

Davitts Lotto: There was no winner of last week's jackpot. Numbers drawn were 6, 12, 23 & 26. Draw for a jackpot prize of €9,400 takes place Sunday 1st of May in The Borderline.

Fixtures: Senior 1D League home to Ballintubber Sunday 1st of May at 12pm

Senior 1A Saturday 7th home to Ballaghadareen. Time TBC. Registration & membership due-contact club officials. **€100 Club & County tickets now in circulation. Tickets can be bought online through Mayo GAA website. Purchasers are entitled to full family membership. Contact committee for details.**

Davitts Ladies Club wish the best of luck to **Eilís Ronayne and Rebecca Waldron and the Mayo Minors** in the Connacht A Final v Galway in Ballyhaunis on B/Holiday Mon 2nd May @ 5pm.

Best of luck also to Laura Waldron and the **Mayo Seniors** as they face Cork in the All Ireland League Final in Parnell Park on Sat May 7th at 7.15pm.

Computer Classes commencing in Ballindine Community Centre on the 3rd May at 2:00pm. **Course is free** call Paul on 0876548881 to book at place. **€10 booking fee required (refundable)**

Susan's Little Scholars, Ballindine is now extending its services, from September we will be open 8am-6pm, offering Full/Part Time Childcare including Breakfast Club, Montessori and After School and will be open all year round. For booking contact Susan on 0858133849

BALLINDINE/IRISHTOWN/MILLTOWN ACTIVE RETIREMENT ASSOCIATION has organised a 4 day/3 night holiday (7-10 June) based in Athlone. Visits to Athlone Castle, Clay Pipe museum, Birr Castle & Gardens, Tullamore Dew Distillery, St. Mel's Cathedral (Longford), and a trip to a few of the 1916 sites in Dublin are on the itinerary. Travel is by luxury coach with a guide. Details 087-6310005

Pieta House 'Darkness into Light' 5K Walk/Run will be held at Claremorris Athletic Club on **Saturday 7th May @ 4.15am**. Refreshments served after the walk and any home baking donations would be much appreciated. Contact James 0866089050 for further information.

Anam Cara Parent Evening Wed 4th May 7-9pm in the Ballybane Enterprise Centre, Ballybane, Galway. Admission Free to bereaved parents.

Claremorris Town Hall looking for quality acts for spots on a variety show. Please contact John on 094 931 0999 for details. **Tickets for The Matchmaker Tues 3rd & Mick Mulhearn Sat 7th available also.**

Family Carers Ireland are providing the QQI (FETAC) Level 5 Nursing Theory and Practice Module due to commence 05/05/2016 in Claremorris. Tel: 057-9370221.

SMA Family Fun Day in Claregalway Sun 5th June 1-5pm – looking for good quality goods, plants, cakes etc., all proceeds in aid of our Missions.

Warmer Homes Scheme – Get Your Home Insulated for Free- Clár ICH wishes to invite applications for the Warmer Homes Scheme. Criteria set down by SEAI: - Covering most of Mayo & Sligo areas.

1. Owner occupied, non-Local Authority Homes (Proof is required) 2. Constructed before 2006

The Owner must be in receipt of one of the following: (1.) Fuel Allowance as part of the National Fuel Scheme, (2) Job Seekers Allowance for over 6 months and with children under 7 years of age. (Letter from the Dept only, receipt not acceptable, (3) Family Income Support, (4) One Parent Family Payment Further details and for an application form please contact 094-9371830 or 094-9373455."

Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes – July 6th – 11th, 2016 led by Archbishop Michael. Contact Sheila Davin for booking and details 086-8664633.

Diocesan Pilgrimage to Fatima - 7 nights. August 25th. Details & Booking Form from Therese at 01 2410822 or John at 093 28337.

Holy Land –31st Oct– 8th Nov. Spiritual director Fr. Robert McNamara, a native of Athenry. Contact Veronica at 091 755262 or Marian Pilgrimages direct at 01 8788159.

Medjugorje - September 28th. from Knock. All inclusive. For details contact Detta @ 086-8197111 or dettamolloy1234@gmail.com.

Volunteering at Knock Shrine - Would you have a little spare time this summer and consider becoming a volunteer at Knock Shrine? Volunteers welcome and assist pilgrims during their time at Knock. Times would be arranged to facilitate your family and personal commitments. A meeting to discuss this plan will be held on **Wed 4th May at 8pm** in the **Witness to Hope Centre, Knock**. Further info - 094-9375070.



St. Joseph's Church Ballindine **Parish of Kilvine** **Church of the Holy Family & St. Oliver Irishtown**

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Visit our website, at the above address, or kilvine parish community facebook page.

30th April – 8th May, 2016



In the Gospel today: Christ promised his Apostles, the night before his death, that when he returned to the Father, the Holy Spirit would be sent to them. He would teach them all things and recall to their minds all that Christ had taught them.

A Prayer to say: Dear Jesus, thank you for all you have given us.

Thank you for sending us the Holy Spirit to remind us of everything you told us.

Help us to know that you are always with us. Amen.

