## **BALYNA PARISH NEWSLETTER**

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Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time.

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#### PARISH OFFICE OPENING HOURS

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## PARISH NEWSLETTER

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## 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 1<sup>st</sup> July at 7.30p.m.: Kevin and Eilis Hoev, Kinnefad and their grandson Paul. Johnstownbridge Church: Sunday 2<sup>nd</sup> July at 10.00am: Not booked. **Broadford Church:** Sunday 2<sup>nd</sup> July at 11.30am: William Swan. Paddy and Derek Maguire. Bertie Eivers, Moyvalley (Twenty First Anniversary). Lucy Lawless. Paddy Foran. Phyllis Ouinn, Kilglass (Seventeenth Anniversary). Rosie and Joe Kavanagh, Clonuff and their sons Jim and Ger. Noel Sutton, Garrisker and the deceased members of the Sutton and Egan families. Ellen Sutton, Caulfield and Kathleen Gaffey (Nee Sutton). William and Margaret Beegan, Ballyonan and their sons Paddy and Liam and their daughter in law Mary. Kit and Alice Foran. Friday 7<sup>th</sup> July at 7.30pm: Joseph Sherwood, Grange (Ninth Anniversary). ANNIVERSARY MASSES FOR NEXT WEEKEND: **Clogherinkoe Church:** Saturday 8<sup>th</sup> July at 7.30 pm: Carmel Tyrrell. Peter and Mary Malone, Balrennett. Kevin Conlan, Clonmullen, Edenderry and formerly of Rathfarnham and Balindoolin. (First Anniversary). Johnstownbridge Church: Sunday 9<sup>th</sup> July at 10.00am: Dick and Lucy O'Brien, Kilmore. Andy O'Brien, Thomastown. **Broadford Church:**

Sunday 9<sup>th</sup> July at 11.30am: Not booked.

# Friday 14<sup>th</sup> July at 7.30pm:

Johnny Corrigan, Broadford (Twenty Fifth Anniversary).

Michael and Brigid Dixon, Broadford. **First Friday:** Friday, 7<sup>th</sup> July will be the First Friday of the month. Communion visits will be made to the sick and housebound of the parish. Benediction at 7.15 p.m. in Broadford Church followed by Mass at 7.30 p.m. Adoration will be in Broadford and Johnstownbridge Churches at the usual times. **Baptisms:** The next Baptism Ceremony will be in Broadford Church on Sunday, 6<sup>th</sup> August after the 11.30am mass.

<u>The Irish Catholic</u>: The Irish Catholic Newspaper is on sale in the sacristies of the three churches.

**WMOF Diocesan Parish Picnic:** Bishop Denis invites families and extended families to join him for a family picnic in Punchestown on Sunday 27<sup>th</sup> August from 1 to 6pm. Official opening at 3pm. Admission free. Bring your own picnic. A great afternoon of entertainment and fun is being planned so save the date and get your extended family to save it too!

**Vocations:** "Whoever finds his life will lose it and whoever loses his life for my sake will find it.." Could God be calling you to follow after him in this life and into the next? Contact Fr. Ruairi O'Domhnaill at vocations@Kandle.ie,www.kandlepriest.com **Parish Income and Expenditure Report:** The Balyna Parish Income and Expenditure Report for 2016 is posted on the Notice Boards in three churches and in the Parish Office.

**Lourdes Fund Benefit Night:** A Benefit Night in aid of the Lourdes Fund will be hekld in Broadford House on Saturday 8<sup>th</sup> July. Music by Christy McNally. All support greatly appreciated.

**<u>Clogherinkoe GAA Lotto</u>**: Numbers drawn 16, 17, 18, 22. No winner. 2 match 3. Next draw in The Clubhouse. Jackpot: €2,000.

# <u>Clogherinkoe GFC Summer Coaching</u>: Free Saturday morning coaching for children aged 4 to 12 years starting 1<sup>st</sup> July and continuing 8<sup>th</sup>, 15<sup>th</sup> and 22<sup>nd</sup> from 10am to 11.30am. For more information please contact 0851254304.

<u>Mike Denver</u>: The hugely popular Mike Denver is coming to The Astro Turf Hall, Clogherinkoe on August  $19^{\text{th}}$ . Tickets:  $\notin 20$ available from Clubhouse and members. Doors open at 9pm. Support act before and disco after main act. Please purchase you tickets early to avoid disappointment.

**Johnstownbridge** Church Organ: The organ in Johnstownbridge Church needs to be replaced. We are currently seeking quotations for a new one. The purchase of the organ is going to put a considerable cost on the Parish. If you would like to make a donation towards the new organ it would be greatly appreciated. The amount donated so far is  $\notin$ 600.

Annual Fete: The Annual Fete at St. Raphael's, Celbridge will take place this Sunday 2<sup>nd</sup> July. All support greatly appreciated.

**Evening Vigil:** The South Meath Evening Vigil to Knock will take place on Friday 7<sup>th</sup> July. Bus leaving Longwood at 4pm and returning at approx.. 2.30am. Fare:  $\notin$ 20. Please book your seat before 4<sup>th</sup> July by contacting Jean at 9555286 or Maureen at 9551121.

<u>Clothes Collection:</u> If you have clean wearable clothes for recycling please contact Broadford Residents Committee: Paddy at 0894147869 or Mary at 0852442429. This is to collect funds for a future project.

**Youth 2000 Summer Festival:** The Festival for young people aged 16 to 35 will take place in Cistercian College, Roscrea from 17<sup>th</sup> to 20<sup>th</sup> August. For more information see www.youth2000.ie.