



Church of The Immaculate Conception

Muire gan Smál, Maigh Cuilinn

Moycullen Parish Newsletter

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2nd Sunday after the Nativity
Sun 2nd Jan 2022.



Mass Times:

Saturday Eve: 7pm (Vigil Mass)

Sunday Morning:

10am & 12 noon

Weekday Mass:

9.30am Tue—Fri.

Holydays:

7pm (Vigil Mass)

& 12 noon

Baptisms:

Any Sunday, by request.

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:

Wed 8 - 9pm,

Fri 10am-11am &

Sunday eve, with

Rosary 7pm

Lectio Divina:

Suspended due to COVID-19

Coeliacs:

May receive a Gluten Free host from the priest at the Altar.

Parish Office:

091-555106.

Open: 10am-1pm,

Mon—Fri.

St Vincent de Paul:

091-563233.

Parish Radio

Mass: 106.9FM

MASS INTENTION:

Sat 1 7pm

• George Richardson, Barna Road

• Thomas O'Malley, Leagaun

• Michael-Francis & Catherine Griffin &

Michael & Nancy Donlon (Anniv)

Sun 2 10am

• Pat, Mary, & James Acton, Knockaunranny

• Thomas Moran, Pairc na gCaor

• Margaret Moran-Walsh, Boston & Páirc na

gCaor

12 noon

• M/M: Nora Keeler, her son; Tom Keeler,

Poulnaclough & son-in-law; Joe Henry,

Sligo (Anniv)

Mon 3

Tue 4 9:30am

Wed 5 9:30am

7pm

• No Mass

• Holy Souls

• Joe & Brid Kearns, Tooreeny

• Mary, Margaret & Paddy Grant,

Drimavoughane

• People of the Parish

Thu 6 12 noon—Feast of the Epiphany

• Michael, Sarah, John & Mary Faherty,

Newtown

Fri 7 9:30am

Sat 8 7pm

• Private Intention—Get Well

• Bridie Walsh, Ballinahalla

• Susie Downey, Ballydotia

• Michael Hoare, Swords, Dublin (10th Anniv)

• Ann Griffin, Newtown (Anniv)

• Catherine & John D'arcy, Newtown (2nd)

Sun 9 10am

12 noon

• M/M: Tom Lyons, Moycullen & Roscommon

& People of the Parish

Please pray for recently deceased:

• James Cunningham, Gort & Mervue, brother of Pat, Ballinahalla

Church Cleaning:

Poulnaclough

Readers:

This Week

7pm Mary Anne Feeney

10am Toni Regan

12 noon Maura Thornton

Holy Day

Steven Ellis

No Mass

Rita Meally

Next Week

Mary Howley

Rita Meally

Teresa Morgan

Offertory: €1000. Online: €. Christmas Day: €740.

2022 Wkly Env Boxes can be collected from the Parish Office

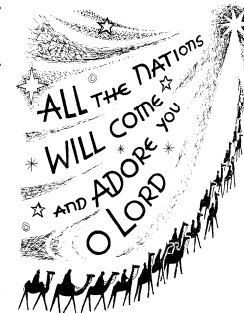
between 10am & 1pm, from Tue 4th Jan '22.

FACE MASKS

To ensure the highest degree of safety for all attending public masses, we respectfully ask that everyone continue to wear Face Masks. Your cooperation is greatly appreciated. Thanking you.

Theme—The Mass

Today's celebrations, coming as it does between Christmas Day and the Epiphany, contains themes which are connected to these feasts. Though Christmas Day and the Epiphany form part of the Church's season of Christmas tide, there is a difference of emphasis. Christmas Day celebrates the coming of the Son of God as a human being and the Epiphany highlights the revealing of this truth to all the nations of the earth. Both themes are echoed in today's prayers.



Reflection

STARTING ANEW

Snowdrops sheltering under a hedge away from winter winds.

As they mark the end of the Christmas season, as they spring so gently from the earth, so tender, to be so bold!

They are yet signs of fresh life, fresh hope, new beginnings.

Lord, however hesitant I am, however reluctant I am to begin again, however lacking in courage, however weak in resolve, help me to start anew, to face life's challenges, to blossom in friendship with you. Amen.

THE PRAYER TRUST

NB: Parish Office will be closed on Mon 3rd Jan'22.

Re-open on Tue 4th @ 10am. PH: 091-555106 to leave a message.



Child Protection Policy available in Sacristy

Notice Board

COVID-19- UPDATE : Latest restrictions all full capacity, while still maintaining Social Distancing, (still a requirement), effective since 22nd Oct. We continue to ask all mass goers to; **Sanitize hands on entry & exit , Wear facemasks for the safety of all & We respectfully request, all mass goers to cooperate fully with the Stewards, with regards to seating.** All masses still available online via our webcam: www.moycullenparish.com/links/webcam: "https://watchmcnmedia.tv/camera/church-of-the-immaculate-conception" **ALSO: Radio Mass on: 106.9 FM URGENT: Mass Stewards needed for 7pm Mass on Saturdays evenings.**

'ALONE', VOLUNTEERS NEEDED! Would you be willing to provide companionship to an older person locally? ALONE are seeking volunteers in your area. Full training & support provided. Info, please contact Karen: karen.byrne@alone.ie or 086-0576401. See poster.

NEW YEAR ARRANGEMENTS

Daily mass resumes @ 9:30 am (Tue 4th Jan)

Epiphany—Holy Day: 7 pm Vigil (Wed 5th)

12 noon (Thur 6th)

Happy New Year to all our Parishioners & Visitors.

Be safe on the roads this weekend

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.