

## BALYNA PARISH NEWSLETTER

15th March, 2020.  
Third Sunday of Lent.

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**PARISH OFFICE OPENING HOURS**  
Monday to Thursday 10 am – 1 pm

**Child Safeguarding Representatives**  
Marian O' Gorman, Rose Miggan,  
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Designated Liason Person (D.L.P.)**  
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**PARISH NEWSLETTER**  
Items for the Newsletter must be submitted  
before 11.00 am on Thursday.

### **MASS SCHEDULE**

#### **JOHNSTOWNBRIDGE CHURCH**

Sunday 10.00 am  
Thursday 10.00 am

**CLOGHERINKOE N.S.**  
Saturday 7.30 pm

#### **BROADFORD CHURCH**

Sunday 11.30am  
Tuesday 10.00 am  
Wednesday 10am.  
Friday 9.30am.

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### **ANNIVERSARY MASS LIST:**

#### **Clogherinkoe Church:**

**Saturday 14th March at 7.30pm:**

Rosaleen McKeon, Fearavolla.

**Monday 16th March at 7.30pm:**

People of the Parish.

#### **Johnstownbridge Church:**

**Sunday 15th March at 10am:**

John Hackett, Thomastown.

Phil and Margaret Shanley,  
Johnstownbridge.

**Tuesday 17th March at 10am:**

People of the Parish.

#### **Broadford Church:**

**Sunday 15th March at 11.30am:**

Mick and Nancy Kerrigan, Kilglass  
and their daughter Molly and her  
husband Harry and the deceased  
members of the Kerrigan family.

John Loughrey, Cadamstown  
(Twenty First Anniversary) and his  
wife Eileen and the deceased  
members of the Loughrey family.

**Tuesday 17th March at 11.30am:**

People of the Parish.

### **ANNIVERSARY MASSES FOR NEXT WEEKEND:**

#### **Clogherinkoe Church:**

**Saturday 21st March at 7.30pm:**

Susan Hickey and her husband  
Christopher Hickey, Kilrainey.

#### **Johnstownbridge Church:**

**Sunday 22nd March at 10am:**

People of the Parish.

#### **Broadford Church:**

**Sunday 22nd March at 11.30am:**

People of the Parish.

**Recent Death:** Chris McGinty,  
Johnstownbridge who was interred in  
Kilshanroe Cemetery on Saturday  
14th March.

**St. Patrick's Day:** Next Tuesday,  
17<sup>th</sup> March will be the Feast Day of  
St. Patrick. It is a Holy Day of  
obligation. The Vigil Mass in  
Clogherinkoe N.S. will be on  
Monday 16th at 7.30p.m.

**Holy Communion:** Please note Holy  
Communion may only be received  
by hand.

**Basket Collection:** The basket will  
not be handed around the churches.  
Please put your contribution in the  
baskets at the back of the churches.

**Confirmation:** The Confirmation  
Ceremony will not go ahead on  
Sunday next. A new date will be set  
in due course.

**Baptisms:** The next Baptism  
Ceremony is in Broadford Church on  
Saturday, 4th April at 12 noon.

**First Friday Visitation:** If you are  
not going to be at home on the First  
Friday please inform the Parish  
Office on the Thursday between  
10am and 1pm.

**Penitential Service:** The Penitential  
Service for the children receiving

Confirmation in Broadford Church  
on Wednesday 18th March at  
7.30pm. is now cancelled.

**Please Note:** If there is a funeral on  
a week day there will be no morning  
Mass in the church where the  
funeral is taking place except on a  
First Friday.

**Parish Field:** The parish field  
beside Fr. Kavanagh's house is  
available to let. If interested please  
contact Carey Auctioneers, Enfield.

**Parish Envelope Collection:** If you  
did not receive a box of envelopes  
for 2020 and would like to receive  
one please contact the Parish Office.  
If you wish to contribute by direct  
debit or make an electronic  
transfer the following are the details:  
Balyna Parish Account,  
Croí Laighean Credit Union  
BIC:EDCNIE21.IBAN:IE39EDCN9  
9104209356740. Please reference  
your envelope box number or your  
name and address.

**Clocha Rince N.S. Progressive 25s:**  
The weekly card game in the school  
will be suspended for the duration of  
the Covid-19 virus.

**Clocha Rince N.S. Progressive 25s:**  
9 games: P. English. 7 games: J.  
Hurst, B. Leonard. Last Game: C.  
Hurst.