



Church of The Immaculate Conception

Muire gan Smál, Maigh Cuilinn

Moycullen Parish Newsletter

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The 18th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Sun 31st July 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

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 30 7pm

- 1st Anniv: Rosaleen Darcy, Cloughane
- Margaret Keady, Slieveaneena (Anniv)

Sun 31 10am

- John F Keady, Knockaurranny (Anniv)
- Joe Thornton, Corcullen, RIP
- Norah Coyne, Knock (10th Anniv)
- People of the Parish

12 noon

Mon 1

Tue 2 9:30am

Wed 3 9:30am

- No Mass
- Holy Souls

- Mariah & Michael Keady & Dec'd Family, Coolaghy

Thu 4 9:30am

Fri 5 9:30am

Sat 6 7pm

- Tim McDonagh & Dec'd family, Poulnaclough
- Dec'd Connor family, Moycullen, UK & USA
- Connor family Intentions

Sun 7 10am

12 noon

- Bridget & Michael Faherty, Finisglen (Anniv)
- Joe Thornton, Corcullen, RIP
- Norah Coyne, Knock (10th Anniv)
- M/M: Michael-John McDonagh, Homefarm & People of the Parish

Church Cleaning: Woodlands/Cloonabinnia

Counters: This week: Máirtín & Geraldine Clancy
Next week: Enda & Julett Clancy.

Readers: This Week	Next Week
7pm Mary Duffy	Mary Anne Feeney
10am Peter Tobin	Ann Marie Walsh
12 noon Maura Thornton	Kate Rodgers

Eucharistic Ministers for August:

7pm: Maureen Acton & Ann Kelly-Clancy
10am: Tom Duffy, Nicholas Barrett & Brenda Monaghan
12noon: Maureen Brown & Anne Newell

Offertory: €960. + €75.(online) Hierarchy Comms: €25.

NB: Parish Office will be closed on **Bank Holiday Mon 1st Aug.** Re-opens: **Tue 2nd @ 10am.**

Monthly Communion Calls: For **August** will take place on **Thur 4th & Fri 5th**, mid-morning. To include someone on the list for either day, please PH: 555106 before **Wed 3rd @ 1pm.**

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

Prayer in the Christian tradition is first of all addressed to God the Father. God is the Father of the Lord Jesus, the Christ as well as our Father. This is true of most of the church's liturgical prayer.

Christian prayer may also be directed towards Jesus, especially by calling on his holy name. One of the most ancient examples of prayer is: 'Lord Jesus Christ, Son of God, have mercy on us sinners'.



Reflection

THERE'S SUNSHINE IN A SMILE

Life is a mixture
Of sunshine and rain,
Laughter and pleasure,
Teardrops and pain,
All days can't be bright,
But it's certainly true,
There was never a cloud
The sun didn't shine through...
So just keep on smiling
Whatever betide you,
Secure in the knowledge
God is always beside you,
And you'll find when you smile
Your day will be brighter
And all of your burdens
Will seem so much lighter...
For each time you smile
You will find it is true
Somebody, somewhere
Will smile back at you,
And nothing on earth
Can make life more worthwhile
Than the sunshine and warmth
Of a beautiful smile.

HELEN STEINER RICE

Child Protection Policy available in Sacristy

Notice Board

Reek Sunday 2022: the annual Reek Sunday Pilgrimage will take place **THIS Sun 31 July** at **Croagh Patrick**. Confessions on summit: 7:30am–2pm. Mass hourly from 8am -2pm.

FREE Home Based Computers programme, available County wide. Successfully run for over 20 yrs, benefiting many people by allowing them to upskill & re-enter the workforce following illness or accident. This course is 'free of charge' to all participants. A laptop can also be provided for the duration of the course. Course delivered on a blended learning basis allowing people the ability to study from home 3 days (per wk) while also gaining support from tutorials 2 days (per wk) in one of our Centre's.

National Novena at Knock Shrine— taking place 14 -22 Aug '22. Our theme for this year is '**A Journey in Hope**', as we look toward the Synod & reflect on the transformative power of hope & resilience in times of adversity.

Galway Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes will take place from **22nd - 27th Sept 2022**. Led by Bishop Michael Dignan. Full Fare: €785, including transfer to & from Shannon Airport (from Galway). Info/Booking: Joe Walsh Tours, 69 Upr O'Connell St., Dub 1. DOI FW11 or info@joewalshstours.ie

Graveyard Masses: Moycullen Cemetery mass will take place on **Sun 14th Aug @ 12 noon** (Weather permitting). Homefarm Cemetery Mass will take place on the Feast of the Assumption; **Mon 15th Aug @ 7pm.**

Lost & Found: Little Girls Sun Hat, found in Aisíerí, Car Park, on **Fri 22nd July '22**. Please, Ph: 555106 to reclaim.

“Thank you” from the **Pallottine Missions**, for the Contributions donated on Sat 23 & 24 July in Moycullen Parish. A total of €1,366, + £20Stg, for which we are very grateful. All donations are used to help those less fortunate, in East Africa. You are assured of continued remembrance in the prayers & masses of our Pallottine Family. May God bless you with His Peace. *Br. Stephen Buckley SAC*

Items for the Newsletter should be delivered, in writing or e-mail, by 1pm Thursday afternoon.

Please note: Items are included based on availability of space, and should be brief and to the point.