

BALYNA PARISH
NEWSLETTER

7th February 2010

Fifth 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, 6th February at 7.30p.m.:

Patrick and Kathleen McEvoy, Kiltrathmurray.

Patrick Mooney and Thomas and Catherine Rafferty, Rahin.

Garreth and Mary Hickey, Ballygibbon and deceased members of The Hickey Family.

Johnstownbridge Church:

Sunday, 7th February at 10.00 a.m.:

Agnes McNamara (Month's Mind) and John McNamara, Balyna.

Broadford Church:

Sunday, 7th February at 11.30 a.m.:

Margaret and Stephen Kavanagh, Moyvalley and their sons James and Tom.

William and Angela Sutton, Caulfield.

Mark Lynch, Ballinakill.

John and Bridie Malone, Ballinadrimna.

Friday, 12th February at 7.30p.m.:

Mass requested by the Malone family for all who supported them during the time of their recent bereavement.

Brigid Fox, Ballinlig.

ANNIVERSARY MASSES FOR

NEXT WEEKEND:

Clogherinkoe Church:

Saturday, 13th February at 7.30p.m.:

Stephen and Mary Brigid O'Toole and their daughter Mary, Kishavanna.

Matt and Pattie Meleady, Rahan.

Peggy Coyne, Carrick.

Johnstownbridge Church:

Sunday, 14th February at 10.00 a.m.:

Kathleen Farrell, Johnstownbridge and her son Jim Farrell.

Broadford Church:

Sunday, 14th February at 11.30 a.m.:

Not Booked.

Friday, 19th February at 7.30p.m.:

Bridie Flood, Ballinadrimna.

Last Weekend's Collections:

Broadford: €379.58.

Clogherinkoe: €303.40.

Johnstownbridge: €264.78.

White Envelopes: €574.40.

Baptisms: The next Baptism Ceremony will take place on Sunday, 7th March after the 10.00a.m. Mass in Johnstownbridge Church.

Welcome: The Christian Community in Balyna parish welcomes the following babies who were baptised recently: Seodhla Meadhb O'Donnell, Aidan Paul Ryan, Cian Arron Fox, Grace Aoibhinn Gallagher.

Ash Wednesday: Wednesday, 17th February will be Ash Wednesday the beginning of Lent. It is a day of fast and abstinence. Blessed Ashes will be distributed at 10.00a.m. Mass in Clogherinkoe Church and 7.30p.m. Mass in Broadford Church

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

Entrusted with the Word: A course for new readers will be held on March 6th from 10 a.m. to 3.30 p.m. at Aras Bhride, Co. Kildare. To book a place on this course please contact the Parish Office before March 1st.

Update on Clogherinkoe Church:

Tenders for the works at Clogherinkoe Church are due back to the Architect on 10th February.

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, 7th February by Black Lace. Proceeds this Sunday to the Haiti Fund.

Clogherinkoe GAA Lotto: Numbers drawn: 7, 9, 15, 24. No winner. 2 Match 3. Next draw in the Clubhouse. Jackpot: €4,400.

Cadamstown Hall: Invitation to Tender (General Building Contractors). Expressions of interest are invited from suitably qualified, competent

contractors who wish to be included on a select tender list for the demolition of existing facilities and the construction of a modest single storey community sports hall and associated site works.

Applicants must confirm C2 tax requirements, membership of the CIF Pension/Sick Pay Scheme, include details of public and employers liability insurance and experience to act as Project Supervisor (Construction) under the Safety, Health and Welfare at Work Act. 2005/Regulations 2006. Existing playing pitches may be in use during works and experience of working within occupied facilities should be documented. Please submit relevant references.

Expressions of interest must be returned by post to Quinn Barnwall Buggy, Bloomfield House, Bloomfield Avenue, South Circular Road, Dublin 8 or by email to reception@quinnbarnwall.ie before 12 noon Friday, 12th February, 2010.

Broadford N. S. Progressive 25s:

8 games: Seamus Cusack. 6 games: Noranne Callagy, Tom Wrynn, teddy Duffy, Johnny Flood, Micheal Kelleher, Paddy Loughrey. Last game: Jimmy Mooney. Raffle: Christy Farrell, Monica Morgan, Pat Byrne.

Johnstownbridge Camogie and G.F.

C. Lotto Results: Numbers drawn: 7, 11, 15, 19. No Jackpot Winner. 6 Match 3. New Jackpot: €3,700

Church Gate Collection: Self help Africa will hold a Church Gate Collection in this parish on the weekend of 13th and 14th February. The funds collected are invested in cost effective ways to continue the implementations of their development programmes amongst some of Africa's poorest communities.