BALYNA PARISH NEWSLETTER

22nd October, 2017

Twenty-Ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time Mission Sunday

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PARISH OFFICE OPENING HOURS

Monday to Thursday 10 am − 1 pm

Child Safeguarding Representatives

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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.

Visit Kildare & Leighlin Diocesan Website www.kandle.ie

World Meeting of Families Websites

www.worldmeeting2018.ie

www.amoris.ie

ANNIVERSARY MASS LIST:

Clogherinkoe Church:

Saturday 21st October at 7.30p.m.:

Charlie and Julia Sherwood, Carrick and the deceased members of the Sherwood family.

Maurice Briens and Nanny Kate Kennedy, Ballycowan.

Johnstownbridge Church:

Sunday 22nd October at 10.00am:

Carmel and Madeline Bourke and the deceased members of the Bourke family, Cadamstown.

Broadford Church:

Sunday 22nd October at 11.30am:

Vincent Fox, Cornamuckla (First Anniversary).

James and Elizabeth Gorman, Cadamstown.

Edward Fox, Ballinlig (Twenty First Anniversary).

Friday 27th October at 7.30pm.:

William and Mary Foran, Royal Oak and the deceased members of the Foran and Murray families.

ANNIVERSARY MASSES FOR

NEXT WEEKEND:

Clogherinkoe Church:

Saturday 28th October at 7.30 pm: Not booked.

Johnstownbridge Church:

Sunday 29th October at 10.00am: Not booked.

Broadford Church:

Sunday 29th October at 11.30am: Paul Ryan, Kilrathmurray.

Friday 3rd November at 7.30pm.:

Michael and Annie Leonard, Ballinakill. Andy, Margaret and Mary Newman.

Recent Deaths: Maura Maguire, Garrisker who was interred in Broadford Cemetery on Thursday 19th October. Gerry Golden, Ballymote, Co. Sligo. (Brother of Vera Hillen, Bridgewell, Johnstownbridge) who was interred in St. Columba's Cemetery on Friday 20th October.

Mass of the Angels: It is now 50 years since the tragic death of the two children, Colette and Seamus Bergin of Tandragee. A special Mass of the Angels will be celebrated in their memory in Broadford Church on this Sunday 22nd October at 2pm. All families who have lost children are welcome to attend.

Baptisms: The next Baptism Ceremony will be in Broadford Church on Sunday, 5th November after the 11.30am Mass.

<u>Propagation of The Faith Collection</u>: This collection for the Missions will be taken up this weekend.

First Holy Communion and Confirmation Preparation: Childrens preparation for First Holy Communion and Confirmation continues at masses this weekend. As Sunday is Mission Sunday the theme of the masses will be Mission and World Meeting of Families.

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

Confirmation 2018: Confirmation for the children of all the schools of Balyna Parish will be on Thursday 22nd February, 2018. There will be two ceremonies, one at 11am for the children of Clocha Rince N.S. and one at 2p.m. for the children of Broadford N.S. and Johnstownbridge N.S.. Bishop Denis Nulty will administer the sacrament.

Balyna Foróige: The club will hold a Bake Sale in the main function room, O'Neills, Johnstownbridge on Sunday

29th October. All are welcome to come along and talk to the members about the club.

First Holy Communion 2018: The children of Clogherinkoe N.S. will receive their First Holy Communion in Clogherinkoe Church on Saturday 12th May at 11.00 a.m. The children of Johnstownbridge N.S. will receive their First Holy Communion in Johnstownbridge Church on Saturday 19th May at 11.00 a.m The children of Broadford N.S. and Cadamstown N.S. will receive their First Holy Communion in Broadford Church on Saturday, 26thMay at 11.00 a.m.

Johnstownbridge Church Organ: The new organ will cost €7,750. If you would like to make a donation towards the new organ it would be greatly appreciated. The amount donated/collected so far is €4,381.80.

Clogherinkoe GAA Lotto: Numbers drawn 4, 5, 18, 24. No match 3. 4 names drawn. Next draw in Fureys. Jackpot: € 3,600.

<u>Balyna Annual 2017</u>: You are invited to submit items for this year's annual as soon as possible to <u>balynaannual@gmail.com</u>.

Thank You: Thank you to all who contributed to The Irish Wheelchair Association. The amount collected in Clogherinkoe was €145.00.

Clocha Rince N.S. Progressive 25s: The Progressive 25's are held every Tuesday night in the school at 8.30pm. The card game is a fundraiser for the school and all support is greatly appreciated.

<u>Coláiste Clavin, Longwood:</u> Open night for 5th and 6th Class students, Monday 23rd October from 7.30pm to 9.30pm.