

Urgent Notice re Defibrillators: Following on from the Public Meeting a Fundraising Sponsored Walk is planned for the W/E of 17th/18th August – day and time to be confirmed. Registration will be in Davitts Club House – Adults €10 / Children €5. **The Defibrillators are all decommissioned until sufficient funds are made available to replace the required batteries and pads. It is hoped as many people as possible will give their support.**

Irishtown Community Council presents a “BARN DANCE” – next Sunday Aug 4th – in Bourke’s, Irishtown at 9pm. Music by Mick Mulhern, & also starring “John Wayne & The Hillbillies” along with some very Special Guests. Chip Van; Prize for best dressed Cowboy & Cowgirl and plenty of fun. Raffle for a Hotel Dinner B & B. Adm €10 with proceeds to the upkeep and development of Irishtown Community Centre.

Davitts Presto: Numbers drawn 12, 17, 18, 24. Jackpot of €5,100 not won. The following won €50 each: Jaqueline Doherty, The Borderline, Gretta McManus & Patricia Waldron, Irishtown, Pat Delaney, Garrymore, Eve & Bev, c/o Evelyn Mitchell, Irishtown. Next Draw Sunday 28th in The Shamrock Bar, Claremorris with a Jackpot of €5,300. **Results:** Mayo U-16 A Ch`ship Semi-Final: Davitts 0-17 Knockmore 2-9; Mayo U-12 Summer League: Davitts 18-10 Hollymount Carramore 8-7.

Fixtures: Sat 27th, Snr League Div 3: Davitts v Parke in Ballindine at 7pm.
A big congratulations to Colm Boyle on his man of the match performance for Mayo in their All-Ireland qualifier match against Meath in Croke Park last Sunday.

Claremorris Agricultural 101st Show Sunday 4th August. Schedules from Maureen Finnerty, Mount St., 087-9241450 or locally at Supermacs and Centra Ballindine.

First Aid Fun Camp in Claremorris Townhall Monday 29th July to Friday 2nd August. 10am to 3pm. Basic first aid training for national school children aged 8 years and up, all in a fun environment. For queries and bookings you can contact the Box Office on 094 93 10999.

Art & Craft Fun Camp Thurs 1st – Sat 3rd Aug 10:30am to 1:30pm in **Claremorris Townhall Theatre**. Thursday 1st– Animal Sculptures (for 5-11 years), Friday 2nd– Paint like a Pro (for 5-11 years), Saturday 3rd– Life Painting (for 5-11 years). Budding artists need to bring their imagination and a packed lunch! For queries and bookings you can contact the Box Office on 094 93 10999.

Fatima Pilgrimage - Aug 29th 7 nights With Tuam Archdiocese Spiritual Director Tel: Therese 012410822

Lough Derg: The 3 Day Pilgrimage is currently open. You may begin on any day until Tuesday 13th Aug.. Advance booking is not necessary. The Lough Derg team can help you to co-ordinate public transport or link up with Pilgrimage Organisers in your locality. Phone Lorraine on 071 9861518 info@loughderg.org. **1 day pilgrimage to Lough Derg from Knock Ballyhaunis and Claremorris on Saturday 7th September - contact Michael Rattigan on 087 2929372 or Patsy on 086 3527455.**

A Summer Cabaret hosted by Annette Griffin and John Staunton and featuring Brendan Shine, Gerry Guthrie and comedian Shaun Connors in McWilliam Park Hotel, , on **Wed, August 7th FOR ONE NIGHT ONLY**. Tickets €25 available McWilliam Park Hotel: 094 9378000, Western Care Association 094 9029144, local outlets and on the night. All proceeds to support **Western Care Association’s local services** for people with intellectual disabilities and their families in the south Mayo area. Please support this worthy cause.

Special Galway Mayo Group Christmas Pilgrimage to the Holy Land Also **Special Pilgrimage to the Holy Land 31st October for Halloween 8 nights** Taking in Bethlehem, Jerusalem Mount Tabor, Cana, Nazareth, Jericho, River Jordan, Dead Sea and Sea of Galilee. **Also**

Special Fatima Pilgrimage 10th October 7 nights for Miracle of the Sun Prayers, Mass and Hungarian Stations of the Cross in Fatima. Contact James Treacy 0860572216

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27th July - August, 2019

Reek Sunday

The name `Croagh Patrick` comes from the Irish *Cruach Phádraig*, meaning Patrick`s staff.

`Mountains speak to us; they make us look up. They draw us irresistibly towards the beyond... They touch our souls`



Prayer to St. Patrick

God our Father, you sent Saint Patrick to preach your glory to the people of Ireland.

By the help of his prayers, may all Christians proclaim your love to all men. Grant this through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. Amen.

