

## Parish of Gallen and Rynagh

St. Mary's, Cloghan & St. Rynagh's, Banagher Patrick Kiernan P.P. 057 9151338



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to 12.30 p.m. 086 0705801

Readings: 21st Sunday in Ordinary Time / 25th August 2024

**Cloghan SVP** 087 9272877

Mass Times & Anniversaries			
Sat. 24 <sup>th</sup>	6.30 p.m.	St. Rynagh's	Michael Langtry, Curraghavarna (10th Anniv.)
			Jason Hoban, Middle Road.
			Special Intention – Get Well Margaret (requested by M.H.)
Sat. 24th	8 p.m.	St. Mary's	Mary Hanamy, Blackmills (Month's Memory)
			Patrick & Miriam Murray & daughter Doris, Cloghan Hill.
			Mary Hogan, Banagher Street.
Sun. 25 <sup>th</sup>	9.30 a.m.	St. Mary's	Mary O'Connor, Birr (requested by P. & P.)
			Lillian Fleming née Nicholson, Clara (2 <sup>nd</sup> Anniv.)
			James & Christina Coughlan and deceased family, Cloghan Hill.
Sun. 25 <sup>th</sup>	11 a.m.	St. Rynagh's	Ciaran Kelly (1st Anniv.) and his mother Gabrielle (16th Anniv.)
Mon. 26th	9.30 a.m.	St. Rynagh's	Special Intention – Get Well (requested by M.R.) Queen Street.
			Teresa (4th Anniv.) & George Kelly, Curraghavarna.
Tues. 27th	9.30 a.m.	St. Mary's	Gerard (Ger) Muldoon, Carn Park.
Wed. 28th	9.30 a.m.	St. Rynagh's	Noel Jones, Portavolla (requested by Edel)
			Elizabeth & Patrick Higgins, Harbour Cross.
			Special Intention – Get Well (Anne)
			Special Intention – Get Well (Karen)
Thurs. 29th	9.30 a.m.	St. Mary's	Mary Theresa (Teasie) Rosney née Dunican, Lea Beg, Boora,
			(requested by Cloghan Active Retirement Group)
Sat. 31st	6.30 p.m.	St. Rynagh's	Alanna Madden, Shannon View (9th Anniv.).
			Jim Conroy, Ballynacargy.
Sat. 31st	8 p.m.	St. Mary's	John, Mary Jane & Sheila Daly, Terry Evans, Christine Burnett &
			Sabina Murtagh (9th Anniv.) and husband John. Maurice Howe.
			John Shaughnessy & his parents Mary & Patrick, Hill Road.
Sun. 1st	9.30 a.m.	St. Mary's	James Beirne (9th Anniv.) & wife Bridie.
			Bernadette (Dettie) Hayes (5 <sup>th</sup> Anniv.), husband Stan & daughter
Sun. 1st	11 a.m.	St. Rynagh's	Frank & Peggy Kenny, Curraghavarna. Anne, Birr.
			Pat O'Keeffe, Raheny, Dublin.
			Intentions of all Parishioners and Friends of the Parish.





Please pray for the repose of the souls of Elizabeth (Lil) Burke, Birr Road; Monica Kelleher, Taylor's Cross, formerly Collooney, Co. Sligo and Cahir, Co. Tipperary. 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: Sunday & Holy Day - Banagher €1,305. Cloghan €1,140. Shrine: Banagher €425.

Diocese of Ardagh and Clonmacnois Pilgrimage to Knock on Sunday 1st Sept. 2.30 p.m. Anointing of the Sick. 3 p.m. Mass celebrated by Bishop Paul Connell. 4 p.m. Rosary Procession.



Diocese of Ardagh & Clonmacnois Pattern Day on Sunday 15th Sept. Pattern Prayers 2.45 p.m., 3 p.m. Pattern Mass - Celebrant Bishop Paul Connell, Preacher Fr. Peter Burke P.P. Ferbane and Administrator Clonmacnois Parish.

Feast of St. Monica celebrated on Tues. 7th Aug. Patron Saint of all mothers.

Feast of St. Augustine, Bishop and Doctor of the Church celebrated on Wed. 28th Aug. Patron saint of all theologians.

Feast of the Passion of St. John the Baptist celebrated on Thurs. 29th Aug. John the Baptist is found worthy of the martyr's death, his last and greatest act of witness to Christ.

Sunday 1st Sept. 2024 – World Day of Prayer for the Care of Creation.

Baptisms: We welcome into the Christian Community Bella Breda McCabe, Stonestown, who was baptised in St. Mary's Church and Jane Paula Browne, Dereen, Cloghjordan, who was baptised in St. Rynagh's Church last weekend.

St. Mary's and St. Rynagh's: Sincere thanks to all who clean, tidy and decorate both Churches inside and outside. It is very much appreciated by all parishioners and visitors to the parish.

FIRST FRIDAY for September celebrated on Friday 6th Sept.

Communion Calls: Tues. 3rd Sept. – Cloghan Area Wed. 4th Sept. – Banagher/Cloghan Area. Friday 6th Sept. - Banagher Area.

Mass on the First Friday: St. Rynagh's 9.30 a.m. and St. Mary's 7 p.m.

Schools Opening Times: Banagher College - Mon. 26th Aug. 3rd, LC2 & LCA2, 2nd, LC1 & LCA1 & TY's. Lumcloon N.S. will reopen for all pupils on this Wednesday 28th August.

St. Rynagh's N.S. and St. Mary's N.S. will reopen for all pupils on Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> Sept.

The Ganley School of Irish Dancing resumes on Monday 9th September in the Heritage Hall, Ferbane. Beginners at 6 p.m., advanced dancers at 6.45 p.m. Classes for adults start in Dun-na Si Moate on Wednesday 9th October at 8.30 p.m. Enquiries to Joe Ganley 087 6473497.

Next month the Relics of St Bernadette of Lourdes will be taken to Ireland to visit each diocese. In our own diocese the relics will be in St Mel's Cathedral on Friday 27th and Saturday 28th September.

Catholic Marriage Encounter in Ireland is a weekend experience for married couples who want something more in their marriage - more fun, spontaneity, excitement, communication, understanding, romance, intimacy, passion, joy. Our next Marriage Enrichment Weekend is Friday 8 - 10 November 2024 Venue: Focolare Centre, Prosperous, Co. Kildare. Online booking only: www.marriageencounter.ie

Harvesting Gratitude: Weekend Retreat with Carol Barry 13th to 14th Sept. at the Dominican Retreat Centre, Tallaght, D24 KA40. The retreat offers the invitation to pause, ponder, acknowledge and celebrate with gratitude the many blessings of our lives. Cost €280 residential; €180 non-residential. For more info and bookings call the Dominican Retreat Centre 01 4048189 or email dominican retreats@gmail.com

Banagher Active Retirement Club: The committee have organised a trip to Dungarvan, Co Waterford, for Tuesday 8th October for 3 nights/4 days. The number of places are limited so please contact Billy or Esther Coffey, Pauline Lynskey, or Mary Hughes as soon as possible. \* The Club resumes on Tuesday 3rd Sept. from 2-4 p.m.

Foot Clinic in Crank House Monday 26th August. Subsided by social services. By appointment only. Please contact Geraldine Heenan Dip.FH MCFHP 086 3532672.

## A prayer of Trust

Do not be anxious about what might happen tomorrow. The same Eternal Father who cares for you today will take care of you tomorrow also and every day of your life; Either He will shield you from pain and suffering or He will give you unfailing strength to bear

So be at peace then; put aside all useless thoughts; All vain dreads and all anxious imaginations.

St. Francis de Sales