



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

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3rd Sunday of Ordinary Time
 21st January 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.
Marrriages:
 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.

RÚN AIFRINN/ MASS INTENTION:

Sat 20 7pm

- M/M: John Hand Jr., Clydagh
- Margaret Hand, Clydagh (Anniv)
- Patrick & Margaret Bane & Dec'd fam., Drimavoughane (Anniv)

Sun 21 10am

- Hugh (23rd) & Bríd (5th) Davoren, Leagaun (Anniv)
- John, Peg, & Tom Faherty, Oldtown (Anniv)
- Ann Griffin, Newtown (Anniv)
- People of the Parish
- **NO MASS**
- Joan & Tina Breslin, Woodlands Pk (Anniv)

12 noon

Mon 22 10am

Tue 23 9:30am

Wed 24 9:30am

Thu 25 9:30am

Fri 26 9:30am

Sat 27 7pm

- Seán & Mairead McLoughlin & Martin Clancy, Moycullen (Anniv)
- Ann Faherty, Drimneen (Anniv)
- Sarah & John Kyne & Dec'd family, Leagaun
- John & Catherine Darcy, Newtown
- Sheila Hurney, Tullykyne (Anniv)
- Margaret Epperson & brothers, Josei & Michael O'Connor, Clydagh (Anniv)
- Aingeal Ní Chonghaola, Baile Doite (Anniv)
- M/M: Mark Griffin, Rinneen/Oldtown

Sun 28 10am

12 noon

Please pray for recently deceased:

- Anna Marie Leonard, Oldtown
- Maureen Kenny, Boston & Killagoola, sister, O'Brien & Faherty families

Church Cleaning: Woodlands/Cloonabinnia

Counters: *This week:* Máirtín & Geraldine Clancy
Next week: Enda & Juliet Clancy

Readers: This Week Next Week

7pm Olivia King Nicola McNabb

10am Mary Barrett Sharon Langan

12 noon Kate Rodgers Teresa Morgan

Eucharistic Ministers for Jan:

7pm: Phil Harte, Mary Sweeney & Lorraine Murphy

10am: Sharon Flynn & Ann Lyons

12noon: James Cooley & Kate Rodgers

Offertory: €1670. Online: €40. Hope4Liam-Chalking the Door: €1495. (to-date)

Parish Envelope System: Envelope boxes are available in the Sacristy for collection for anyone still using the weekly envelopes. Please tick your name on the lists, when you take your box away, thanking you.

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

Today we begin to read from the gospel of Mark and this will continue until the end of November apart from Len and Eastertide. Mark is the shortest gospel and considered by most to be the first one. The passages are selected from the gospel of Mark in the order in which they occur so that come November we shall have worked our way through Mark.



Reflection—Ailachnamh

IF I HAVE FAILED YOU

If I have failed you, Lord,
 failed to live my life the way you wanted,
 failed to show your love for others,
 failed to grow through neglect,
 or by conforming to the world's ways,
 forgive me, Lord, and renew me
 with a sense of new beginning,
 like dawn light over cold sea.
 If I have failed you, please help me
 to try and start again, as the sun rises new
 in the morning sky.

PATRICK SAYLE

Notice Board—Clár Fógra

Prayer Service for Christian Unity—St Brendan's Cathedral, Loughrea, THIS Sun 21st Jan @ 8pm.
"You shall love the Lord your God.... and your neighbour as yourself" (Luke 10:27). By invitation of Bishop Michael, all are welcome to this service, to mark the Octave of Prayer for Christian Unity 2024 for both the Diocese of Clonfert & the Diocese of Galway, Kilmacduagh & Kilfenora. Rev John Godfrey, Rector of Aughrim Union of Parishes, Archdeacon of Killaloe & Tuam, will preach at the service.
2nd Collection— Diocesan Pastoral Ctr, NEXT wknd

Child Protection Policy available in Sacristy

(27 & 28 Jan), which provides Parish support with Bereavement Programmes (adults & children) in Counselling & Support, 1st Holy Communion & Confirmation prep, Training for Eucharist/Word Ministers, Parenting programmes, Primary Catechetical support; Youth Ministry; Child Protection & Adult Faith dvlpmt initiatives. Info: www.galwaydiocese.ie

NB: Parish Office will open 11am—2pm on Wed 24th Jan. Other days, as usual, 10am—1pm.

Maigh Cuilinn, Community Bingo: will resume in Áras Uilinn, @ 8pm, Thur 25th Jan. All welcome.

Dance4Liam: Afternoon Tea Dance, Halla Mór, Scoil Mhuire, Sun 28 Jan, 2-5pm, €10. All proceeds to Hope4Liam. Tickets: Concepta 086-2472882.

Scoil Cholmáin Tuairíní, Progressive 25 Card Game in aid of 'Hope4Liam' on Thur 1st Feb @ 8pm, in Scoil Cholmáin. Entry:€10. Lots of raffle prizes on the night. All Door, Raffle & Prize money will be donated to 'Hope4Liam', Fund.

Ranganna Gaeilge, Teach na Gaeilge, De Máirt 23/1/24 @ 11r.n. Fáilte Roimh Chách!

Medjugorje Pilgrimage—Knock to Mostar. Sept. 18th to Sept. 25th. Accompanied by Spiritual Director. Accommodation 2 mins from church. Early booking discount before 3rd Feb '24. OR **Knock to Mostar. Sept. 25th - Oct. 2nd.** Fr Daniel Odofia, Sprtl, Dir. Further info: Anne Keadin, 086 376 6293

Galway Cathedral - Annual Novena to Our lady of Perpetual Help (40th) -Feb 5th -13th '24. Session Times - Mon - Sat 11am, 1:10pm & 7:30pm. Sun: 10:30am, 12:30pm, 3pm & 6pm. Guided Holy Hour by Candlelight: Nightly: 8:30 - 9:30pm (Mon - Fri only)

MEDJUGORJE International Youth Festival July 31st - Aug 7th '24. Spiritual Dir: Bishop MI Duignan. OPEN TO ADULTS 18-35 yrs (by 31st July 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. Closing date 12th April.

FACE MASKS

Still recommend for anyone with underlying Health issues, when attending mass. Thanking you.

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.