

BALYNA PARISH
NEWSLETTER

4th October, 2009

**Twenty-Seventh Sunday in
Ordinary Time**

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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, 3rd October at 7.30 p.m.:
Not Booked.

Johnstownbridge Church:

Sunday, 4th October at 10.00 a.m.:
Maureen Casey, Martinstown. (8th
Anniversary).

Broadford Church:

Sunday, 4th October at 11.30 a.m.:
Bridget Swan.

Fr. Barry O'Connell.

Tuesday, 6th October at 10.00a.m.:

Denis and Mary Kavanagh, Royal Oak
and their sons Dermot and Louis.

Recent Death: Tadhg Downey,
Kilbrook, Enfield (Father of Geraldine
Mooney, Kilmore) who was interred in
Cloncurry Cemetery on Friday, 2nd
October.

**ANNIVERSARY MASSES FOR
NEXT WEEKEND:**

Clogherinkoe Church:

Saturday, 10th October at 7.30p.m.:
Patrick Carty, Rahin.

Johnstownbridge Church:

Sunday, 11th October at 10.00 a.m.:
Not Booked.

Broadford Church:

Sunday, 11th October at 11.30 a.m.:
James Kelleher, Ballinlig.

Last Weekend's Collections:

Broadford: €326.69.

Clogherinkoe: €181.67.

Johnstownbridge: €236.94.

White Envelopes: €853.00.

Autumn Dues Collection:

The
Autumn Dues Collection for the priest
of the parish will be taken up this
weekend. Please use the yellow
envelope provided in your box of
envelopes.

Confirmation 2010: Confirmation
2010 will be celebrated in Broadford
Church on Pentecost Sunday, 23rd May
at 2p.m. Fr. Breen will administer the
Sacrament.

Welcome: The Christian Community of
Balyna Parish welcomes the following
babies who were baptised recently;
Katie Bridget Malone, Ciarán Gerard
O'Grady, Conn Maitiú Kavanagh.

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

"Do This in Memory": The launch
of The "Do This In Memory"
programme for First Holy Communion
children in Balyna Parish will take place
in Broadford N.S. on Tuesday, 6th
October at 8p.m. All parents of children
receiving their First Holy Communion
in 2010 are requested to attend.

Clogherinkoe Church: Following a
meeting with the Architect, Richard
Barnwall, it has been decided that
renovation works on Clogherinkoe
Church will not now commence until
after Easter 2010.

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, 4th October by Bayridge.

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 is on
sale in all the sacristies at €1.30 each.

Pat Farrell Retirement Celebration:

A celebration night will take place in
the Hamlet Court Hotel on Saturday
10th Oct., 2009 at 8p.m. to mark the
retirement of the former Principal, Mr.
Pat Farrell. For more information
contact Broadford School at
046/9551323.

Enfield Revue Society: Enrolment
for all cast members (Dancers, Solo,
Comedy) wishing to take part in "Revue
2010" will take place in The Hamlet

Court Hotel, on Sunday, 4th October
from 2 to 4p.m. Members must be 14
years old by 1st January, 2010.

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

Important Meeting: A Representative
of the Ambulance Service will attend a
meeting in Clogherinkoe N.S. on
Thursday, 8th October at 8pm. This is a
very important meeting as it will clarify
matters regarding the First Responders.
The meeting is open to all members of
the community whether you are a First
Responder or not. Please, if at all
possible come along to this meeting as
it is to the long term benefit of the entire
community.

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.

First Responders: Refresher Training
will take place in Johnstownbridge
G.A.A. on Tues., 6th and Wed., 7th
October, at 8p.m. For details please
contact B.R.E.D.A. Office at 9541941.

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.

Lunch Club: The Lunch Club was an
idea from the Older Peoples Forum held
in July. The first Lunch Club will meet
on Tuesday, 6th October in The Hamlet
Court at 12.30p.m. A three course
meal will be on offer for €7.50.
Unfortunately there is no funding so
people will have to provide their own
transport and pay for their meal.