

Parish of Gallen and Rynagh

St. Mary's, Cloghan & St. Rynagh's, Banagher
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Notices to be in before **6 p.m.** on Thursdays. 5 to 12.30 p.m. 086 0705801

Readings: 14th Sunday in Ordinary Time / 7th July 2024

Cloghan SVP 087 9272877

Mass Times & Anniversaries			
Sat. 6 th	6.30 p.m.	St. Rynagh's	Mary Carroll née O'Meara, Rosemount.
			Maureen Beirne, husband Michael & dec. Beirne & Devine families.
Sat. 6 th	8 p.m.	St. Mary's	Brendan Meleady, Banagher Street.
			Patrick Gilligan (1st Anniv.) and Frances Gilligan, Lumcloon.
			Mary Shaughnessy, Hill Road.
			Phil Clavin (22 nd Anniv.) and husband Pat (5 th Anniv.)
Sun. 7 th	9.30 a.m.	St. Mary's	Joe Kirwan, Keeraun Hill (requested by P. & P.)
			Maureen Guinan, Ballycumber.
			Peter Kelly, The Grove (2 nd Anniv.)
Sun. 7 th	11 a.m.	St. Rynagh's	John Joe Flannery, Cuba Avenue and deceased family.
			Martin Curran, Harbour Road (requested by B. & E.)
			George Ledwith and deceased Ledwith and Muldoon families.
Mon. 8 th	9.30 a.m.	St. Rynagh's	Bridie Mahon, Cuba Avenue (requested by V.C.)
Tues. 9 th	9.30 a.m.	St. Mary's	Sean Hyland, Tipperary (requested by J. & L.)
			Special Intention – Frances (requested by P.D.)
Wed. 10 th	9.30 a.m.	St. Rynagh's	Seamus & Mel Flynn.
			Patrick & Anne Kenny.
			Tom Toomey, Limerick (requested by M. & R.)
			Special Intention (Frances)
Thurs. 11 th	9.30 a.m.	St. Mary's	Deceased members of the McLoughlin Family.
			Special Intention – Healing (requested by E.C.)
Sat. 13 th	6.30 p.m.	St. Rynagh's	Joe Flannery, Naas.
			James Hyland, Cuba Avenue.
Sat. 13 th	8 p.m.	St. Mary's	Beeney & Kay Bell, Hill Street.
Sun. 14 th	9.30 a.m.	St. Mary's	Marie Dalton (requested by J.L.)
			Kieran, Nora & baby Joseph Doorley.
			Francie & May Horan & Family.
Sun. 14 th	11 a.m.	St. Rynagh's	Bridie Mahon, Cuba Avenue (requested by B. & E.)
	1		Intentions of all Parishioners and Friends of the Parish.





Please pray for the repose of the souls of Rose Corcoran née Johnson, Cuba Avenue; Joe Flannery, Naas, Co. Kildare, brother-in-law of Aodh Horan. May they rest in peace.

Donations to the Parish: If you wish to offer financial support to the Church by electronic transfer our bank details are as follows:- Banagher Parochial Account IBAN: IE23 BOFI90165034757730. BIC:

BOFIIE2D Thank you. **Offertory Collections:** Banagher €740. Cloghan €740.

LOUGH DERG: 3-day Pilgrimage Fri. 31st May to Thurs. 15th Aug. Adm. €80. Booking advised 071 9861518 www.loughderg.org or info@loughderg.org. Concessions available for students, seniors and groups.

Medjugorje Irish Centre Pilgrimages April - Oct 2024: 7 Nights Apartment B&B from €273 per person sharing. Airport transfer available on request. Contact us for details and book the dates that suit you.

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Sleepy Hollow, Taylor's Cross taking orders for filling your hanging baskets, window boxes and pots. Wide variety of summer bedding available now and also at Paul & Mary Flynn's shop. Instagram page @sleepy.hollow.flowers

Feast of St. Benedict, Abbot, Patron of Europe celebrated on Thurs. 11th July. He founded the monastery at Monte Cassino. His Rule, observed by Benedictines and Cistercians is distinguished by its wisdom and balance and those who lived by it did much to shape the Europe of today. Named Patron of Europe in 1964.

