

**PARISH OF BALLINAKILL/DERRYBRIEN**

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**Saturday / Sunday 17 / 18 June 2017 'Feast Of Corpus Christi'**

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**Masses - Ballinakill:**

**Sat.: 17 June: 8pm (A) Pa Spain.**

**Sun.: 18 June: 11am (A) Niamh Monahan.**

**Mon.: 19 June: 9.30am.**

**Tues.: 20 June: 9.30am.**

**Wed.: 21 June: 8pm (A) Denis, Kitty & Michael Daly.**

**Thurs.: 22 June: 9.30am.**

**Fri.: 23 June: 8pm (A) Annie & Tom Callanan.**

**Sat.: 24 June: 8pm (A) May Nevilles.**

**Sun.: 25 June: 11am (A) Con, Maura, Joe & Padraig O'Connor.**

**Masses - Derrybrien:**

**Sun. 18 June: 9.30am (A) Matt & Mary Tully.**

**Fri. 23 June: 7pm.**

**Sun. 25 June: 9.30am (A) Vera Gallagher & Deceased Family Members.**

**Mass Servers:**

**Saturday: Group 5. Sunday: Group 6.**

**Readers:**

**Saturday: Ann Neville. Sunday: Denis O'Connor.**

**Eucharistic Ministers:**

**Saturday: Bernie Dervan. Sunday: Margaret Tuohy.**

**Derrybrien: June: Margaret Slattery.**

**Sunday Collection Teams:**

**Sunday 18 June: Team B. Sunday 25 June: Team C.**

**Lotto No's: 1, 7, 10, 24. Jackpot €6,700. No Jackpot Winner:**

**Next Draw: 17/6 in Walsh's, Woodford. Win/Share €150: Kenneth Hooban, Colm & Margaret Dervan, Rose Keon, Marie Mitchell.**

**Adoration Of The Blessed Sacrament:**

Wednesday 8 – 10pm.

**Cemetery Mass As Follows – All At 8pm:**

**Curra:** Monday 26 June. **Ballinakill:** Tuesday 27 June.

**Derrybrien:** Wednesday 28 June. The usual Cemetery Collection will be taken up for the maintenance of the cemeteries throughout the year.

**Woodford / Looscaun Annual Pioneer Tour To Croke Park:**

Skyline/Park/G.P.O. Thurs. 29 June. Adults €20, Students €15. All welcome. Contact Teresa Ryan/Dermot Moran/Mary Gorman.

**Trad On The Prom Ballinakill Night Out Sunday 25 June All The:**

Tickets have been sold and the buses are full. For those who have booked the buses they will leave from Ballinakill Church grounds at **6.30pm sharp on Sunday Evening:**

**Pope's Collection Will Be Taken Up:**

At all Masses next weekend.

**Drim NS Celebrating Its Centenary Next Year 2018:**

We want to publish a book to celebrate the history of our school. We'd be grateful of any photos, articles, memories, folklore, poetry etc associated with the school and its community. Please spread the word to past pupils, parents, teachers and anyone that was associated with the school. Your co-operation would be greatly appreciated.

**Davitt's Camogie Club 50/50 Lotto: Congratulations Ita Sheil:**

Ballinakill, winner of €320 in this week's Lotto Draw. Next draw Tues. 20 June. Tickets: local shops/pubs/club player. Please support.

**McCormack's Curra Entertainment Sunday 18 June:**

Native 7 – 9pm. All welcome.

**Drim National School Cake Sale Tuesday 20 June @ 12.30pm:**

Your support would be greatly appreciated.

**Congratulations To Drim National School On Winning 5-Aside:**

County Hurling Final in Loughgeorge during the week.

**Annual Pilgrimage Lourdes 23–28 Aug. All Rooms Private Facilities:**

Hotel Mediterranee €709. 5 Nights / Hotel / Full Board. Includes; Insurance / Air Fare / Coach / Hotel. Tel: Society Travel 090 96 45350.

**Horse Riding Callatra Stables Riding Lessons/Forest Rides Available:**

For adults / children of all ages / levels. Children's group lessons start at €15. Tel: Aisling for more info 087 6991204.