Cluster Priests

Fr. Cribben 093-51609

Fr. Gannon 086-2656563

Fr. Quinn 087-2685288

Community Alert Text No`s:

087-2452565; 087-1322411

086-8436958; 087-6528213

Claremorris Garda Station 094-9372080

Sixth Sunday of Easter

Remembered in Masses this week 30th April – 8th May, 2016

<i>Ballindine</i>	Sat 30 th	8.15pm	Joe & Mary Gibbons and daughter Helena and deceased of family, Michael & Kate Healy and deceased of family, Josephine & Lily Trench, Deceased of Mongan & Jordan Families.
Irishtown	Sun 1 st	12noon	Joe & Nora Kelly and deceased of McHugh Family, Mary Coughlan.
	Tues 3 rd	<u>No Mass</u>	
Irishtown	Wed 4 th	7.00pm	Private Intention
<i>Ballindine</i>	Thurs 5 th	9.30am	Private Intention
<u>First Friday</u>			
<i>Ballindine</i>	Fri 6 th	9.30am	Private Intention
Irishtown	Fri 6 th	7.00pm	Holy Souls
<i>Ballindine</i>	Sat 7 th	8.15pm	Pat & Sarah McHugh, Mary Tuite (<i>sister of Terri Griffin</i>) recently deceased, Joe Prendergast, Thomas & Bridget Canavan.
<u>Feast of The Ascension</u>			
Irishtown	Sun 8 th	12noon	Pat, Ellen & Padraic Cullina, Michael, Mary, Jim & Tommie Clarke, Sean McManus, John Neary and deceased of family, Annie O'Brien and deceased of family.

Annual Collection for Family Life Services at Family Centre, Castlebar, will take place next weekend 7/8th May. Please be as generous as you can to support this vital service.

First Friday 6th May

Masses:

Ballindine 9.30am

Irishtown 7pm

Commuion Calls:

Irishtown 10.30am approx.

Ballindine 2.30pm approx.

First Holy Communion

Ballindine Sat 14th May @ 12noon

Irishtown Sat 21st May @ 12noon

Refreshments will be available, courtesy of the Parent's Assoc., after the Ceremonies in the Community Centres. All are welcome.

Anniversaries:

Anyone wishing to have their deceased loved ones remembered in the Parish Newsletter please forward your list with names and dates and they will be included annually in the newsletter.

Those we hold most dear never truly leave us; they live on in the kindness they showed us.

John Mitchell, Johnny Connolly, Patrick Dowd, Mary Walsh, Mary Gibbons, Margaret McMorrow, Peter (Sally) Mitchell, Mary Niland, Luke Corr, Eileen Huane, Mary Ellen Ruane, Eileen Huane.

Eucharistic Ministers

Ballindine Sat 7th 8.15pm

P. Giblin, F. Devane, C. Egan

Irishtown Sun 8th 12noon

J. O'Dea, G. Prendergast

Prayers of Faithful

Ballindine Sat 7th: Cathal Devane, Ian Prendergast

Irishtown Sun 8th: Brian Hett, Jamie Raftery

Mass Servers Irishtown during the week Gp 1

Mass Servers Ballindine Tues 3rd : Team H

Marian House Sun 8th May: Florence Devane

Church Readers and Eucharistic Ministers are asked to please try and get a substitute if you cannot attend a particular Mass. **Please note that two Eucharistic Ministers are required to bring up the gifts at Mass.**

Awakening 2016 - Come along on **Thursday 5th May at 7:30pm to the Breaffy Sports arena, Castlebar** for a very special concert of over 300 young people coming together from a large number of our secondary schools across our diocese to provide us with an evening of uplifting church and contemporary music. **The proceeds of this concert will be going to Pieta House.** Tickets are €12. Check out www.dyctum.ie for more info. Contact Teresa on 087-2424927 to book your tickets

Mavo International Choral Festival is hosting a Peace Concert with the RTÉ Concert Orchestra, & conductor David Brophy, in Knock Basilica on **Sat May 14th**. This Peace Concert will commemorate the **1916 Rising and World War One**. The orchestra will perform with a 120 member choir and soloists Anne Marie Gibbons and Owen Gilhooly. For information and tickets, visit www.mavochoiral.com or www.knockshrine.ie/faithrenewal

Sunday Mass Time

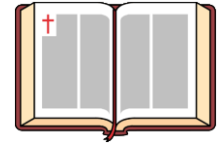
Next weekend those attending Mass will have the opportunity of indicating their preference as to the time of Sunday Mass i.e. 12noon, the current time, or 10.30am. Please consider it carefully.

Eucharistic Adoration

Thanks is extended to those who are present regularly for Eucharistic Adoration in both churches of our parish. To assist us in promoting Eucharistic Adoration a member of the Diocesan Team will speak at Masses on the weekend of 28th & 29th May. More details later.

Tuam Diocesan Pilgrimage to Knock Sun, May 1st.

As part of the Tuam Diocesan Pilgrimage to Knock, we, the Cluster of Claremorris, Kilvine, Milltown and Crossboyne, are asking you to make a special effort to make this pilgrimage and to meet together as a group behind the **Cluster Banner** outside the Basilica at **2pm**.



Parish Meetings

Ballindine Cemetery

Committee Meeting
Thurs 5th @ 8pm

Care & Maintenance

Meeting Wed 11th @ 8.30pm

Parish Finance Committee

Meeting Thurs 12th
@ 8.30pm

Church Cleaners needed for Irishtown for July- and Ballindine for June and December.

Please contact Fr. O'Connor or any Church Sacristan or tel: 087-9793747.

WARNING

Low flying aircraft will be flying over this area during the month of May, collecting geological information. The white, twin propeller plane has a red tail, black stripe, and Reg. No. C-GSGF. The sound of the plane is similar to that of a passing lorry, however it may startle sensitive animals, such as horses. If you have sensitive livestock, particularly horses, and you are concerned, **please contact us now on 1800 303 516 or tellus@gsi.ie or @TellusGSI**

Marriage: Congratulations to **Sandra Cunningham, Castlebar and Finbar Loughnane, Birr**, who were married recently in Ballindine Church