



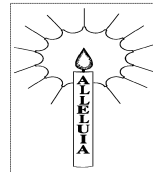
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Muire gan Smál, Maigh Cuilinn

Moycullen Parish Newsletter

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Easter Sunday

1st April 2018



Mass Times:

Saturday Evening: 8pm (Vigil Mass)

Sunday Morning: 10am & 12 noon

Weekday Mass: 9.30am Tues to Fri.

Holydays: 8pm (Vigil Mass) & 12 noon

Radio Mass: 105.7FM (Wknds)

Baptisms: 12.45pm on 1st and 3rd Sundays, 2 weeks notice

Marriages: 3 months notice for Church & State

Pre-Marriage Course: Book 1 year in advance

Confession: At any time by request

Adoration: Tues 8pm-9pm, Wed 8pm-9pm, Fri 10am-11am and Sunday night with Rosary 7pm

Lectio Divina: Mondays at 8pm in Aiséirí

Coeliacs: May receive from Chalice at the Altar

Parish Office: 091-555106.

Open: 10am-1pm, Mon-Fri.

Bethany Bereavement: PH: 087-7633101 Mon-Sun 7-9pm.

St Vincent de Paul: 091-563233.

MASS INTENTION:

Sat 31 9pm—Holy Saturday

- M/M: Garry Walsh, Gortachalla & USA
- Michael & Delia Hehir, Knock
- Vincent Cuffe, Woodlands
- Michael, Larry & Jimmy Gavin, Lealetter
- 1st Anniv: Martin-Joe Cooke, Pine Grove & Sis-in-law: Mary Cooke, Uggool & People of the Parish

Mon 2 9:30am • NO MASS

Tue 3 9:30am • Martin, Julia, Bríd & Mattie Walsh, Gortachalla

Wed 4 9:30am • Martin, Annie, Patrick Nora & Joseph O'Connor, Clydagh

Thu 5 9:30am • NO MASS

Fri 6 9:30am • Patrick Keady, Nora & Pat O'Connor, Lissagurrane

Sat 7 8pm • Patrick & Catherine Madden, The Mill, Killagoola

• Michael, Frank, Joe & Christie Madden, The Mill, Killagoola

• Mick Coyne, Knock (2nd Anniv)

• Patrick, Charles & Bridget O'Malley, Home Farm

• Richard Mulkerrins, Clooniff

• Anne & Christy Hynes & Dec'd family, Moycullen

• Thomas Davoren, Corcullen (28th Anniv)

• M/M: Catherine, Roísín Madden-Godfrey & People of the Parish

Please pray for recently deceased:

• Louise Leonard-Gibson, Barna & Inverness, sister of Olivia McLoughlin, Drimcong

Please pray for Anniversaries occurring:

• May Walsh (Kyne), Kylebroughlan

Church Cleaning: As the Church will be closed for approx 8 wks all Church Cleaning is suspended until repairs completed.

Altar Servers: This week: Team 1 Next Week: Team 2

Counters: This week: Frank Kelly & Joe Howley.

Next week: Della Cooke & Kieran Audley.

Readers: This Week Next Week:

8pm: Mary Howley, Ann Marie Walsh & Maureen Lydon. Frances Carter

10am: Toni Regan. Rita Meally.

12noon: Teresa Morgan. Maura Thornton.

Eucharistic Ministers for April:

8pm: Maureen Acton, Marie Walsh & Ann Kelly-Clancy.

10am: Tom Duffy & Brenda Monaghan.

12noon: Maureen Brown & Ann Newell.

Offertory: €1210.

NB: Parish Office will be closed next week. Re-opening on Mon 9th April @ 10am.

Parish Child Protection: See notice board for details.

Theme—The Alass

Week 7 extract:

Love inspires a sincere esteem for every human being and the recognition of his or her own right to happiness. This same deeply rooted love also leads me to reject the injustice whereby some possess too much and others too little. It moves me to find ways of helping society's outcasts to find a modicum of joy. This is not envy, but the desire for equality.

Par 96—Amoris Laetitia/The Joy of Love by Pope Francis WMOF, Dublin; 21st—26th Aug '18.



He is risen! Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

Reflection

I AM THE LIGHT OF THE WORLD

Oh Father, up in heaven,
We have wandered far away
From Jesus Christ, Our Saviour,
Who arose on Easter Day...

And the promise of salvation
That God gave us when Christ died
We have often vaguely questioned,
Even doubted and denied.

We've forgotten why You sent us
Jesus Christ Your Only Son,
And in arrogance and ignorance —
It's Our Will, not Thine, Be Done...

Oh, shed Thy Light upon us
As Easter dawns this year,
And may we feel The Presence
Of the Risen Saviour near...

And, God, in Thy great wisdom,
Lead us in the way that's right,
And may "The Darkness" of this world
Be conquered by "Thy Light".

HELEN STEINER RICE

Notice Board

NB: Due to major Roof Repair, Moycullen Church will be closed from: 2nd April for 8 wks approx., Weekend masses will be held in Halla Mór, Scoil Mhuire & weekday mass will be held in Aiséirí, Reposing room. During this time; the Graveyard will be accessible ONLY by the double gates (roadway entrance) Also, Eucharistic Adoration & Church Cleaning is suspended until repairs completed.

Easter Dues envelopes available at the back of the church. Their return is much appreciated as the main source of income for the priest. Fr. Michael sincerely appreciates your continued support.

The Alzheimer Café; a safe & relaxed place where people with dementia, their families & health care professionals can come together to talk, share & learn. Next gathering: **Menlo Park Hotel, Fri 6th Apr, 2 – 4pm** 'Scam Awareness' talk by: Denise Cusack Comm. Protct Advsr., Ulster Bank. Maureen Mannion: 086-8211540.

CONNECT-Volunteers needed. See poster for full info.

IGNITE Youth Gospel Choir—Galway's 1st Youth Gospel Choir is starting on **Thur 19th Apr @ 4:30pm in St Josephs church.** Young people aged 10 yrs+ are very welcome to join. Child registration, terms, fees from email ignitegospelchoir@yahoo.ie / Keara: 087-9007003 before **Mon 16th Apr.**

Poor Clare Monastery, Galway- 'Cloister Day', Sat 21st Apr '18, 10am - 5pm. The day is designed to help women 21 - 40yrs, find out about the Poor Clare way of life with a view to vocation discernment. To book a place, Sr. Faustina at: poorclaresgalwayvocations@gmail.com

Galway Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes—1st—6th July '18. All in price: €710 / Assisted: €620. Fare incld: To & from Shannon airport. See poster for full details. PH: Fr Moran, 091-550106.

Happy Easter to All Our Parishioners and Visitors!



Items for the Newsletter should be delivered, in writing or e-mail, by 1pm Thursday evening.

Please note: Items are included based on availability of space, and should be brief and to the point.