**30th Galway Abbey Duniry Scout Group 10th Anniversary We Invite All:**

Who were involved and all in our community who supported us over the years to come along and celebrate with us on Friday 23 June at 6.45pm in Abbey Community Hall.

**Church Gate Collection Sat. 17/Sun. 18 June In Aid Of Daisychain:**

Chernobyl Group. All monies collected goes directly to help pay to have 6 children from Begoml Orphanage in Belarus visit our area for the month of July and to fund activities and clothing while they are with us. Please support.

**Esker Family Fun Day & Dog Show Sunday 18 June At 1pm:**

All welcome. More details [www.redemptoristsesker.ie](http://www.redemptoristsesker.ie) or 091 844007

**Church Gate Collection Ballinakill 25-26 June In Aid Of Portumna Arch:**

Club a newly formed social and friendship club for those with special needs. Portumna Arch Club caters for many parishes in East Galway.

**The Irish Cancer Society's Needs Volunteer Drivers In East Galway To:**

Assist patients in need of transport to appointments. You must have your own car/insurance. All volunteer expenses paid. Commitment for a minimum of two drives a month. More info. Tel: Rebecca 01 2316642 [rlonsdale@irishcancer.ie](mailto:rlonsdale@irishcancer.ie)

**50 Years Of Charismatic Renewal Concert Hall RDS Dublin Sat. 24 June 10am:**

Ending with Mass 6.30pm. 1-day national event Tickets: €20. Speakers: Fr. Pat Collins, C.M./Testimonies Mass Celebrant /Homilist Archbishop Eamon Martin Further information: Sr. Bridget Dunne, Tel: 021-425 1100 Email: [nsc@iol.ie](mailto:nsc@iol.ie) [www.ccrireland.org](http://www.ccrireland.org) Come and celebrate.

**Dyslexia/Literacy Difficulties 1-to-1 Tuition Children/Adults Classes Run:**

Throughout summer. Please Tel: Breda Mahony 086 1604461 for further info.

**Come Home To The Love Of God's Family Lough Derg 3 Day Pilgrimage:**

Until 13 Aug. No need to book. Daily boats to the Island 10.30am - 3pm, 7 days a week. Tel:Maureen/Lorraine 071 9861518. [info@loughderg.org](mailto:info@loughderg.org)

**Getting Citizens Online Courses Loughrea Computers Get Online/Set Up:**

Send emails/be secure online among other useful info. for beginners. 5 weeks 1 evening a week for 2 hrs / free. For further info. please Tel: 091 871732.

**ACCORD Ballinasloe Committed To Providing Professional Counseling:**

Service for individuals and couples who are experiencing difficulties in their marriage and relationships. This confidential service is available and affordable. Tel: 090 9643573 for appointment [ballinasloeaccord@eircom.net](mailto:ballinasloeaccord@eircom.net)

**Seeing Your Life Through The Lens Of The Gospels John 6:51-58:**

1. Jesus tells us that to have life we need more than physical nourishment. How have you been aware of deeper hungers? What has met that deeper longing in you? 2. Jesus tells us that it is not just something he gives us which will give us life, but himself in his life, death and resurrection. How has your faith in the person of Jesus fed you? 3. Jesus speaks about 'drawing life' from him. In day to day living what are the practices which support your faith and help you to draw life from Jesus? 4. The Eucharist is one of the ways in which we draw life from Jesus. Recall with gratitude how the Eucharist has been a source of nourishment and life for you. 5. Perhaps you can also think of human examples of people drawing life from one another. From whom have you drawn life? Who has been able to draw life from you?

**SAFETY ON OUR ROADS:**

A Little Care Makes Accidents Rare. Accidents Bring Tears, Safety Bring Cheers. As A Matter Of Fact, I Don't Own The Road. Be Alert! Accidents Hurt. Be Cautions, Life Is Precious. Do Not Mix Drinking And Driving. Do Not Use Mobile Phone While Driving. Don't Apply Breaks Suddenly; Someone Could Hit You From Behind. Don't Be Rash, Lest You Crash. Don't Get Lost In The Music In Your Car.