

**'Strictly Come Dancing'** supporting **Irishtown Community Centre Saturday 29<sup>th</sup> Dec** in Bourke's, Irishtown – a very enjoyable night guaranteed.

**Davitts Presto Result** Numbers drawn 6, 15, 23, 31. Jackpot of €17,900 not won. Following matched 3 numbers and receive €50 each: Pat Kearns, Leface, Tom Tully, Scardaune, Kathleen McGee, Rockfort, Johnny Farragher, Claremorris, Paddy Carey, Ballindine, Angela Glynn, Claremorris, Una & Rossa Vahey, Brookhill, Claremorris, Jim Brogan, Ballindine. Next Draw is Sunday 23<sup>th</sup> in Clarke's, Ballindine with the Jackpot standing at a huge €18,000. **There will be additional prizes of four €50 shopping vouchers in Sunday night's draw.** As of January 1st 2019, Davitts GAA Club are proud to announce they will become a smoke free club. This is in partnership with the HSE, Healthy Ireland, Irish Life and the GAA Healthy Club Project. The smoke free area includes the club house, pitch, stand and surrounding areas. We are grateful for your support.

**Irishtown Foroige Club** members wish to thank everyone who supported their Christmas Log and Cake Sale last weekend which netted a total of €1,120 for the Club.

**25 Card Game in Brickens Community Centre** on St. Stephen's Day at 3pm. All Welcome.

**Childcare manager required for a maternity leave at Happytots Childcare**, Irishtown, Claremorris. 33 hours / week. Minimum of level 7 in childcare with previous experience required. Please forward CV to [kilvinepchildcare@gmail.com](mailto:kilvinepchildcare@gmail.com). **Closing date 11th Jan.**

**Anam Cara Galway**, the organisation that supports bereaved parents, Parent Evening on **Wed 2nd Jan** at 7:20pm in the Clayton Hotel, Old Monivea Rd, Ballybrit, Galway. Free and open to all bereaved parents regardless of the age your child died, the circumstances of their death, or whether their death was recent or not.

**FOUND:** Man's Watch in Ballindine Village. Child's Confirmation Rosary Beads in Box in Ballindine Church. Child's Purple Umbrella after Santa Party in Community Centre - owners tel: 087-9793747.

Claremorris Family Resource Centre: **6 Week Mindfulness Course** starting Mon 14<sup>th</sup> January. Cost €60 and Booking essential. **6 Week Mindfulness Course for Teenagers** starting also in January. Cost €30.

Contact Claremorris FRC on (094) 9377838 to book your place.

**Grow (World Mental Health Movement in Ireland)** support group meeting in Claremorris Family Resource on Tuesday 8<sup>th</sup> January 2019 at 11am. Everyone Welcome.

### **MASS CHANGE OVER**

**PLEASE NOTE** as and from Saturday Jan 5<sup>th</sup> Masses will be as follows:  
**Ballindine Sat 8pm**  
**Irishtown Sun 10.30am**

**Tuam Stadium Fundraiser Draw** for a Car and thousands of Euro's - €50 a ticket tel Padraig Coyne 087-2261578. **Draw Sun 30<sup>th</sup>**

#### **January Offertory Collectors:**

*P.O'Connell, T. Mulkeen, S. Brannick*

**Church Cleaners:** **Irishtown:** P Waldron, M. Keane, P. Kirrane

**Ballindine:** N. Macken, P. Gibbons, J. Gormley

**Church Flowers Ballindine:** *Chris Kirrane*

#### **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 Dowd, William Kelly, Katie Heneghan, Winnifred Cummins, Maurice Quinn, Nora Mitchell, Winnie Hunt, Kate Neary, Masie Burke, Pat Connolly, Mary Griffen, Patrick Cunningham, John Kirrane, Jack Dooley, Paddy Mooney, John Gannon, Christie Townley, Ned Hughes, Michael Cullina, Mary Moran, Dominick Casserley, Nora Harrison, James Ruane, Molly Kirrane, Maggie Slattery, Teresa Connolly, John Joe Brogan, Michael Mooney, Mattie Daly, Luke O'Connor, Mike Connolly, Bridget Corr, Kate Kirrane, Delia Waldron, Winifred Cullina, Mary Martyn, Martin Huane, Babs Burns, Pake & Molly Kirrane, May & Willie Kirrane, Pat Conway, Paddy Carey, Mary Joyce, Delia Hopkins, Margaret Gannon, Mary Daly, Patrick Cooughlan, Tom Griffin, Julia Noonan, Eddie Nolan, Luke McManus, Willie Burke.

