



Parish of Gallen and Rynagh

St. Mary's, Cloghan & St. Rynagh's, Banagher

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Readings: Pentecost Sunday /19th May 2024

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Mass Times & Anniversaries

Sat. 18 th	6.30 p.m.	St. Rynagh's	Donal Guinan, Cushcallow (Month's Memory) Marian Kirwan (2 nd Anniv.) & her parents Jack & Mary, Keeraun Hill. Alan Quirke, The Hill. Billy Lyons, Main Street. Peter Wynne and his son David, Curraghavarna. Richard & Mary White, Cuba Avenue. Sacrament of Confirmation
Sat. 18 th	8 p.m.	St. Mary's	Tommy & Thomas Foley & Veronica Guinan. Margaret Scully, Fortal, Birr.
Sun. 19 th	9.30 a.m.	St. Mary's	Joe Mahon & daughter Siobhan, Banagher Street. Mary Kearns (4 th Anniv.), Killimor & Stonestown. Dominic Carroll, Ballysheil & his parents James and Margaret. Jack Fagan, Gaulstown. Special Intention – Get Well (Sheila)
Sun. 19 th	11 a.m.	St. Rynagh's	Teresa Kelly (8 th Anniv.), Main St., and her son Patrick. Peter Ellis late husband of Bernadette Russell. Pam Regan, Ballyeighter.
Mon. 20 th	9.30 a.m.	St. Rynagh's	Noel O'Meara, Cuba Avenue. Eamon Morris, Cloncondra, Eyrecourt. Special Intention – Betty (requested by F. Q.)
Tues. 21 st	9.30 a.m.	St. Mary's	Teena Guinan, formerly Lumcloon N.S. (1 st Anniv.) Tommy & Rita Martin & Gerry McLoughlin and deceased family. Jack Furey, Donegal. Special Intention – Get Well (Amanda)
Wed. 22 nd	9.30 a.m.	St. Rynagh's	Fr. Frank O'Shaughnessy OSA, Dublin (requested by M.R.) Special Intention – Teresa.
Thurs. 23 rd	9.30 a.m.	St. Mary's	John McGinty, Mayo (requested by J.F.) Fr. Frank Gray (2 nd Anniv.) Mary & Kathleen Byrane, Dunboyne
Sat. 25 th	6.30 p.m.	St. Rynagh's	Willie Gavin, St. Rynagh's Road. Thomas & Frances Moylan, Rapemills. Peggy Nagle, Ferbane (requested by L.W.) Regina Duggan Fitzgerald, Claregalway and Banagher.
Sat. 25 th	8 p.m.	MASS IN KILLOURNEY CEMETERY Michael & Annie Camon, Ferbane St.	
Sun. 26 th	9.30 a.m.	St. Mary's	Gerry & Moyra Coady and deceased family members. John McGinty, Mayo (requested by P. & P.)
Sun. 26 th	11 a.m.	St. Rynagh's	Willie Moran & his daughter Helena Brazil, Queen St. & Feighs. Joe Considine, Tipperary Town, formerly Clare (requested by P. & C.)

Jesus Said, "I am the Resurrection and the Life".

Please pray for the repose of the souls of Bridie Mahon née Kelly, Ard Abhainn and formerly Kilconnel, Galway; Mary Carroll née O'Meara, Ballintubber, Rosemount, sister of Willie O'Meara, Harbour Road; Dan Hogan, Esker, Banagher. May they rest in peace.

Feast of Pentecost celebrated this Sun. 19th May. The fifty days of Easter conclude with the celebration of Pentecost Sunday.

Feast of the Blessed Virgin Mary, Mother of the Church celebrated on Mon. 20th May. We celebrate Our Lady's motherly care of the pilgrim church on earth.

Feast of the Most Holy Trinity celebrated on Sunday 26th May.

Baptism: We welcome into the Christian Community Keelin Conor Daly, Hill View, who was baptised in St. Mary's Church last weekend.