World Day of Prayer for Grandparents and the Elderly celebrated on Sunday 28th July.

Building Fund: March, April, May and June €5,550. This fund is used to help with the following projects:-

- 1. Installation of railings in St. Mary's and St. Rynagh's Churches.
- 2. Alterations completed on Church seats in St. Mary's.
- 3. Alterations of shelves in Church porches in St. Mary's.
- 4. Restoration of Church Windows in St. Rynagh's.

Footcare clinic will be held in Crank house on Monday 22nd July. For appointment please contact Ger Heenan 086 3532672.

The Alzheimer Café, Ballybofey is taking place on Wed. 10th July from 11.30 a.m. to 1 p.m. at the Villa Rose Hotel, Ballybofey. This is an informal way to meet others and socialise. Please help support this event.

The Pioneer Pilgrimage to Knock will take place on Sunday 21st July. Mass at 3 p.m. will be followed by Eucharistic Blessing and Procession to the Shrine. Pioneers along with friends and relations of people who are living "one day at a time" with addiction are welcome.

Banagher Library: * Summer Stars has arrived and Banagher Library will be having our Story time at 3.30 p.m. every Wednesday. This event is suitable for 3 – 7 year olds. Adult supervision required. * Offaly County Childcare Committee will be facilitating Stay and Play sessions in Banagher Library on Wed. 3rd July and Wed. 17th July at 10.15 a.m. for booking please contact Darina on 085 1703772. * Banagher Library will be joined by Simone Schuemmelfeder for a Sensory Story Time on Wed. 3rd July at 2 p.m. this event is suitable for 6-10 year olds. Booking is required and Adult supervision.

*Let's get Crafty on Fri. 12th July at 2.30 p.m. This arts and crafts will be suitable for 4-6 year olds. Booking and adult supervision required. * Patricia Marteinsson will be hosting a Parenting Talk in Banagher Library on Wed. 24th July at 2.30 p.m. Patricia is a Registered General Nurse, Public Health Nurse and IBCLC (International Board-Certified Lactation Consultant) with the HSE. Patricia will cover subjects such as postnatal depression, benefits of extended natural term breastfeeding, introducing breastfeeding boundaries, weaning, behaviour of newborn babies and practical survival tips. For Bookings contact Banagher Library on 057 9151471 or email banagherlibrary@offalycoco.ie.

Eiffel Tower → Colosseum 1500km Charity Solo Hike: My name's Caolan Kelly from Lusmagh, Banagher. I'm an adventure enthusiast who loves traveling and new experiences. Although I have a background in Biomedical Science and Engineering, my real passion lies in exploring new places and challenging myself to grow. I'm dedicated to helping others who feel directionless in life, as I once did. I am doing this by sharing my unfiltered journey online of leaving the 9 - 5 conventional path to create a more fulfilling lifestyle. Why am I doing this? to Spread Awareness/Help Break the Stigma Surrounding Mental Health/Personal Growth. I am raising awareness for Young People's Mental Health in Ireland by supporting and raising funds for Jigsaw. Starting Point - The Eiffel Tower, Paris/1st of August. Ending Point - The Colosseum, Rome/ Mid September. I will start this 1500KM Solo Hike on the 1st August and it will take approximately 6 weeks to finish. I aim to cover between 30-40Km on foot each day, passing through the French countryside, The Swiss Alps and continuing all the way to Rome. I'll be documenting every step of the journey on my socials. Instagram / TikTok - kelly_caolan Email: caolankelly24@gmail.com
I'll be releasing a weekly podcast episode throughout the experience. Subscribe to "The Journey w/ Caolan Kelly on Spotify. Follow My Page / Share with a friend / Donate. Any donations would mean the world. Visit: www.idonate.ie/fundraiser/CaolanKelly.

GLENSTAL PRAYER

Drive away the darkness that surrounds me, spread around me the Mantle of your Light. Help me to know your Will and give me the courage to do it.

(Prayer said at 5.45 p.m. each day in Glenstal Abbey)