# Parish of Kilvine

## Christmas 2018



**Wishing Everyone**

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**Happy & Holy Christmas**

**&**

**Peaceful New Year**

Fr. Martin O'Connor P.P. 087-2401297

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**Parish Safeguarding Representative: Ger Conroy 087-9045833**

#### **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**

# Christmas 2018 and New Year 2019

## REMEMBERED IN MASSES THIS WEEK 22<sup>nd</sup> December – 6<sup>th</sup> January, 2019

Irishtown Sat 22<sup>nd</sup> 8.00pm

Tom & Bridget Mulcahy and deceased of family,  
Winifred & John Cummins and Sheila Mitchell,  
Gerald Griffin,  
Michael & Annie Heneghan,  
William & Ellen Morrin and deceased of family,  
Fred Hutchins & grandson Paul,  
Edward & Bridget Cooney,  
Delia Warde.

### Fourth Sunday of Advent

Ballindine Sun 23<sup>rd</sup> 10.30am

Matt & Sarah Glynn,  
Raymond Prendergast & deceased of family,  
Tim Byrne and deceased of Byrne and Cosgrove Families,  
Patrick & Nora Shalley and deceased of family,  
Martin & Valerie Waldron.

### Christmas Eve

Ballindine Mon 24<sup>th</sup> 7.00pm  
Irishtown Mon 24<sup>th</sup> 9.00pm

People of the parish  
People of the parish

### Christmas Day

Ballindine Tues 25<sup>th</sup> 9.30am  
Irishtown Tues 25<sup>th</sup> 11.00am

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### St. Stephen`s Day

Irishtown Wed 26<sup>th</sup> 10.30am

Mike & Teresa Mitchell & deceased of family,  
Michael & Maura Mooney and Anthony.

Ballindine Wed 26<sup>th</sup> 11.30am

Jimmy & Julia Treacy,  
Michael Joyce,  
Bridie & Tommy Joyce,  
Denise Moran.

### St. John Apostle

Ballindine Thurs 27<sup>th</sup> 10.00am

Deceased Priests who served in our Parish

### The Holy Innocents

Irishtown Fri 28<sup>th</sup> 10.00am

All our Emigrants

### Feast of The Holy Family

Irishtown Sat 29<sup>th</sup> 8.00pm

Deceased of Ellis Family,  
Annie & Frank O`Neill.

Ballindine Sun 30<sup>th</sup> 10.30am

James Fahy & deceased of family,  
Deceased of Conroy & Keogh Families,  
James & Nora Naughton,  
Paddy Carey & deceased of family.

### New Year`s Day – Mary The Holy Mother of God

Irishtown Tues 1<sup>st</sup> Jan 10.30am  
Ballindine Tues 1<sup>st</sup> Jan 11.30am

World Peace  
World Peace

Wed 2<sup>nd</sup> & Thurs 3<sup>rd</sup>

No Mass

### First Friday

Ballindine Fri 4<sup>th</sup> 7.00pm

People of the Parish

**Death:** Please pray for  
**Terry O`Neill**, Sydney,  
Australia, husband of Irene  
Prendergast, Rockfort, who  
died recently. May his soul  
Rest in Peace, Amen.

### The Epiphany of The Lord

Ballindine Sat 5<sup>th</sup> 8pm

Frank Glynn & deceased of family,  
William, Delia & Robert Brannick,  
Michael Sheridan.

