

# Balyna Parish Newsletter

St Mary's, Broadford- St Patrick's, Johnstownbridge- St Brigid's, Clogherinkoe

Pentecost- 18/19 May 2024

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## Masses this Week:

*Please note that times can be changed at short notice because of funerals!*

<b>Saturday 18 May</b>	<b>Clogherinkoe</b>	<b>11:00am (First Communion children of Johnstownbridge National School).</b>
	<b>Clogherinkoe</b>	<b>12:15pm (Confirmation children of Johnstownbridge National School).</b>
	<b>Broadford</b>	<b>2:00pm (First Communion children of Broadford National School).</b>
	<b>Broadford</b>	<b>3:30pm (Confirmation children of Broadford National School).</b>
	<b>Clogherinkoe</b>	<b>6.00pm Mass</b>
<b>Sunday 19 May</b>	<b>Johnstownbridge</b>	<b>9.30am Mass</b>
	<b>Broadford</b>	<b>11.00am Mass</b>
<b>Tuesday 21 May</b>	<b>Broadford</b>	<b>10:00am Mass</b>
<b>Wednesday 22 May</b>	<b>Clogherinkoe</b>	<b>10:00am Mass</b>
<b>Thursday 23 May</b>	<b>Johnstownbridge</b>	<b>10:00am Mass</b>
<b>Friday 24 May</b>	<b>Broadford</b>	<b>7:30pm Mass</b>
<b>Saturday 25 May</b>	<b>Clogherinkoe</b>	<b>6:00pm Mass</b>
<b>Sunday 26 May</b>	<b>Johnstownbridge</b>	<b>9:30am Mass</b>
	<b>Broadford</b>	<b>11:00am Mass</b>

## Important Dates

26 May: Retired Priest Collection.

2 June: Diocesan Pilgrimage to Knock.

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## Sacrament of First Holy Communion and Confirmation

Congratulations to the girls and boys of Johnstownbridge National School and Broadford National School who received their First Holy Communion and Confirmation on Saturday the 18<sup>th</sup> of May. We would like to thank their teachers and parents who prepared the children for the Sacraments. We look forward to their commitment to the Christian life into the future.

## Clothes Collection

Clothing collection supporting Balyna Parish will take place on Sunday the 9<sup>th</sup> of June. All wearable clothing, footwear, curtains etc. can be left in black bags at the back of the churches, weekend Sunday 8<sup>th</sup> and 9<sup>th</sup>. For further enquires contact the parish office on (046) 9551203.

## Credit Union Account Number Change

We recently have been contacted by Croí Laignean Credit Union, who have informed us that our Balyna Parish Member, Share Account Number 21631 is being replaced by a Non-Personal Deposit Account. The parish will be in contact with all parishioners who contribute to the weekly collection via Direct Debit to advise them of the change. New account details are as follows: Balyna Parish Non-Personal Deposit Account, BIC: EDCNIE21, IBAN: IE87EDCN99104210367877, Ref: 21631 Balyna Parish.

## Cemetery Devotions 2024

The Annual Cemetery Prayers will take place in August 2024.

Thursday 8 <sup>th</sup> August 2024: Kilrainey 6:00pm	Friday 9 <sup>th</sup> August: Broadford 7:30pm
Thursday 8 <sup>th</sup> August 2024: Nurney 6:30pm	
Thursday 8 <sup>th</sup> August 2024: Mylerstown 7:00pm	Saturday 10 <sup>th</sup> August: Carrick 7:15pm
Thursday 8 <sup>th</sup> August 2024: Cadamstown 7:30pm	Saturday 10 <sup>th</sup> August: Cushlangearr 7:45pm
Thursday 8 <sup>th</sup> August 2024: Ballinadrimina 8:00pm	Saturday 10 <sup>th</sup> August: Millpond 8:30pm

## Diocesan Pilgrimage to Knock

The Annual Diocesan Pilgrimage to Knock will take place on Sunday the 2<sup>nd</sup> of June. We hope to leave from Broadford at 8:15am, and Johnstownbridge at 8:30am. We should arrive in Knock around 12 noon, which will give us time for confession, visit the churches in the Shrine grounds, explore the beautiful grounds and garden, visit the Knock Museum and have a bite to eat. Ceremonies begin at 2:30pm in the Basilica with the Anointing of the Sick. Pilgrimage Mass at 3:00pm followed by Rosary Procession and concluding with Benediction (outdoors-weather permitting). Bus will depart Knock after Rosary Procession.

## Anniversaries and Intentions

We remember Owen Wynne beloved son of Catherine & Pat Wynne and brother of Elaine and Siobhán who was interred in Broadford Cemetery on Tuesday. We remember Ena Maguire (née Langan), Johnstownbridge whose funeral took place on Thursday. We also remember John Mulraney who was interred in Broadford Cemetery on Friday.

Anniversaries for this week-end	Michael & Margaret Williams, Carrick and their son Sam (Liam) and daughter in law Breda Williams. Bill & Bridget Williams, Carrick and their son Joseph. Sheila Leonard (Second Anniversary). PJ Canning, Kilrathmurray. Paddy and Roseanne Kavanagh, Kilglass and their two sons Paddy and Tony. Peter Loughrey, Clonuff (Month's Mind). Seamus O'Connor (Third Anniversary) and his parents Kathleen & James. Sylvester Salley (Anniversary Mass).
Anniversaries for next week-end	Michael O'Connor (Anniversary Mass) & his brother-in-law Ernest Kenny. Thomas, May, & Catherine Teresa Begin, Grange. Thomas. John & Annie Begin (Rahan). Thomas, Bridget & Patrick Lynch, Grange. Monica Quinn (Anniversary Mass). Oliver Mulvin (Third Anniversary) and his sister Mary Young. Annie Conway & her husband Seán & her parents Martin & Elizabeth Murray & his parents Kathleen & Michael Conway. John, Jane, Joe & Martin Murray. Harry & Esther Geoghegan & the deceased members of the Geoghegan and Reynold's families. Hal & Theresa Costigan, Cadamstown (Anniversary Mass). Patrick McCabe (First Anniversary). Tomasz Bryla (Remembrance Mass).