



Church of The Immaculate Conception

Muire gan Smál, Maigh Cuilinn

Moycullen Parish Newsletter

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27th Sunday in Ordinary Time

4th October 2020



Mass Times:

Saturday Eve: 8pm (Vigil Mass)

Sunday Morning:

10am & 12 noon

Weekday Mass:

9.30am Tue—Fri.

Holydays:

8pm (Vigil Mass)

& 12 noon

Baptisms:

1pm on 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 &

Sunday eve, with

Rosary 7pm

Lectio Divina:

Mondays, 8pm in

Aiséirí

Coeliacs:

May receive a

Gluten Free host

at 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 3 8pm

• James, Sarah, Michael-Joe, Jack & Pat

Keady, Drimavoughane

• John & Nellie Keady, Newtown

• Dec'd Hynes family, Gortmore

Sun 4 10am

• 1st Anniv: Catherine (Cáit) Conroy,

Killagoola

• Martin Davoren, Corcullen (3rd Anniv)

• John O'Dea, Cloonabinnia

• People of the Parish

12 noon

Mon 5

Tue 6 9:30am

• NO MASS

• Fr Brendan Kavanagh & Dec'd fam.,

Annaghdawn

Wed 7 9:30am

Thu 8 9:30am

Fri 9 9:30am

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• Denis McDonagh & Parents: John & Bina,

Knockerasser

• Richard Noone, Gortacleva/Woodstock

• Mary Darcy, Páirc na gCaor (4th Anniv)

• Rosaleen McPoland, Luton & Roscommon

Sun 11 10am

• Paddy Clancy, Lealetter

• Pat McDonagh, Knockerasser

• Margaret McDonagh, Boston & Lealetter

• People of the Parish

12 noon

Church Cleaning: Homefarm (27 Sept—3 Oct)

Offertory: €535.

NB: Parish Office will be closed next week (5th—9th Oct incl.) Re-open on Mon 12th Oct @ 10am.

COVID-19 RESURGANCE

Given the current growth in the numbers being infected by COVID 19 – we ask everyone to redouble their efforts to tackle the spread of this virus. This is an act of Christian love for our neighbour and especially for those who are most vulnerable.

FACE MASKS

Under the latest COVID-19 Safety Guidelines; Face Masks must be worn at all group gatherings. Your compliance would be greatly appreciated. Thanking you.

Theme— The Mass

The risk for Christians today is that we read the parable complacently, because it clearly refers to Jews and Christians in the first century. But it is not only in the past that the leadership of God's project has changed hands, so to speak. Down through history, more committed groups have challenged the established Church—they can attract by more exciting worship and by a closer living of the Gospel. The hard words of St Paul to the Gentile Christians in Rome may help to shake us up: *For if God did not spare the natural branches, perhaps he will not spare you (Rm 11:21)*



Reflection

LIFE'S SEASONS

Life is like the seasons
each one its changes bring,
a fertile seed takes root and grows
thus youth is like the Spring.
Maturity comes in Summer
as we work and play and sing,
in the Fall we gather harvest
from the deeds we sowed, and then,
alas too soon it's Winter
and our eyes have grown quite dim,
have faith no need to worry
'tis not the end of everything
for our souls will be returned again
to Heaven, where God is King.

LOUIS H. GUENTHER

Notice Board

To book a seat at any wknd mass, please call: Parish Office: 091-555106 (10am- 1pm). If possible, book by Thur @ 1pm. Anyone with mass dedication booked will be given first refusal to attend the mass. After which tickets will be issued on demand, (no reserve list). If we exceed capacity in a given wknd, we will offer mass seats for following wknd. We appreciate your co-operation and pa-

Child Protection Policy available in Sacristy

tience with this process. NB: NO Tickets required for weekday masses.

In the interest of everyone's health, we respectfully ask; if you are feeling unwell, **please do not come to mass, even if you have a seat reserved.**

Masses can be watched via our webcam:

www.moycullenparish.com/links/webcam:

"<https://watchmcnmedia.tv/camera/church-of-the-immaculate-concepton>"

ALSO: Radio Mass is broadcast on: 106.9 FM

NB: Our Parish Newsletter can be viewed, from

Friday afternoon, on our Website: [http://](http://moycullenparish.com/newsletter/)

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Charitable Donations Tax Rebate Claim for 2019

Thanks to all who have returned their CHY3, CHY4 or 'No Longer a Tax Payer' slip, which enable us to update our Database. If you have received a CHY form but not returned it yet, please do so as soon as possible, to enable us to submit the 2019 Tax rebate claim. Receipts for 2019 contributions (€250 or over), with current valid CHY3's certs., will be e-mailed where possible, or posted, asap. Thanking you.

For All Engaged Couples: Pre-Marriage Courses are now proceeding as normal. If courses need to be cancelled due to COVID-19 restrictions, **they will still be delivered via Zoom.**

Free online Living Well Programme – next programmes starts: (limited places) **Fri 16th, Wed 28th Oct & Mon 2nd Nov.** See: www.hse.ie/livingwell / PH: 087-3490393 / e-mail: liam.gildea@mayocil.ie (See poster)

ALONE-COVID-19 Support Line for Older People

Alone manage a national support line & additional svcs., for older people who have concerns or are facing difficulties relating to COVID-19 Pandemic. Professional staff; to answer queries, give advice & reassurance where needed. **Line open: 7 days, 8am-8pm, PH:0818-222024.**

Autumn Dues: envelopes available at the back of the church. Their return is very much appreciated as this is the main source of income for our priests: Dean Michael & Fr. Rob, sincerely thanks you for your continued support, in these unprecedented times.

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.