



Church of The Immaculate Conception
 Muire gan Smál, Maigh Cuilinn
 Maigh Cuilinn Parish Newsletter

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6th Sunday of Ordinary Time
 (World Day of the Sick)
 Day of Prayer for Temperance
 11th February 2024.



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:
 Sat 6:15–6:45pm
Communion Calls: 1st Fri, of Month or on request.
Adoration:
 Wed 8 - 9pm,
 Fri 10am-11am & Sun eve, 7pm with 'Rosary for Peace'
'Prayers for Priests' & Vocations—Every Thur after mass in Adoration Chapel.
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

RÚN AIFRINN/ MASS INTENTION:

Sat 10 7pm • Pat (3rd), Margaret & Bridie Melia, Cloonabinnia (Anniv)
 • Bridie Walsh, Killrainey (8th Anniv)
 • Coley Rushe, Oldtown (Anniv)
Sun 11 10am • Ann Madden, Killaclogaun (5th Anniv)
 • Ann Devaney, Knockauranny (Anniv)
 • Sr Rita Cunney, Attymass, Mayo (10th Ann)
 • **M/M:** Anna Marie Leonard, Oldtown
 • **NO MASS**
12 noon
Mon 12 9:30am
Tue 13 9:30am
Wed 14 9:30am—Ash Wednesday—Ashes available in Church all day
7pm
Thu 15 9:30am
Fri 16 9:30am
Sat 17 7pm • Martin & Mary Keane, Finisglen (Anniv)
 • Thomas & Ita McDonagh, Danesfield (Anniv)
 • Edward & Nora-Mary McDonagh, Gortyloughlin (Anniv)
Sun 18 10am • Bridgie & Michael-Joe MacDonough & Dec'd fams., Leagaun
 • Eddie Griffin, Thumnasragh
 • John & Bridie Keeler, Tooreeny
 • People of the Parish
12 noon
Please pray for recently deceased:
 • **Church Cleaning:** Knockbane/Ballyquirke
Counters: This week: Tom & Anne Newell
 Next week: Joe Howley & Martin Kelly
Readers: This Week Next Week
7pm Sacrament Mass Mary Anne Feeney
10am Toni Regan Rita Meally
12 noon Kate Rodgers Teresa Morgan
Eucharistic Ministers for Feb :
7pm: Josephine Leonard, Helen Mullarkey & Anne Cuffe
10am: Seamus Acton, Sheila Lydon & Alan Carty
12noon: Frank Downes & Mary O'Reilly
 Offertory: €1185. Online: €55. Dioc Pastoral Ctr. €5.
NB: Parish Office will be closed on **Fri 16th Feb.** Re-open on Mon19th @ 10am.
NB: Diocesan Privacy Statement & Policy, which covers all parishes, is available on request from the Parish Office, in both hard & soft copy.

Mass Theme - Téama Aitrinn

Through the healing of the leper by Jesus, the gospel-writer is posing us a question: 'Who is this man Jesus?' The close bond that exists between Jesus and his Father means that Jesus has the power to heal those who are sick.



Reflection—Ailachnamh

A Feast for Lent

Fast from Criticism and Feast on Praise
 Fast from Self Pity and Feast on Joy
 Fast from Ill-Temper and Feast on Peace
 Fast from Resentment and Feast on Contentment
 Fast from Jealousy and Feast on Love
 Fast from Pride and Feast on Humility
 Fast from Selfishness and Feast on Service
 Fast from Fear and Feast on Faith.

Ash Wednesday Mass at 9:30am & 7pm.
Ashes available all day in the Church.

Notice Board—Clár Fógra

Important Notice: Fr Martin will be working in the UK, with the Canon Law Society of GB & Ireland from, **27th Jan—24th Feb.** Fr Barry Hogg will provide cover during Fr Martins absence & will be residing in the Parochial house during this time.

Maigh Cuilinn, Community Bingo: every Thur in Áras Uilinn, @ 8pm. All welcome!
Galway Cathedral - 40th Annual Novena to Our lady

Child Protection Policy available in Sacristy

of Perpetual Help—Continues until Tue 13th Feb '24.
 Session Times - Mon - Sat 11am, 1:10pm & 7:30pm.
 Sun: **10:30am, 12:30pm, 3pm & 6pm.** Guided, candlelit **Holy Hour**, nightly: **8:30 - 9:30pm (Mon - Fri only)**
ANNUAL MOTHERS PRAYERS WEEKEND IN ST OHN'S REST, KNOCK, CO MAYO For mothers who wish to come together to pray for their children & grandchildren. (you need not be a physical mother) **Fri 16th - Sun 18th Feb** (no cover charge) Contact: ire-land@mothersprayers.org or call Marie, 087-6184110
The Galway PTAA are celebrating 125 yrs of Pioneer Association, with a social on **Sat 24th Feb, in Menlo Park Hotel.** Dinner @ 8pm; music by Tommy Flaherty & Francis Fahy. Tkts: €35. Enquiries/to book, Frances: 086-3121695.

National Steering Committee of the Catechism of the Catholic Church Adult Studies. 1st Catechism Youcat Workshop 2024. Sat 10th Feb at Our Lady's Shrine Knock. Spiritual Dir: Fr V Twomey SVD. See poster.
MEDJUGORJE International Youth Festival July 31—Aug 7. Spiritual Dir: Bishop, MI Duignan. OPEN TO, 18-35 yrs (by 31.7.2024). Subsidised Fare €680 – all inclus. Info & bkg form contact, Galway Diocesan Office, email: info@galwaydiocese.ie /091-563566 or contact your own PP. Limited spaces—first come, first served. Closes: **12th April.**

SANTIAGO DE COMPOSTELA CAMINO 2024 - Join Focus Ireland 'In the Footsteps of St James' on a fully guided walk from Sarria to Santiago de Compostela along the Camino de Frances & help support families in our community's experiencing homelessness. From: **27 May - 3 June. Ex-Dublin.** PH: Monica, 087-9547007/ email: events@focusireland.ie for info & bookings.



FACE MASKS: Still recommend, in group gatherings, for anyone with underlying Health issues.

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.