

BALYNA PARISH  
NEWSLETTER

11<sup>th</sup> October, 2009

**Twenty-Eighth Sunday in  
Ordinary Time**

(Day of Prayer for Emigrants)

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*The Parish Newsletter is published at the  
Parish Office in Broadford. It is a  
Community Resource. Therefore, all  
parishioners are welcome to submit items.  
Items must be submitted before 12.00 noon  
on Thursday.*

**MASS SCHEDULE  
JOHNSTOWNBRIDGE CHURCH**

Sunday 10.00 am  
Thursday 10.00 am

**CLOGHERINKOE CHURCH**

Saturday 7.30 pm  
Wednesday 10.00 am

**BROADFORD CHURCH**

Sunday 11.30am  
Tuesday 10.00 am  
Friday 7.30pm.

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**ANNIVERSARY MASS LIST.**

**Clogherinkoe Church:**

**Saturday, 10<sup>th</sup> October at 7.30 p.m.:**  
Patrick Carty, Rahin.

**Johnstownbridge Church:**

**Sunday, 11<sup>th</sup> October at 10.00 a.m.:**  
Richard Bourke, Johnstownbridge.

**Broadford Church:**

**Sunday, 11<sup>th</sup> October at 11.30 a.m.:**  
James Kelleher, Ballinlig.

**ANNIVERSARY MASSES FOR  
NEXT WEEKEND:**

**Clogherinkoe Church:**

**Saturday, 17<sup>th</sup> October at 7.30p.m.:**  
Brendan and Geraldine McNevin,  
Ballinakill.

**Johnstownbridge Church:**

**Sunday, 18<sup>th</sup> October at 10.00 a.m.:**  
Margaret Devine, Kilmurray.

**Broadford Church:**

**Sunday, 18<sup>th</sup> October at 11.30 a.m.:**  
Ned Fox, Ballinlig (13<sup>th</sup> Anniversary).  
Michael Cusack.

Elizabeth Gorman, Cadamstown. (Third  
Anniversary).

**Friday, 23<sup>rd</sup> October at 7.30p.m.:**

Jim, Mary, Sheamus, Lily and Gerard  
Loughrey, Clonuff.

**Last Weekend's Collections:**

Broadford: €469.50.

Clogherinkoe: €218.42.

Johnstownbridge: €315.03.

White Envelopes: €550.03.

**Weekly Holy Hour of Adoration of  
the Blessed Sacrament:**

Beginning next Friday, 9<sup>th</sup> October, there will be  
exposition of the Blessed Sacrament in  
Broadford Church from 6.30p.m. to  
7.30p.m. i.e. the hour before Mass.

**Autumn Dues Collection:** Thank you  
to all who contributed to the Autumn  
Dues Collection for the priest of the  
parish.

**Propagation of the Faith :** The  
collection for the Propagation of the  
Faith will be taken up at all masses next

weekend. Please use the purple  
envelope supplied in your box of  
envelopes.

**Balyna Parish Website:** Please visit  
our new Parish Website at  
[www.balynaparish.ie](http://www.balynaparish.ie) which was  
launched on Friday last.

**Baptisms:** The next Baptism Ceremony  
will take place on Sunday, 1<sup>st</sup>  
November after 10.00a.m. Mass in  
Johnstownbridge Church.

**Sunday Night Dancing:** Dancing  
every Sunday night in The Hamlet  
Court Hotel from 9.30 p.m. to 12  
midnight. Admission: €10.00. Music  
this Sunday, 11<sup>th</sup> October by Michael  
and Breege.

**Progressive 25 Card Game:** The  
Progressive 25s in aid of Senior Citizens  
takes place every Monday night in the  
Hamlet Court Hotel, Johnstownbridge  
at 9.15p.m. Refreshments served.

**Irish Catholic:** The Irish Catholic  
newspaper is on sale in all the sacristies  
at €1.30 per copy.

**Clogherinkoe N.S. Progressive 25  
Card Game:** The weekly card game  
continues every Tuesday night in  
Clogherinkoe N.S. at 8.30p.m

**Broadford N.S. Progressive 25 Card  
Game:** The weekly card game  
continues every Thursday night in  
Broadford N.S. at 8.30p.m.

**Swine Flu:** In compliance with  
diocesan recommendations all churches  
in Balyna Parish will now have  
antibacterial hand washes available: a)  
In the church porches for all members  
of the congregation, b) In the sacristies  
for priest(s), sacristans and servers. c) In  
the sanctuaries for Eucharistic  
Ministers.

**Used Mobile Phone Appeal:** To  
benefit Clocha Rince N.S. and The Jack  
and Jill Foundation please drop any  
unwanted mobile phones to the School

Office. The school will benefit in the  
form of an interactive whiteboard.

**Come and See:** An information  
afternoon will take place in the Church  
of the Irish Martyrs, Naas from 2.30pm  
to 5pm on Sunday, 22<sup>nd</sup> November for  
men interested in learning more about  
the path to priesthood in this diocese.

**Community Library:** The Community  
Library in Clogherinkoe N. S. will be  
open Monday to Friday: 9am to  
10.30a.m. and 2p.m. to 3.30p.m.  
Saturday: 6.45p.m. to 7.30p.m.

**Clogherinkoe G.A.A. Lotto:** Numbers  
drawn: 15, 19, 22, 23. No winner. No  
Match 3. Four winners of €50 each.  
Next draw in Broadford House.  
Jackpot: €1,900.

**Thank You:** The friends of St.  
Brigid's Hospice, The Curragh would  
like to thank most sincerely those who  
supported their recent Coffee Morning.  
The amount raised was €974.00.

**Enfield Halloween Street Fest:**  
Saturday, 17<sup>th</sup> October from 1 to 6 p.m.  
Music and Entertainment, Treasure  
Hunt, Fancy Dress, Face Painting, Art  
Competition with cash prizes, Kildare  
and Meath players appearance and  
much more. Enfield as you have never  
seen it before!

**Motor Bike Run:** In aid of BBC Utd.,  
on Sunday, 11<sup>th</sup> October meeting at  
Broadford House at 12noon. Mini  
auction, music and refreshments from  
3p.m.

**Church Gate Collection:** A church  
gate collection in aid of The Irish  
Wheelchair Association will be taken  
up on the weekend of 17<sup>th</sup> and 18<sup>th</sup>  
October.

**Scoil Mhuire, Trim:** The management  
and staff of Scoil Mhuire invite 5<sup>th</sup> and  
6<sup>th</sup> class primary school girls and their  
parents/guardians to an open evening in  
the school on Tuesday, 20<sup>th</sup> October,  
2009 from 7p.m. to 9p.m.