

## BALYNA PARISH NEWSLETTER

18th October, 2020.  
Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time.  
Mission Sunday.

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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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**Kildare & Leighlin Safeguarding  
Designated Liason Person (D.L.P.)**  
Michelle Hughes. 0861710463.

### PARISH NEWSLETTER

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

### MASS SCHEDULE

#### JOHNSTOWNBRIDGE CHURCH

Sunday 9.30 am

Thursday 10.00am.

#### CLOGHERINKOE CHURCH

No Mass until the church reopens.

#### BROADFORD CHURCH

Sunday 11.00am

Friday 9.30am

Saturday 6.00pm.

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[www.kandle.ie](http://www.kandle.ie)

### ANNIVERSARY MASS LIST:

#### Broadford Church:

**Sunday 18th October at 9.30am:**

Tom Fox, Clonuff (First  
Anniversary).

Edward and Brigid Fox and the  
deceased members of the Fox family.

Joan Curran, Woodview,  
Clogherinkoe.

Vincent Fox, Cornamuckla (Fourth  
Anniversary).

James and Mary Loughrey.

Seamus, Joe and Gerard Loughrey.

Helen (Nellie) Stack.

Arthur and Lizzie Lowry,  
Ballindoolin.

### ANNIVERSARY MASS FOR

#### NEXT WEEKEND:

#### Broadford Church:

**Sunday 25th October at 9.30am:**

Paul Ryan, Rathmurray.

**Recent Death:** Ann Farrell,  
Martinstown who was interred in  
Kilshanroe Cemetery on Thursday  
18th October.

**Sunday Mass:** Fr. Seán hopes to  
broadcast mass from Broadford  
Church via YouTube on Sunday at  
9.30am. The link is not yet available  
but it will be posted on Broadford  
Residents facebook page and  
Clogherinkoe and Johnstownbridge  
GAA facebook pages.

#### **Mass:**

Due to the current Level 3  
restrictions there will not be public

Mass in any of the churches until  
further notice. Churches will be  
open for private prayer. Fr. Seán  
will say Mass behind closed doors  
and will include intentions and  
remembrances booked.

**Clogherinkoe Church:** Work has  
been completed and we hope to open  
Clogherinkoe Church for private  
prayer next week. This Sunday the  
church will be open from 2 to 5 for  
anyone who would like to visit.  
Please respect the COVID  
restrictions. Entry will be through  
the main door, a one way system  
pertains, and exit will be through the  
sacristy side door. This is a beautiful  
job and we hope that it is to your  
liking. We thank those who worked  
on the church, the architect, the  
painters and those who helped with  
the clean up last week.

**Church Collections:** We are  
grateful to all those who have  
generously contributed to the Parish.  
Owing to Level 3 restrictions, we  
cannot have our usual schedule of  
Masses and the attendant collections.  
However, if parishioners would like  
to contribute, this can be done  
online:

Balyna Parish Account,  
Croí Laighean Credit Union  
BIC:EDCNIE21.IBAN:IE39EDCN9  
9104209356740. Please reference

your envelope box number or your  
name and address.

Alternatively, we offer people the  
opportunity this Sunday from 2pm  
to 5pm to drop envelopes or  
donations into a “collection box” in  
each of the churches. As always, we  
are grateful for your generosity in  
these straitened times. Please do not  
leave yourselves or your families  
short. Whatever you can offer will  
be accepted with gratitude.

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

### **Baptisms and Marriages:**

Baptisms and Marriages in the Parish  
are by arrangement with the Parish  
Office. Unfortunately, under Level 3  
restrictions, baptisms are postponed  
until these are lifted.

**Croí Laighean Credit Union:** We  
wish to say thank you to Croí  
Laighean Credit Union, Edenderry  
for a donation of €250 which we  
received from their Community  
Fund.

**Vacancy:** A vacancy exists for a  
caretaker at Clogherinkoe Church.  
If you are unemployed and eligible  
please contact Chris Carroll,  
Supervisor at the BREDA Centre,  
Johnstownbridge or at 046 9541572.