Irishtown Sun 6<sup>th</sup> 10.30am

Tom & Delia Waldron,  
Willie & Mai Kirrane,  
Pake & Molly Kirrane,  
Eddie, Sara, Tommie, Julie & Mary Nolan  
Joe Scanlon & Noel and Brendan O`Connor.



### Eucharistic Ministers

Ballindine Mon 24<sup>th</sup> 7pm

J. Hennigan, K. Cunnane, P. Kirrane

### Readers

John Halligan Team G

### Servers

Irishtown Mon 24<sup>th</sup> 9pm

M. Freeley, D. McCormack

Leonore O`Hora Gp 2

Ballindine Tues 25<sup>th</sup> 9.30am

M. Kenny, F. Devane, M. Gormley

Stacey Prendergast Team A

Irishtown Tues 25<sup>th</sup> 11.00am

J. Roche, B. Mulkeen

Evelyn Mitchell Gp 3

Irishtown Sat 29<sup>th</sup> 8pm

J. Rattigan, E. Hynes

Frank McGrath Gp 2

Ballindine Sun 30<sup>th</sup> 10.30am

P. Giblin, C. Egan, F. Devane

Martha Kenny Team B

Ballindine Sat 5<sup>th</sup> 8pm

M. Kenny, P. Macken, M. Connolly

Eddie Clarke Team C

Irishtown Sun 6<sup>th</sup> 10.30am

A. Clarke, M. Hett

Kathleen Gibbons Gp 1

Marian House Sun 6<sup>th</sup> Jan: Paula Giblin

Irishtown Servers during the week Gp 3

Offertory Collectors 24<sup>th</sup> Dec: J.Roche, J.Clark

Offertory Collectors 25<sup>th</sup> Dec: B.Freeley, T.Keadin

Offertory Collectors 29<sup>th</sup> Dec: E.Nolan, M.Devine

Offertory Collectors 6<sup>th</sup> Jan: L.Griffin, E.Mitchell

Prayers of Faithful Mon 24<sup>th</sup> Ballindine: John Paul II Youth

Prayers of Faithful Mon 24<sup>th</sup> Irishtown: A. O`Dea, K. Clarke

Prayers of Faithful Tues 25<sup>th</sup> Ballindine: N. O`Brien, B. Corless

Prayers of Faithful Tues 25<sup>th</sup> Irishtown: C. McDermott, A. Roche

Prayers of Faithful Sat 29<sup>th</sup>: A. O`Dea, K. Bourke

Prayers of Faithful Sun 30<sup>th</sup>: L. McLoughlin, G. Kelly

Prayers of Faithful Sat 5<sup>th</sup> Ballindine: N. O`Brien, C. Monaghan

Prayers of Faithful Sun 6<sup>th</sup> Irishown: K. Feerick, J. Feerick

**CHRISTMAS CONFESSIONS:** Sun 23<sup>rd</sup> in Claremorris Church 5-6pm

*Christmas Wishes,*

*Christmas is a very special time for all of us. A time when, is possible families get-together. I welcome all who will be at home for Christmas and New Year and hope you will be able to join us for our celebrations in the Parish Churches of Ballindine and Irishtown.*

*I extend an invitation to all who may not go to Mass regularly to be with us as we celebrate the Birthday of the Lord Jesus. You will be most welcome.*

*May I wish all our parishioners at home and abroad a very happy, peaceful and enjoyable Christmas. May the blessings of the Infant Jesus be with you and all this season and throughout the New Year. Happy Christmas and New Year, Fr. Martin*

*The children`s Choir will be singing & playing at Christmas Eve Mass at 7pm in Ballindine Church and anyone else, young or not so young, is welcome to join them.*

**Children`s Liturgy** will take place during Mass in **Irishtown Church on Christmas Day at 11am**, at which a very special visitor will make a surprise visit.

**Baptism:** We welcome into the Christian Community **Daithi Patrick O`Hora**, who was baptised recently in Irishtown Church and congratulate his parents **Leonore and David, Irishtown.**

**EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION**  
**There will be NO Eucharistic Adoration until January 8<sup>th</sup> & 9<sup>th</sup>**