Parish Safeguarding Representative: Ger Conroy 087-9045833

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Claremorris Garda Station 094-9372080

Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

REMEMBERED IN MASSES THIS WEEK 27th – 4th August, 2019

Irishtown Sat 27 th 8.00pm	Austin O'Donnell (First Anniversary), Pat & Katie Corr and daughter Mary Delia, Martin & Celia O'Connor.
Ballindine Sun 28 th 10.30am	Mary, Pat & Sean Hartigan, Jimmy Kearns, Eddie & Delia Connors.
Ballindine Tues 30 th 7.00pm	People of the parish, living & dead
Irishtown Wed 31 st 7.00pm	Private Intention
Ballindine Thurs 1 st 9.30am	Private Intention
<u>First Friday</u>	
Irishtown Fri 2 nd 9.30am	Private Intention
Ballindine Fri 2 nd 7.00pm	Gerard Naughton
<u>Kilvine Cemetery (Weather Permitting)</u>	
Irishtown Sat 3 rd 8.00pm	William & Ellen Morrin and deceased of family, Phil, Diarmuid & Renee McDermott, John and Winifred Cummins and Sheila Mitchell.
Ballindine Sun 4 th 10.30am	Dominick Glynn (followed by burial of Ashes) and his mother Pattie, Tommy & Mary Hopkins, son Michael and Sabina Hopkins and deceased of family, Sean & Susan Glynn & deceased of family, Thomas & Delia O'Connor, sons Sonny, Leo and Michael and daughter Helen.

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

Ballindine Tuesday 7 – 8pm

Irishtown Wednesday 7 – 8pm

Death: Please pray for **Patrick Kilroy**, The Heath, Ballindine, who died last weekend.
May his soul rest in peace, Amen.

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.

Kate Kirwan, Bridie Melvin, Michael Higgins, Michael Ryan, Jonathan Kilkenny, Angela Kelly,
William & Ellen Morrin, Michael Devaney, Lil Burke, Mick Loughlin, Tom & Michael Hopkins,
Paddy Jenninas. Lucv McHuah. Christina Moran.

<p><u>Eucharistic Ministers</u> Irishtown Sat 3rd 8pm P. Waldron, C. Griffin</p> <p><u>Readers</u> Sylvia Rattigan</p> <p><u>Servers</u> Gp 1</p> <p>Ballindine Sun 4th 10.30am P. Kirrane, P. Macken, M. Kenny</p> <p>Mary Gill</p> <p>Team F</p> <p>Marion House Sun 4th: Paula Giblin</p> <p>Irishtown Servers during the week Gp 1</p> <p>Ballindine Servers Tues 30th Team E</p> <p>Offertory Collectors Sat 3rd: Evelyn Mitchell, Liam Griffin</p>	<p><i>Reek Sunday: 'Mountains speak to us; they make us look up. They draw us irresistibly towards the beyond... They touch our souls'</i></p>
<p><u>Cemetery Masses 2019 (Weather Permitting)</u> Kilvine Cemetery Saturday 3rd August @ 8pm</p>	<p><u>CHURCH MONEY COUNTER</u> required to work with a team of 2 others, for one month of the year, to help count the Offertory Collection. Please tel: 087-2836322 if interested in helping out.</p>
<p>The Poor Clares in Nuns' Island, Galway, invite you to join them in celebrating the feastday of their foundress St Clare of Assisi. Celebrations begin on the eve of the feastday, Sat 10th August at 5.30, with Evening Prayer including a liturgical re-enactment of the last hours of St Clare's life. This is followed by an opportunity to meet and greet the sisters.</p> <p>On the Feast of St Clare, Sunday the 11th, Mass at 8am will be followed by another opportunity to meet and greet the sisters.</p>	<p><u>Church Cleaners needed for IRISHTOWN Church</u> If you can spare a few hours to help out in Irishtown Church, please tel: 087-9793747, as this is the time of year when we expect visitors to call in.</p>
<p><u>Irishtown Cemetery Committee</u> acknowledges with sincere thanks your generous contribution to the upkeep and maintenance collection on 20th July last which raised €658. It is greatly appreciated.</p>	<p><u>First Friday 2nd August Masses: Irishtown 9.30am Ballindine 7pm</u></p>
<p>The annual <u>Summer Pilgrimage to Máméan</u> will take place on Sunday, 4 August. Turas na Croise/Stations of the Cross will begin at 3.00 p.m., and will be followed immediately by Mass. Bishop Fintan Monahan will be this year's chief celebrant. All welcome.</p>	<p><u>Communion Calls:</u> Irishtown mornings Ballindine afternoons</p>
<p><u>Step by Step to Feed the Next Child</u></p>	
<p>Mary's Meals began feeding 200 children in Malawi in 2002 and is now feeding 1,425,013 children every day in places of education. Our vision is that every hungry child receives a daily meal and that all who have more than they need, share with those who are in need. With our no frills policy, it costs Mary's Meals €15.60 to feed a child for a whole school year.</p> <p>To raise funds and awareness of Mary's Meals, we are walking throughout Ireland. Walks are starting on 7th August from Malin, Derry, Armagh, Coalisland, Lurgan, Dublin, Kilkenny and Limerick and are all arriving in Knock on 15th August. Maybe you could get involved in Step by Step to Feed the Next Child. You are invited to visit our website www.sbs4marysmeals.ie If you would like to participate in the walk for 5k or 10k or a half day or a day or whatever you would be most welcome. T-shirts, high-vis vests, sponsorship cards and more information is available. For more information you can phone Gerry Silke on 0879912470 or Fr Eamonn Kelly on 0879077985.</p>	