

PARISH OF BALLINAKILL/DERRYBRIEN

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Saturday / Sunday 26 / 27 January 2019 '3rd Sunday In Ordinary Time'

Masses - Ballinakill:

Sat.: 26 Jan.: 8pm Month's Mind: Bernie Regan (nee Shiel).
(A) Joe Shiel.

Mon. 28 Jan.: 9.30am.

Tues. 29 Jan.: 9.30am.

Wed. 30 Jan.: 8pm (A) Thomas & Hubert Fahy.

Thurs. 31 Jan.: 9.30am.

Fri. 1 Feb.: 8pm (A) Marion Whyte.

Sat.: 2 Feb.: 12 noon Month's Mind: Dolly Fahy.
8pm (A) Barry Shiel.

Masses - Derrybrien:

Sun. 27 Jan.: 9.30am (A) Paddy & Delia Flynn & Deceased
Family Members.

Fri. 1 Feb.: 7pm.

Sun. 3 Feb.: 9.30am (A) Ned & Ellen Gallagher.

Mass Servers:

Saturday: Group 3.

Readers:

Saturday: Shiel Family.

Eucharistic Ministers:

Saturday: Cepta Rourke & Phil Flynn.

Derrybrien: February: Bernie Egan.

Sunday Collection Teams:

Sunday 27 Jan.: Team B. **Sunday 3 Feb.:** Team C.

Lotto No's: 7, 10, 21, 25. Jackpot €3,200. No Jackpot Winner:

Next Draw: 26/1 in McCormack's, Curra. **Win/Share €150.** Galway Hospice.

Adoration of The Blessed Sacrament In Ballinakill Church 8-9pm:

Wednesdays including Mass. All are welcome.

Mass Times In The Area 2019:

Saturday Evening:

Ballinakill 8pm.

Abbey 7pm.

Woodford 7pm.

Killeen 8pm.

Sunday Morning:

Derrybrien 9.30am.

Duniry 10am.

Looscaun 11am.

Tynagh 11am.

Ballinakill Hall Events:

Wednesday Nights: Pilates 8.45pm. **Thursday Nights:**

Progressive 25 card game 8.30pm. **Friday Nights:** - beginning in
February: Jiving Dancing Lessons 8.10pm. All are welcome. No
partner needed. Tel: Mary 086 3203765, Maura, 087 7942567.

Remembrance Service Portiuncula Hospital Pastoral Care Dept:

For parents who have suffered a bereavement through the death of a
child/miscarriage/stillbirth on Mon. 4 Feb. 7.30pm in Hospital chapel.

First Friday Visits To Sick And Housebound:

Will be made at the usual times on Friday & Saturday mornings.
Anyone unable to get to Mass who would like a visit with the Holy
Communion of the First Friday, please contact Fr. Pat anytime.

Altar Society – February:

Ballinakill: Ballinamona/Callatra/Lisheeny/Baunyknave: **Leaders:**
Teresa Casey & Cepta Rourke. **Derrybrien: Leaders:** Bernie
Glynn & Maura Feely.

Blessing Of Candles For Church & Home Use:

Candles will be blessed in Ballinakill at Saturday Mass and in
Derrybrien at Sunday morning Mass. Church Candles donations
would be appreciated as supply is currently very low.

St. Blaise – Blessing Of Throats:

Blessing of throats will take place at next weekend's Masses.

Annual Lourdes Collection Will Be Taken Up At Next:

Weekend's Masses after Holy Communion. This collection goes
towards helping to bring sick and staff on the Diocesan Pilgrimage
to Lourdes, which this year takes place **15 – 20 August.**

GRD Rural Social Scheme RSS & Tús Information Meetings:

Community Organisations & Projects who are interested in availing of work
& skills of the above for 2019/2020 are invited to attend one of the meetings.
Monday 28 January at the Irish Workhouse, Portumna 8pm. Monday 4
February at Kiltullagh Hall, Athenry. Information & Guidance on renewing
current work and applications from new organisations will also be
considered. Tel: GRD 091 875732 or tusadmin@grd.ie

Atlantic Hearing Service Hearing Clinic In Brogan's Pharmacy:

Loughrea, by appointment. Tel: 087 9622244. Home visits also. Test free of
charge. You can get a Hearing Aid on a trial period.

