

Church of The Immaculate Conception

Muire gan Smál, Maigh Cuilinn

Mlaigh Cuilinn Parish Newsletter

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Commemoration of all the Faithful Departed

(All Souls) 2nd November 2025



Mass Times:

Saturday Eve: 7pm (Vigil Mass) Sunday Morning: 10am & 12 noon Weekdav Mass: 9.30am Tue—Fri. Holy Days: 7pm (Vigil Mass) & 12 noon

Fr Martin available after wknd Masses, for 10 min in Sacristy. Coeliacs:

Gluten Free host available from the priest at the Altar.

Baptisms:

1st & 3rd Sundays. each month @ 1pm. 2 wks notice. **Pastoral Council** Caifé & Donuts 1st Sun of Month after 10am Mass

Marriages:

3 months notice for Church & State Pre-Marriage

Course:

Book 1 year in advance

Confession: Sat eve 6-6:45pm and by Request Communion

Calls: 1st Fri, of Mth & on request.

Adoration:

Tue 10-10:30am Wed 8 - 9pm. Fri 10am-11am & Sun eve, 7pm

Parish Office:

091-555106/085-8253379. Open: 9:30am-1:30pm, Mon—Fri.

St Vincent de Paul: 091-563233.

RÚN AIFRINN/ MASS INTENTION: Sat 1 12 noon—Feast of All Saints

Dan Kennedy, Dublin (4th A)

James & Mary Lydon & Dec'd fam, Knockferry

Holv Souls 7pm

 Marie Queeney, Clooniffe (A) • Dec'd Melia Family, Cloonabinnia • Mary & Michael Folan, Cloughane (A)

Sun 2 10am Holy Souls

Diarmuid Coleman, Homefarm (A)

12 noon • Holy Souls & People of the Parish

Mon 3 NO MASS Tue 4 9:30am Holv Souls • Holy Souls Wed 5 9:30am • Holy Souls Thu 6 9:30am

 Holy Souls Fri 7 9:30am 7pm • Holy Souls Sat 8

John & Mary Kyne, Knockranny (A)

• Pete, Maggie, Martin, & John Faherty, Oldtown Nicholas & Della Faherty, Oughterard (A)

Sun 9 10am Holv Souls

12 noon

• Seán MacAlinnev. Ballinahalla & cousin. John

Gavin. San Francisco US (A) • Tommy & Nora O'Connor, Moycullen &

Manchester (A)

Mary-Ann Madden, Mill Hse, Killagoola

• M/M: James Summerville. Ballinahalla & Holv Souls

Church Cleaning: Knockbane/Ballyquirke Counters: This week: Team 4

Next week: Team 5

Readers: This Week Next Week

7pm 'Aq Canadh' (Reader) Mary Anne Feeney 10am Rita Meally Mary Barrett

12 noon Thomas Godfrev Margaret Madden

Eucharistic Ministers for November:

7pm: Siobhan Tierney, Nora King & Mary Heyeran. 10am: Mary Conneely, John D'Arcy & Kathleen Kelly. 12noon: Máire Baker, Anne Cuffe, & Tomás Clancy.

Offertory: €1025. Online: €145. Mission Sunday: €15.

Autumn Dues: Sincere thanks to all who returned their Autumn Dues, your continued support is much appreciated. Fr Martin.

NB: Diocesan Privacy Policy Statement which covers all parishes, is available on request from the Parish Office, in E or hard copy.

Alass Theme - Téama Aifrinn

To remember our beloved dead in the presence of God is wholesome and it is natural. We thank God for the aifts bestowed on us through them—signs of his grace and presence. We entrust our beloved to the love and mercy of God because, even though we do not grieve as those who have no hope (1 Th 4:13), remembering the dead is holy and devout (2 Mac 12:45). All they have meant for us is not lost forever, for God—the God od the living—is their life now and always.

Reflection—Alachnamh LITANY OF REMEMBRANCE

In the rising of the sun And its going down, We remember them. In the blowing of the wind And in the chill of winter. We remember them. In the blueness of the sky And in the warmth of summer, We remember them. In the rustling of the leaves And in the beauty of autumn, We remember them.

When we are lost And sick at heart. We remember them. When we have jovs We vearn to share. We remember them. So long as we live, They too shall live, For we remember them.

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NB: Holy Souls Novena, 2nd – 9th Nov Novena ends on Sun 9th Nov @ 12 noon.

Envelopes are available in the Church Porch and when filled in can be put in the Box at the Altar.



Child Protection Policy available in Sacristy

Notice Board—Clár Fóara

NB: Family Sacrament Mass for 1st Holy Communion & Confirmation 2026- Scheduled for this Sat 25th Oct has been deferred for 1 week and will now take place THIS Sat 1st Nov @ 7pm.

Children's Choir 'Ag Canadh' (Family Sacrament Masses)-Practice resumes, Thur 6 Nov, 6:30—7:30pm.

Galway Alzheimer Café is a free monthly gathering, and anyone affected by dementia is welcome to attend. The next café will be on Friday 7th November in the Connacht Hotel from 2pm - 4pm. Speaker: Dr Elaine Loughlin Consultant Geriatrician Topic: Living well with Dementia. More info, please contact: Bertie Reaney 0873428663 or email bertie.reaney@alzhimer.ie

Maigh Cuilinn Community Bingo: Weekly, Thursdays at 8pm in Áras Uilinn, Moycullen. Bígí linn. Progressive 25 Card Game in Scoil Tuairíní, Thurs..

8:30pm sharp. All welcome! Paddy Sweeney Memorial Walk, for Cancer Care West-Sat 15th Nov @ 11am from Killannin CC-

SuperValu Moycullen. Info: 087-6949861 (John-Joe) **Eucharistic Adoration & Rosary for the HOLY** SOULS, weekly for the month of November. Mons 3rd, 10th, 17th & 24th from 6-7pm. All welcome!

The Youth 2000 Connaught Retreat takes place on Nov 21-23 in Summerhill College, Sligo. Workshops, music, talks, testimonies & more, Donation only, Register online at Youth2000.ie / connaught@youth2000.ie (info)

Forbairt Pobail Mhaigh Cuilinn Teoranta—Seek Volunteer Fundraisers. See Poster for full details.

Autumn Biblical/Faith Formation Course - via Zoom Tues 4th Nov, @ 7:30pm, wkly for 6 ngts (1 hour) Session facilitator: Fr. Gerard McCarthy, SVD. Handouts & Audio recording of sessions will be available each week. All are welcome. To join: please forward your email address to gerardmccarthv@galwaydiocese.ie. You will be emailed the **Zoom link**, the day before sessions date.

Remembrance Tree, is now up in the Church. Place the names of deceased loved ones on the tree and we will pray for them during the month of November.



Items for the Newsletter should be delivered. in writing or e-mail, by 1pm Wednesday afternoon. Please note: Items are included based on availability of space, and should be brief and to the point.