

PARISH OF BALLINAKILL/DERRYBRIEN

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Saturday / Sunday 1 / 2 June 2019 'Feast Of The Ascension Of The Lord'

Masses - Ballinakill:

Sat. 1 June: 8pm (A) Michael Kenny, Patrick & Bridget Kenny.

Mon. 3 June: 9.30am.

Tues. 4 June: 9.30am.

Wed. 5 June: 8pm (A) Pat Joe & Eva Tuohy.

Thurs. 6 June: 9.30am.

Fri. 7 June: 8pm (A) Larry & Lena Rourke, Joe Rourke & Katie Fitzpatrick

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

Masses - Derrybrien:

Sun. 2 June: 9.30am (A) May & Joe Cunningham, Johnny Leonard.

Fri. 7 June: No Mass.

Sun. 9 June: 9.30am (A) Mary Tully.

Mass Servers:

Saturday: Group 3.

Readers:

Saturday: Adam Spain.

Eucharistic Ministers:

Saturday: Cepta Rourke & Phil Flynn.

Derrybrien: June: Margaret Slattery.

Sunday Collection Teams:

Sunday 2 June: Team D. **Sunday 9 June:** Team A.

Lotto No's: 9, 11, 14, 24. Jackpot €5,000. No Jackpot Winner:

Next Draw: 1/6 in McCormack's, Curra. **Win/Share €150:** Mick Fahy, Darragh Egan, Ian Fahy, Padraig Loughrey.

Trócaire Boxes – To Be Returned:

As **soon** as possible.

Sincere Sympathy To The Family & Friends Of Bridie Daly:

Formerly Duggan – our oldest known parishioner in U.S.A. aged 108 years. May she rest in peace.

Visits To The Sick And Housebound Will Be Made:

Next Friday & Saturday at the usual times.

Annual Cemetery Masses:

Monday 24 June: Curra. **Tuesday 25 June:** Ballinakill.

Wednesday 26 June: Derrybrien.

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

Wednesdays including Mass. All are welcome.

Priests' Summer Collection Will Be Taken Up At All Masses:

This weekend.

Farm Plastic Collection At Gort Mart Tuesday 4 June:

From 9am to 5pm. (Collector: VK Agri Recycling.)

McCormack's Bar Entertainment June Bank Holiday:

Sunday music by The Wiseguy 8-10pm. Everyone Welcome.

Coffee Evening Friday 14 June 4-10pm For East Galway &:

Midland Cancer Support at the home of Mary Muldoon Kill Kiltormer. Please support this worthy cause.

Ballinasloe & District Annual 3 Day Pilgrimage To Lough Derg:

Takes place Friday 21 to Sunday 23 June. Adults in good health welcome to participate. For more details including bus travel option. Please Tel: John 086 8600987 / Fr. Bernie 087 2396208.

Esker Annual Novena Tuesday 4 – Wednesday 12 June Daily:

8am/10am/4pm/6pm/8pm/10pm. Saturday 8 June Mass/anointing of the sick 12 noon. Sunday 9 June Blessing of children at all sessions. www.redemptoristsesker.ie

Foyer Of Light/Charity/Love 5 Day Silent Retreat: Theme:

"If you but knew the gift of God..." Fr. Kilian Byrne Esker Retreat Centre 8-14 July €380 full board. **Contact:** Helen: 086 1678027. www.foyerofcharity.ie
A privileged time to come away from noise/distractions/listen to the Spirit of God, - Who is Love. Silence/prayer/teachings/liturgy of the Church.

Medjugorje Conference/Day of Prayer Sr. Briege McKenna Sat. 31 Aug.:

Neptune Stadium, Cork. Tickets €20 from Eventbrite.ie All tickets purchased inc. in entry to draw for free pilgrimage to Medjugorje from Cork/Dublin. Booking fees apply. Tel: Sean O'Shaughnessy 0862959380.

Accessibility Ballinasloe Sports Ability Day Sunday 9 June 11am- 2pm:

In the Emerald Ballroom & Fairgreen. This is a free event and we welcome everyone to come along and participate in the various activities.

30th Galway Abbey/Duniry Scouts In Conjunction With The Larry Duane:

Memorial Vintage Run. Annual Family Fun Day Sun. 2 June 12-5pm Tynagh Pitch. Hurling/camoige/BBQ/music; Coen Family/face painting/ bouncy castles. Free admission.

Kayaking For Beginners Learn To Kayak In A Fun/Friendly Atmosphere:

No previous experience required. All equipment supplied. Begins Sunday 9 June meelickeyrekayakclub@gmail.com Tel: 087 2462380.

Looking For Host Families For A Group Of Spanish Students Who Will:

Attend school in Loughrea 28 June-26 July aged 10-17 yrs. Tel: Maura 087/2902708. maurawinters@givova.ie

EG Family History Society In Conjunction With GRET Community Ed.:

Free course on Digital Photography, Woodford Heritage Centre in the coming weeks. Tel: 090 9749309. eastgalwayfamilyhistory@gmail.com

St. Patrick's College Maynooth Conference The Childhood In Our Midst:

7/8 June. Keynote speaker; Annemie Dillen, KULeaven. We have a number of Plenary & Workshop sessions on topics as Children/Spirituality of Motherhood/Children's Rights/Catholic Faith. Info: www.eventbrite.ie

Dublin Medjugorje Pilgrimage For Youth Festival Aug. Bank Holiday:

Ex Dublin €725 pps/7 nights. You can pay in instalments Tel: James Treacy 061-921470/Joe Walsh Tours 01 - 2410800. **Pilgrimage; Holy Land** 31 Oct./8 nights; Bethlehem/Jerusalem Mount Tabor/Cana/Nazareth/Jericho /River Jordan/Dead Sea/Sea of Galilee. Tel: James Treacy 086 057 2216.

The Ray Of Sunshine Co Clare Based Charity Looking For Volunteers:

For building projects in Kenya. All work totally voluntary. We have completed 2 Rescue Homes for young boys/girls who were used in the sex trafficking industry. We are travelling to Mombasa **Jan. 2020** to build classrooms.

A Blessing For Students Taking Exams:

God loves us and sustains us. Let us ask for his blessing, praying that he will renew and support us with his strength.

Everlasting God, pour out your Spirit of wisdom on these students.

Response; Lord, give us your blessing.

Help them to remain calm and to attend carefully to the questions asked. Help them to think clearly, to remember accurately, and to express themselves well.

Response; Lord, give us your blessing.

May they reflect the best of the work they have done, and the best of the teaching they have received.

Response; Lord, give us your blessing.

May your love be upon them O Lord, as they place all their trust in you.

Response; Lord, give us your blessing.

Lord, let the effect of your blessing remain with your faithful people to give them new life and strength of spirit, so that the power of your love will enable them to accomplish what is right and good.

Through Christ our Lord. **Amen.**