Gianna Care West Mother & Baby Bank Event Menlo Park Hotel Sat.:

9 Feb. 4-6pm. Pick up free items, meet other Mums and our team. See our
FB and Instagram pages for more detail. Tel: Emma 0879620760.

Chiropody: Mobile Podiatry & Chiropody Service House Calls:

And nursing home visits. Tel: Aine 087-2979172 for appointment.

CCÉ Gaillimh Theas Fortnightly Tune Swap Sundays 11am Orchard:

Centre, Gort 3/17 February. Monthly Session: Tommy O'Donnell's, Sunday
27 January 2.30 pm. Please support! Tel: 087 9445876.

Anam Cara Galway Bereavement Info. Evening Wed. 6 Feb. 7:20pm:

Clayton Hotel, Monivea Rd, Ballybrit. Free event open to all bereaved
parents. As we need to confirm numbers for teas, coffees, etc, please
RSVP to info@anamcara.ie before Tues. 5 Feb. or Tel: 085 2888 888.

Course Vacancies: National Learning Network Athlone – Currently:

Have vacancies on our Vocational Training Programmes. If you are
unemployed/experienced a personal setback/illness/disability and need
support - our specialized programmes may be for you or someone you know.
Qualifications can be gained at your own pace whilst retaining your
existing benefits. Tel: 090 6479293 / 087 2586033

Beginning Experience Weekend 5-7 April For Those Who Have Lost:

A spouse through death, divorce, or separation Esker Retreat Centre
Loughrea, Enquiries Gerry 086 3855090 Maureen 087 6646896

Western Alzheimer's In The Process Of Setting Up A New Befriending:

Service for people with dementia in Galway city/Co. to support them at the
early/late stages. Meeting: Menlo Park Hotel Galway Wed. 30 Jan. 11am-
1pm. 2-3 hrs in the week. Full training/induction. Tel: 091 565193.

Fit4Life Continues Every Week At The Clubhouse 10am Sat. Morning:

Suitable for all ages/abilities and [Get Ireland Walking/Healthy Ireland](#) every
Thurs. 7-8pm on Floodlit Track on GAA Pitch. Healthy Community initiative
for everyone to participate in at their own pace so come along & enjoy.

Retrouvaille – A Lifeline For Married Couples – Do You Want To:

Improve the communication with your spouse? This programme can help
marriages at all stages, 8-10 Feb. Info. Tel: Tony/Anne 01 4953536, Mike
/Anne 01450 0922, text/call 086 4135440, email info@retrouvaille.ie

St. Brendan's Education Centre March Tourism QQ1 Level 5:

If we get sufficient numbers we will run a Full Level 6 Childcare also. Tel:
091 841387. freda.murphy@gretb.ie / john.melville@gretb.ie

Seeing Your Life Through The Lens Of The Gospels Luke 1:1-4, 14-21:

1. The scene in the synagogue marks the launch of the public ministry of
Jesus in Luke. Read the quotation from Isaiah slowly. Reflect on each line
carefully. Which of these images captures something of what Jesus and his
message has meant for you? 2. Jesus was filled with the Spirit and sent. He
came bursting with a message to communicate. When have you had the
experience of being enthused by something in that way? Who have been the
people you met who had that kind of enthusiasm? 3. His message was
addressed to those who were poor, oppressed, blind, or captives. Who are
these today? In what ways have you been, or are you, among these? How
has the message of Jesus been good news for you, freed you, given you new
sight, or revealed God's favour to you. 4. The message Jesus had was one of
liberation and he told his listeners that it was being fulfilled even as they listened.
It is being fulfilled even as we hear it now. If this does not resonate with you
right now, when has the gospel given you an experience of liberation?