

BALLINAMORE & DRUMREILLY LOWER PARISH NEWSLETTER

14th August 2022

20th Sunday OT

Feast Days: August 15th Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary, August 16th St Stephen of Hungary, 17th Our Lady of Knock, and 20th August St Bernard

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B'more St. Patrick's Church: Sun 11am & 1pm Cemetery, Mon 11am Wed 7pm, Tues, Thurs & Fri 9am, Sat 11am

Sat 13th Aug 11 am Margaret, Patsy McKeon & Gerry McKeon (Aughatowney) and deceased members of the McKeon and Hanley families

Peter Heavey, and Frank, Noreen and Emma Heavey

Sun 14th Aug 11 am Paddy McGarry (St Brigid's Street)

Sun 14th Aug 1 pm **Cemetery Sunday Mass - Blessing of the Graves**

Mon 15th Aug 11 am Feast of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary

Sun 21st Aug 11 am Myles and Maureen McKeon (Camagh)

Marie Fitzgerald and deceased sisters of Mercy

Eucharist Ministers: **14th Aug** Philomena Early, Mary McWeeney, & Aileen Wisely **21st Aug** Michael D'Arcy,

Maeve Sharpley & Noel Dolan **28th Aug** Alice Costello, Raymond McHugh, & Marcella Kiernan

Ministers of the Word: **Aug 14th** Michael Dolan **21st** Marie Sweeney **28th Aug** Thomas Kelly **4th Sep** Silvia Dolan

Door Collectors: **14th August** Felim Maxwell, Dominic McGovern, and John Galligan

21st & 28th Aug Francis McTague, Brendan Brennan, Sean McKeon, and Alan Banks

Aughnasheelin, St. Mary's Church: Fri 7pm, Sat & Mon 15th 8.15pm

Mass Intentions

Sat 13th Aug 8:15 pm Michael and Elizabeth Brady (Unshinagh) and all deceased family members
Margaret and Tom Reynolds (Drumkeen)

Mon 15th Aug 8:15 pm Feast of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary

Johnny Mchugh (Greaglass) John Willie and Anna Gallagher and deceased family members

Fri 19th Aug 7 pm Josie and Brigid, and Seamus McWeeney (Miskawn). Also Joan McWeeney (London) who passed away recently.

John Francis McCabe and all deceased members of the McWeeney and McCabe families

Sat 20th Aug 8:15 pm Joe McCaffrey (Corrabroher)

Frank and Mary Murphy (Drumdarton), also Mary McKeon and all deceased family members

Eucharist Ministers: **13th & 20th** Peter Flynn & Margaret Murphy **29th & 3rd Sep** Seamus Prior & Margaret McTeigue

Ministers of the Word: **August** Liam Prior and John Maguire

Door Collectors: **August** Monica Ward, Mary Bohan & John Pat

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

Corraleehan St. Brigid's Church: Mass Wed 9:30 am, Sat & Mon 15th 7pm

Mass Intentions

Sat 13th Aug 7 pm No Intention

Mon 15th Aug 7 pm Feast of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary

Sat 20th Aug 7 pm No Intention

Eucharist Ministers: **August** Carmel McNiffe and Philomena Dolan

Minister of the Word: **August** Helen McGovern & volunteers required

Door Collectors: **August** Brian Prior and Paddy Dolan

Altar Society: **August** Annie McManus and Ann Prior

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

Aughawillan St Patrick's Church: Sun & Mon 15th 9.45am

Mass Intentions

Sun 14th Aug 9:45 am Michael, Nora and Pat Quinn (Drumcullion)

Michael McTague (Stralohan) **2nd Anniversary**

Mon 15th Aug 9:45 am Feast of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary

Sun 21st Aug 9:45 am Pat, Molly and Frankie Kelly (Glebe) and all deceased family members

Packie McHugh (Boeshill) and deceased members of the McHugh and Maguire families.

Eucharist Ministers: **August** Pat Stringer and Angela Sutherland

Ministers of the Word: **August** Michelle Dolan

Altar Society: **August** Breege McCauley and Marie Quinn

Door Collectors: **August** Pdraig McGovern and Des Quinn

RECENT DEATHS: Pray for the souls Rosaleen (née Kellegher) Gaffney (Dublin & Ballinamore), and Philomena

(Phyllis) Wade Née Gilbride, Florida, sister of the late Michael Gilbride, Drumracken.

May they Rest in Peace

COVID 19 IS STILL HERE: We ask that you wear face masks, and sanitise hands on entering & exiting the church.

