark) who's funeral took place on Wednesday, and for Eamon Kiernan (father of Noel Kiernan Aughawillan) who's funeral took place on Thursday **May They Rest in Peace**

BALLINAMORE PRAYER GROUP: meet Tuesdays from 8:30 to 9:45 pm, in St Brigid's Parish Centre, all welcome.

COPIES OF THE IRISH CATHOLIC NEWSPAPER: are in Ballinamore Church Porch. Put €2.50 in the Trócaire Box.

CHURCH NOTES

CONGRATULATIONS TO THE COMMUNITY OF ST. PATRICK'S CHURCH AUGHAWILLAN ON THE 150th

ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATIONS: It was good to be with you; to experience your welcome, hospitality and community spirit. I would like to express my thanks for the beautiful presentation of crystal glass drawn and formed from the depths of Co. Leitrim. God Bless, Bishop Martin Hayes.

AUGHAWILLAN CHURCH: A word of gratitude to all who contributed to make last Sunday such a memorable and delightful day for the community of Aughawillan, as we celebrated the 150th anniversary of St. Patrick's Church. The church looked magnificent and the floral arrangements reflected so suitably the autumnal nature of the day. Our gratitude to God for such a beautiful day to celebrate a wonderful occasion.

BALLINAMORE CHURCH: Work will commence this week on the prayer room. This area will be cordoned off and mass will continue to be said at the usual times. Eucharistic Adoration will be suspended while this work is going on. Please note for health and safety reasons do not enter the top left side entrance to the church or the prayer room while this work continues. Thanking you for your co-operation and sorry for the inconvenience caused.

THE DIOCESE OF KILMORE WILL HOST A SERIES OF CONVERSATIONS ABOUT WHAT GOD WANTS OF HIS PEOPLE AT THIS TIME.

These conversations on our future in faith, will involve all parish pastoral councils in the diocese along with the wider community, they will determine pastoral priorities in the time ahead. **Bishop Martin** will mark the beginning of this conversation process with **Mass in the Cathedral of Saint Patrick & St. Felim in Cavan today 17th Oct at 11:30am.** This Mass may be viewed at www.churchservices.tv/cavancathedral a video featuring this invitation to engage with the conversation process and the reasons behind it, may be viewed on Bishop Martin Hayes' Facebook page and at www.kilmorediocese.ie or www.kilmoredpc.ie. There is further information on this conversation about our future in faith on the websites. You are kindly asked to pray for the success of this initiative.

AUGHNASHEELIN APOSTOLIC SOCIETY: Annual Display Sun, 24th Oct. in the Pastoral Centre, Cavan at 3pm.

Annual Mass for Deceased Members, and **AGM, Sun 21st Nov. at 2 30pm.** To become an honorary member, please subscribe to Maura Mulvey **087 648 6967**, all monies go to our Missionaries who appreciate your assistance.

BOOKING ANNIVERSARIES MASSES: We have shared mass intentions in all our churches at the weekends, and try to limit these intentions to a maximum of three per Mass. To maintain this arrangement, and ensure preferred date availability, we suggest anniversary Masses be booked well ahead of time. A priest is allowed to accept one mass stipend/donation per day, the shared intentions donations are sent to missionary priests to celebrate extra masses.

WORLD MISSION SUNDAY 23rd/24th OCTOBER: is a time that the faithful of the world to show their appreciation of the overseas missionary work. The generosity offered will be used to support missionary activities in over 1,100 struggling dioceses; mostly in Africa, Asia, and Latin America. You can help. Please donate Four euro by **texting the word 'Mission' to 50300.** Or bring **Mission Sunday Envelopes** to Mass on the Weekend **23rd /24th October.**

VOLUNTEERS REQUIRED: We are grateful for all the volunteers who are actively involved in various ministries in each of our churches in the parish. We ask that if you are not available to fulfil your role on the assigned day/time that you arrange with someone else to cover you. Details of those allotted for a particular weekend are listed in the parish newsletter in advance. We want new people to get involved in the parish. If you would like to be a Collector, Counter, Reader, Eucharistic Minister, or Usher etc. Contact the office on **071 964 4039** or ballinamore@kilmorediocese.ie

COMMUNITY NOTES

AUGHNASHEELIN CHOIR: We are returning to Choir soon, and are welcoming new members. Maybe you moved home during Covid, or are studying at home? Contact Cait **087 212 3703** Aoife **087 097 0148** & Sheila **087 652 7815.**

BALLINAMORE MEN'S SHED TO HOST TABLE QUIZ IN AID OF BALLINAMORE NURSING UNIT- RESIDENTS

COMFORT FUND: Friday 22nd Oct. @ 9:30pm in Smyth's Siopa Ól, Tables of 4, €10 per person, all proceeds will go to the Residents Comfort Fund. Come and exercise the brains, and please support this worthy cause.

PUBLIC MEETING REGARDING AN NAÍONRA & LOLLIPOPS PRESCHOOL SERVICES: 8 pm Thurs 19th Oct. in the Commercial Hotel all who wish to maintain the above services as an Irish or English medium ECCE must attend.

MEDITATION WITH ART: **Thursdays, 7.30 - 8.30 pm.** €10 per week, in the old infant school, Ballinamore. This is a gift to yourself, a little self-care, in changing times. Don't need to be artistic. Drop-in welcome, call Mary **087 290 1913**

SEAN O'HESLINS: Good Luck to the senior ladies in the final against St Joseph's in Cloone. Also best of luck to Sean O'Heslins on Sunday in the Connacht Gold Senior football final against Mohill, in Carrick on Shannon, throw in 15:45pm. Tickets to be purchased online. This game will be live on TG4

BADMINTON (ADULTS) resumes in the Sports Complex every Tuesday 9pm-10pm €3 per person. All welcome

REFLECTION

Not to be served, But to serve.

What we remember most in anyone's life, is not so much what they achieved, but the love in which they lived. Jesus himself is remembered more for his death out of love for all his people than for any great achievements.

He wrote no music or symphony, but shared the song of God's love; he painted no great masterpiece, but showed us we are God's work of art; he wrote no great book, but his words of comfort and love resonate in our joys and

sorrows.

He has shown us what the Son of man is capable of when he lives in the shadows and light of God; and he has shown us what every man and woman can be guided towards.

Sitting at the right and the left of Jesus - that's language he doesn't go for. To live and grow, suffer and struggle in love of self and others, is the way to glory in the sight of God, and this is the only glory worth our effort.