BALYNA PARISH NEWSLETTER

6th May, 2018 Sixth Sunday of Easter.

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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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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 5th May at 7.30 pm:

Austin and Norah Gavin, Carrick.

Johnstownbridge Church:

Sunday 6th May at 10.00am:

Jane, Patrick and Peter Mooney, Kilmore.

Mary Mangan, Johnstownbridge.

Niall MacNeaney, Dunfierth (Twelfth Anniversary).

Peter and Maura McManus, Kilmore.

Broadford Church:

Sunday 6th May at 11.30am:

Molly and Bawn Burke.

Kate and James Miggin and the deceased members of the Miggin family.

Friday 11th May at 7.30pm:

Peter and Kate Malone and their daughter in law Mary Malone and the deceased members of the Malone family. Maurice Flynn, Bal.

ANNIVERSARY MASSES FOR NEXT WEEKEND:

Clogherinkoe Church:

Saturday 12th May at 7.30 pm:

Not Booked.

Johnstownbridge Church:

Sunday 13th May at 10.00am:

Not booked.

Broadford Church:

Sunday 13th May at 11.30am.:

Sylvester Salley, Cadamstown (Tenth Anniversary).

Martin Lally, "Lally's Cross", Ballinakill (Second Anniversary).

<u>Please Note:</u> There will be no morning Mass in Broadford Church on Tuesday 8th May.

<u>Parish Office:</u> The Parish Office will be closed on Tuesday 8th May.

24 Hour Adoration: There will be 24 Hour Adoration in the three churches of the parish from midnight Thursday 24th May to midnight on Friday 25th May (Polling Day), to pray for a successful "No" vote to save the eight amendment. Contact numbers of the organisers: Johnstownbridge Evelvn Bonner 0876141981, Clogherinkoe Kathleen Mulvin 0868417149 Broadford Ann Flood 9551087. This period of Adoration is open to all parishioners. Please try to do one hour at least.

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.

Baptisms: The next Baptism Ceremony will be in Johnstownbridge Church on Sunday, 3rd June after the 10.00am Mass.

First Holy Communion 2018: The children of Clogherinkoe N.S. will receive their First Holy Communion in Clogherinkoe Church on Saturday next 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.

Kildare and Leighlin Pilgrimage to Knock Shrine: Bishop Denis Nulty invites you to join with him and

parishioners from across the diocese at the Shrine of Our Lady of Knock on Sunday 3rd June. Ceremonies begin at 2.30pm at the Basilica with the Diocesan Choir directed by Fr. Liam Lawton. As Carbury Parish annually organise transport for this pilgrimage, please ring the Parish Office in Derrinturn (046) 9553355 if you wish to book a place on their bus.

KildareandLeighlinDiocesanPilgrimagetoLourdes2018:Pilgrimage will take place from 16th to21st July. Cost: €739.00. Register yourinterest by contacting Joe Walsh Toursat012410802.EMAIL:info@joewalshtours.ie. Booking forms available at theParish Office.

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

<u>Church Gate Collection:</u> The Irish Wheelchair Association will hold a Church Gate Collection this weekend.

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.

Kildare and Leighlin Diocese Family Fun Day: This Fun Day for all the family will take place in Carlow College, St. Patrick's, Carlow on Sunday 16th June from 2 to 6pm. Admission is free and all are welcome.

<u>Congratulations:</u> Congratulations to Stephen Maguire and Michelle Tobin who were married recently.