Banagher College – Coláiste na Sionna GRADUATION MASS celebrated this Thurs. 23rd May at 7.30 p.m.

Exam Students will be remembered at Masses: St. Mary's this Sat. 18th/Sun. 19th May.

St. Rynagh's on Sat. 25th/Sun. 26th May. May the Holy Spirit guide the young people in the coming weeks.

Ardagh & Clonmacnois Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes 2024 takes place 31st May – 5th June 2024 led by Bishop Paul Connell and Pilgrimage Director: Monsignor Bernard Noonan P.P. For information and bookings contact Joe Walsh Tours 01 2410800 or email info@joewalshstours.ie

Thank You: Maria and Patrick Curley would like to thank all who called to the house on the Tea Day and donated, those who dropped a donation in and to those who donated online. The total raised for the Alzheimer's Society of Ireland was €2,215.

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
All Ireland Rosary Rally - Knock - Saturday 1st June: Join thousands of people from around Ireland and beyond for the All Ireland Rosary Rally on June 1st. The day begins at 9.30 a.m. with a Conference in St. John's Centre. Speakers include Fr Brendan Kilcoyne, Fr Joseph Mary Deane CFR, and Sr Ana Margarita Lanzas SCTJM. Then there is a chance to meet over 20 apostolates from around Ireland in St John's Centre from 11.30 a.m. The keynote speaker, Mother Adela Galindo, is coming from Miami, Florida, and she will speak in the Basilica at 1 p.m. The Stations of the Cross will be outside from 2 p.m. followed by the Rosary procession. Mass will commence at 3 p.m. in the Basilica and will include the anointing of the sick. Bishop Phonsie Cullinan will be the Main Celebrant. Dana will join the choir to sing. There will also be rosary and scapular making workshops in the marquee. Over 50 buses are going from around Ireland. For more info. www.allirelandrosaryrally.com

Comfort Homecare are Recruiting: Community Health Care Workers for Offaly: Banagher & Banagher areas. IMMEDIATE START. Email your CV to hmananager@comforthomecare.ie or 0851552460 for more information. REQUIREMENTS: Full Drivers License and Own Car - QQI Level 5 in Healthcare or working towards - Experience in Healthcare desirable. EMPLOYEE BENEFITS: Excellent Rates of Pay - Travel Allowance - Flexible Working Hours - Ongoing Training Provided - Free Garda Vetting - Free Uniform.

Gents: Join us on our new MenPower programme, exclusively for those aged 18-30 years! This is your chance to level up in all aspects of life, from personal development to career and training opportunities. Starting May 29th. Participation on this programme is free and social welfare benefits will not be affected. Refreshments and a light lunch are provided. For more information call Aoife on 087 7385989.

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: BOFIE2D Thank you.

Offertory Collections: Banagher € 900. Cloghan €895.

Our Lady of Clonfert Church Programme for the **May Masses and Devotions** are available in Clonfert Church and on their Facebook page or contact the Parish Office on 090 9675113. Mass each evening Monday to Saturday at 7.30 p.m. Mass each Friday at 12 Noon.

The Power of the Holy Spirit at Work

When you pray for guidance and receive Wisdom – that's the Holy Spirit.

When you are tempted to say something in anger and you refrain, that's the Holy Spirit giving you restraint and right judgement.

When you are confused and worried and you receive new insights that's the Holy Spirit blessing you with knowledge and understanding.

When you feel like giving up but keep persevering in faith and hope, that's the Holy Spirit filling you with fortitude.

When you are distracted in your prayers and peace of mind surrounds you that's the Holy Spirit giving you wonder and awe in God's presence.

As we celebrate Pentecost, we pray, Come Holy Spirit to guide, to bless and protect us. Amen.

Prayer to St. Rita of Cascia - Feast day 22nd May

Father in heaven, you granted to Saint Rita a share in the passion of your Son. Give us courage and strength in time of trial, so that by our patient endurance we may enter more deeply into the paschal mystery of your Son, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. Amen. (From the Divine Office)

