

ST. PATRICK'S CHURCH, BALLYHAUNIS

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MASSES:

Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday 10.00am. Saturday Evening Vigil: 7.30pm.

Sunday: 10.00am. & 12.00

CONFESSIONS: Before Saturday Vigil Mass

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION: Wed. & Thurs. 3.00 - 7.00pm. Friday: 10.30am. - 8.00pm.

BAPTISMS: Saturdays & Sundays 11.00am. Minimum of two weeks' notice required. Contact the parish office, 094-9630006.

ANNIVERSARY MASSES 21st - 27th MAY 2018

Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday 10.00am. Saturday 7.30pm.

Dora, Tom, Sighle & John Forde, The Square

Pado Moran, Ballindrehid

Michael & Mary Delia Waldron, Andrew & Delia Greally & decd. of the Greally Family
Ballindrehid

Damien Webb, Devlis

Sean Biesty & decd. Carrowkeel

William & Mary Burke, Abbey St.

James & Delia Ruane & decd. of the Ruane Family, Curries & Swinford

Decd. of the Murray Family, Dunmore

Mamie, Michael, Hugh & Michael Curley, Main St.

Bertie Mulligan, Hazelhill

Sunday 10.00 Month's Mind

Kathleen Waldron, Johnstown

Tony Flynn, Abbeyquarter

26/27 MAY	7.30pm.	10.00am.	12.00
MINISTERS OF THE EUCHARIST	Irene Healy	Mary Murphy	Dympna Greally
	Brigid Lynskey	Margie Gallagher (NH)	Patsy Flanagan
	Noreen Gallagher	Kay Curley	Jana Jurakova
	Marina Coyne	Margaret Tarpey	Irene Nunes
	Marion Regan	Mary McGuire	Helena Byrne
READERS	Mary Donnelly	Eimear Finan	Joan Flanagan

WEEKDAY READERS

Monday: Mary Gormley

Tuesday: Sean Paul Tighe

Friday: Christina Concannon

Offertory Collection 12/13 May, Family Life Services, Castlebar, €2,660

Recently Deceased

We remember in our prayers

Peter Stockdale, Manchester, nephew of Austin Biesty, Pattenspark

PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL MEETING will be held on Tuesday 22nd May at 8.00pm. in the Parochial Hall

11 HOURS ADORATION will be held on Friday 25th May from 9.00am. - 8.00pm in the Blessed Sacrament chapel, for the protection of life and the retention of the 8th Amendment. Anyone wishing to spend an hour in prayer before the Blessed Sacrament is welcome.

CEMETERY COLLECTION: The Cemetery Committee will be collecting the envelopes at all Masses next weekend 26th / 27th May.

THE INAUGURAL MASS FOR ADORERS OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT in our parish will be celebrated in St. Patrick's Church, on Monday, May 21st at 7.00pm. All those involved in Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament and anyone who wishes to attend are invited. Members of the Diocesan Eucharistic Adoration Group will be in attendance.

THE GRADUATION MASS for Leaving Cert Students in the Community School will be held in the Friary on Thursday next, 24th May at 6.00pm.

CORPUS CHRISTI PROCESSION will be held on Saturday 2nd June immediately after 7.30pm. Mass. The route will be from St. Patrick's Church to the Friary

WORLD MEETING OF FAMILIES 21st - 26th AUGUST 2018

An opening ceremony will take place simultaneously across all 26 dioceses of Ireland on the evening of Tuesday 21st August.

Pastoral Congress in the RDS, Dublin from 22nd - 24th August, will offer a daily programme of workshops, discussions as well as fun and prayerful activities for individuals and families, including a tailored programme for children (5-12) and young people (13-17). Registration and tickets required for Congress; all events require tickets, some events will be free i.e. Festival of Families and Final Mass, others will be subject to a fee.

The Festival of Families concert-type event will take place in Croke Park Stadium on the evening of 25th August. It is a celebration of family life around the world that will feature musical and dance performances, as well as five selected families from around the world giving witness to their family's faith.

Final Mass - The World Meeting of Families will conclude with a Solemn Eucharistic Celebration that will gather individuals and families from all around the world in thanksgiving and communion. Venue: Phoenix Park, Dublin

Website: <https://www.worldmeeting2018.ie> Visit the website for up-to-date information on speakers, tickets, etc.

SCRIPTURE SUMMER SCHOOL AT KNOCK SHRINE

Wed. 13 - Sat. 16 June. Facilitated by Fr Kieran O'Mahony OSA & Dr Jessie Rogers. As hearers of the Word, we explore the Word of God with open hearts, open minds and open lives. The first 2 dates (13th & 14th) will be offered to the clergy and final 2 dates (15th & 16th) are open to all. The focus will be on St Mark's Gospel.

Location: Knock House Hotel. Cost: €100 per two days (includes lunch). To book phone (094) 93 75355 or email: faithrenewal@knockshrine.ie

VOLUNTEERING AT KNOCK SHRINE: Knock Shrine would welcome volunteers to assist pilgrims during the 2018 pilgrimage season. A meeting to arrange same will take place in St Mary's Hostel, Knock on Wednesday 23rd May at 8.00pm. All are welcome.

TOCHAR PHÁDRAIG PILGRIM WALK from Ballintubber Abbey takes place on Saturday 26th May departing the Abbey at 8.30am. A backup car will accompany all the walkers to the end. Contact Ballintubber Abbey Office 094 9030934.

MID-TERM HOLY LAND PILGRIMAGE with Fr. Rob McNamara, Galway, October 26th to November 3rd Contact Anne on 074 9551438 or annemcdwyer@gmail.com

PILGRIMAGE TO MEDJUGORJE departing from Knock on 26th September, €709 per person. Contact Anne Keadin 086-3766293.

MAYO ROSCOMMON HOSPICE: Volunteers are wanted to help with National Sunflower Days, 8th & 9th June at Supervalu & Londis, Ballyhaunis. Please call 094-9388666. Any time you can give would be most appreciated.

GARDENING WORKSHOP: A talk on gardening and landscaping by Thomas O'Rourke in the Community Garden at the Friary grounds has been postponed from Saturday 26th May to Saturday 9th June from 2.00 - 4.00pm.

CEOL AGUS CRAIC with Aghamore GAA will take place on Friday 25th May from 9.00 - 11.30pm. in the Heritage Centre, Carton South, Aghamore. Junior session from 7.45 - 9.00pm. Contact Catherine Greally 087 7380783/ Tina Gannon 087 7530632.

WESTERN ALZHEIMERS is recruiting Health Care Assistants for Ballyhaunis and surrounding areas as part of their Community Employment Programme. Dept. of Employment Affairs & Social Protection (DEASP) criteria applies. Contact your local Intreo office, quoting reference number; CES – 2073493, or call Western Alzheimers on (094) 9364900 for full details.

ART EXHIBITION in the Friary, 2nd - 9th June, 2.00 - 5.00pm. daily as part of Ballyhaunis Festival.