BALYNA PARISH NEWSLETTER

22nd April, 2018 Fourth Sunday of Easter. (Day of Prayer for Vocations).

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PARISH OFFICE OPENING HOURS

Monday to Thursday 10 am - 1 pm

Child Safeguarding Representatives

Patricia Mooney, Marian O' Gorman, Marie McCabe, Rose Miggan, Evelyn Bonner & Chris Barea

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PARISH NEWSLETTER

Items for the Newsletter 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 April at 7.30 pm:

Pat Kane, Balrennett.

Johnstownbridge Church:

Sunday 22nd April at 10.00am:

Bill O'Brien, Dunfierth Park (Second Anniversary).

Broadford Church:

Sunday 22nd April at 11.30am:

John and Josie Farrell, Rahin.

ANNIVERSARY MASSES FOR

NEXT WEEKEND:

Clogherinkoe Church:

Saturday 28th April at 7.30 pm:

Mary McEvoy, Clogherinkoe.

Maggie and Paddy Delaney.

Johnstownbridge Church:

Sunday 29th April at 10.00am:

Catherine O'Connor, Thomastown. (Month's Mind).

Mary, Edward and James Miggan, Johnstownbridge.

Broadford Church:

Sunday 29th April at 11.30am.:

Nancy Farrell, Ballinakill.

Recent Deaths: Patrick Jones, Seventh Lock, Killeen Rd., Dublin 10 (Husband of Maureen nee Canning formerly of Kilrathmurray) who was interred in Broadford Cemetery on Thursday 19th April.

James Moore, Woodview, Clogherinkoe who died recently.

Supporting The Culture of Life:

Copies of a Pastoral Message from Bishop Denis Nulty regarding the upcoming Referendum are available at the back of the three churches.

Icon of The Holy Family: The Icon of The Holy Family, recently blessed by Pope Francis, is visiting some parishes in the Diocese. Please see the KANDLE website for more information.

Mass Cards: In future Mass Cards on sale in the Parish Office will cost €5 each with all the proceeds going to a newly set up Parish Charity Account. Fr. Breen will say the Mass for all the intentions on the First Friday of every month. This arrangement has been approved by the Diocesan Office.

Baptisms: The next Baptism Ceremony will be in Broadford Church on Sunday, 6th May after the 11.30am Mass.

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, 26th May at 11.00 a.m.

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Pilgrimage to Lourdes 2018:
Pilgrimage will take place from 16th
to 21st July. Cost: €739.00.
Register your interest by contacting
Joe Walsh Tours at 01 2410802
EMAIL:info@joewalshtours.ie.
Booking forms available at the
Parish Office.

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

St. Vincent de Paul: A St. Vincent de Paul Conference has been established for the parishes of Balyna and Carbury. The contact number is 089 7090442. All enquiries will be dealt with in strictest confidence.

Sleep Out: The pupils of Transition Year B Class of St. Mary's Secondary School, Edenderry will hold a Sleep Out to raise awareness of homelessness on Tuesday 24th April at The Town Hall, Edenderry. All sponsorship would be greatly appreciated. To donate to this worthy cause please contact the school at 0469731457.

Broadford N.S. Cards: 7 Games: J. Conway, T.Wrynn, M.Corrigan. Last Game: J. Ennis. Raffle: M. McKeever, T. Wrynn, T.Canning. Snowball: T. Gorman, M. McKeever, M. Kelleher, C. Langan.