BALYNA PARISH NEWSLETTER

26th July 2020. Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time.

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

Child Safeguarding Representatives Marian O' Gorman, Rose Miggan, Evelyn Bonner & Chris Barea

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PARISH NEWSLETTER Items for the Newsletter must be submitted before 11.00 am on Thursday.

MASS SCHEDULE

JOHNSTOWNBRIDGE CHURCH Sunday 9.30 am CLOGHERINKOE CHURCH No Mass until the church reopens.

BROADFORD CHURCH

Sunday 11.00am Friday 10.00am. Saturday 6.00pm.

Visit Kildare & Leighlin Diocesan Website www.kandle.ie

ANNIVERSARY MASS LIST: Broadford Church: Saturday 25th July at 6.00pm: Betty Roche, Williamstown (Third Anniversary). Betty Bryan (Nee Farrell), Bray and formerly of Rahin. Sunday 26th July at 11.00am: Not booked. Johnstownbridge Church: Sunday 26th July at 9.30am: Not booked. ANNIVERSARY MASSES FOR **NEXT WEEKEND:** Johnstownbridge Church: Sunday 2nd August at 9.30am: Richard Doran. Thomastown (Month's Mind). This Mass is also offered for Albert and Sheila Greville on the occasion of their 50th wedding anniversary. **Broadford Church:** Saturday 1st August at 6.00pm: Johnny McEvoy, Kilrathmurray (First Anniversary). Sunday 2nd August at 11.00am: Not booked. **Recent** Death: Lee Hensey, Clogherinkoe who was interred in Broadford Cemetery on Wednesday 22nd July. Holy Communion:Please note Holy Communion may only be received by hand. **Offertory Collection:** The basket

will not be passed around the

Churches for the foreseeable future. Please put your contribution in the collection box at the entrance to the churches.

Sunday Obligation: Please note, because of COVID19 there is no obligation on people to attend Mass on Sundays.

Parish Envelope Collection: We would like to thank most sincerely all the people who left their envelopes into the Parish Office and those who donated online. These have been difficult times for all and the Parish is no exception. The Parish has lost almost all of it's income and bills still have to be paid. We would greatly appreciate if you could contribute, whatever little you can afford, to the Parish by the Envelope Collection or Offertory Collection or online. 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. **First Holy Communion:** The children of the parish will receive their First Holy Communion at Friday and Sunday Masses up to 2nd August.

Congratulations: Congratulations to the following children who received their First Holy Communion this weekend: Nia Conway, Rory Cusack, Isabelle Farrell, Adam Mooney, Sarah Clarke, Donnacha Mooney, Katelyn Padian, Thomas Lynam, Maddison Coombes. Davin Finn baker. Muireann Carley, Willow Craven, Sarah Kangley, Megan Clarke.

Confirmation: The children of the four schools of the Parish will receive their Confirmation in Broadford Church on Saturday 15th August. There will be two ceremonies. The children from Clocha Rince and Cadamstown schools will be confirmed at 11am. The children from Broadford and Johnstownbridge schools will be confirmed at 2pm. Bishop Nulty will administer the Sacrament.

<u>**Clogherinke GFC.:**</u> Cúl Camp 4th to 7thAugust. Online bookings only on Cúl Camp website.

<u>St. Vincent De Paul:</u> St. Vincent de Paul urgently need new members in the Broadford/ Carbury area. A volunteer is also required to do some book keeping. Contact: 0897090442.