BOUGHTERAGH CEMETERY SUNDAY VISITATION AND BLESSING OF GRAVES: Mass will be celebrated in the Cemetery at 1pm followed by the Visitation and Blessing of the Graves. As the hot spell of weather is to continue into Sunday it is advisable to bring drinking water, wear your sun screen, and bring a seat if you think you may need one. You may bring a small bottle of holy water with you for blessing of your grave. **Please co-operate with Traffic Attendants and follow the directions with regard to parking. This is essential to maintain a free flow of traffic.**

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

LEGION OF MARY: all interested in starting up a Legion of Mary call Peggy **087 28876547** or Michael **087 098 3618**

MYSTICISM IN AN AGE OF CALAMITY: Meister Eckhart, John Tauler and Henry Suso-The Priory Institute offers a two week online Summer School from 15th-26th August. Includes eight presentations and two live zoom discussions. Info & Register on prioryinstitute.com, Find out more and register click [here](#), Here is a link [introductory video](#)

STRIDES FOR LIFE: The Irish Cancer Society's, Strides for Life weekly walking programme will start on Thursday September 1st. It is an individual training programme catering for all levels of ability. Organised by Cuan Cancer Support centre in Cavan and delivered by trained volunteers, the programme will empower cancer survivors to get active and to help improve their overall health and well-being. Tea/coffee will be available after each walk. The course is free and family members or friends are welcome. Contact Cuan at **086 455 6632** for more details and to register.

BE THE CHANGE YOU WANT TO SEE: do you want to leave a better world for our children, grandchildren, and future generations? Make a positive difference in your community? Join a vibrant, social group of like-minded people where you can learn more and make new friends? The Diocese of Kilmore are LOOKING for people with a passion for nature, an understanding of the consequences of climate change, and the need to take care of our common home. Please, contact Patricia **0044 772 4050 618** or [email **kilmorecareofcreation21@gmail.com**](mailto:kilmorecareofcreation21@gmail.com) or **049 4331496**

COMMUNITY NOTES

ANNUAL NATIONAL HERITAGE WEEK (THE BUILDING OF A CATHEDRAL): Lecture by Mgr. Liam Kelly, in the Diocesan Pastoral Centre on Tues. 16th August at 7:30p.m. This lecture coincides with the major restoration work being carried out on the Cathedral at this time. Refreshments will be served, and the event is supported by the Heritage Office, Cavan County Council.

BEEKEEPING FOR BIODIVERSITY: by P.J. McLoughlin in Ballinamore Library on **Tuesday 16th August at 8 pm.** P.J. will cover all aspects of beekeeping and the benefits for biodiversity and the environment. All are welcome

BALLINAMORE PARENT & TODDLER GROUP: weekly in Ballinamore Library on Wednesdays 10am-12 pm. free interactive group for parents & babies/toddlers. To find out more, call into the Library or call Laura **086 603 5977**

BALLINAMORE FAMILY FESTIVAL 2022: Congratulations to all involved in this year's Family Festival. The superb entertainment and the variety of activities and the beautiful weather has created a very festive atmosphere which is attracting wonderful crowds and leaving everybody in a happy spirits. Continue to support and enjoy what is left.

THE BALLINAMORE PARKRUN: from the Scouts Den at 9.30 am on Saturday, 5 km run or walk to Corgar and back. It is free to participants, and supervised by Volunteers. Information at: ballinamoregreenway@parkrun.com

INTRODUCTION & PROJECT LAUNCH - BETTER TOGETHER - NÍOS FEARR LE CHÉILE: Launch **Thursday 29th September at 8pm – 9pm at the Island Theatre.** Refreshments served from 9pm. The project themes are: Capacity Building & Social Enterprise, Community Employability Development, Cross Border & Cross Community Schools Programme, Peace Building workshops & discussion groups, Literature – A Bridge across Difference. We are interested in engaging with groups that are interested in peace building and community development in the Border Counties, North and South – RSVP Michael michaelmullin884@gmail.com or **089 4835009.**

QQI LEVEL 5 COMPUTER COURSE – STARTING SEPTEMBER 2022: Mohill Computer Training registering for a **F/T QQI Level 5 computer programme.** This course will help you upskill, gain employment or access third level education. Register now as places are limited. Call **071 9632024** / email margaret@mct.ie for information.

HEART TESTING: at the Nature Trail, MOHILL on Sat. 3rd September. Please note booking is essential. Please contact **071 9631818** or email thenaturetrailshops@gmail.com

FULL-TIME ADULT EDUCATION: September 2022, the Education & Training Centre, Enterprise Centre, Hilly Road, Drumshanbo. QQI Level 5 Business & IT including Bookkeeping & Payroll, Tourism with Business, Traditional Irish Music & Health Nutrition, and Food Science. For information go to www.fetchcourses.ie, www.vtosleirim.ie, Facebook & Twitter @VTOSLeirim, email Seán Bailey @ seanbailey@msletb.ie or call **086-0624200.**

SEAN O'HESLINS MONTHLY DRAW: Tickets are available for this month's draw, support if you can, €550 in prizes, visit club force online or buy tickets from Phillip Farrelly, Murphy's Store & Priors Bar. All support is appreciated.

MNÁ LE CHÉILE BALLINAMORE: If anyone wants to join drop down to the **Pairc SOH Mondays at 7:20 pm.**

REFLECTION - PRAYER FOR VISITING A GRAVE IN A CEMETERY

God of our ancestors, Lord of the living, who visited Jesus within his grave

And filled him with the fullness of eternal life,

Hear our prayer this day, as we come to this burial place.

With reverence, we visit this sacred shrine where our loved ones are placed

Within the womb of the earth, to await the final day of Glory.

Lord, we have come on this pilgrimage of prayer

To keep the flame of love alive within our hearts.

As we read the names upon these grave stones,

We rejoice because those names have been written

For all ages in the palm of your divine hand.