

Artist Noah Rose announced as artist for Irishtown Public Art Commission. Mayo County Council is delighted to announce Noah Rose as the successful artist for the Public Art Commission in Irishtown village. **Noah Rose will be presenting a talk about his work to the local community on Thursday 12th May at 7pm at Irishtown Community Centre.** All locals are welcome to attend and meet the artist. Over the summer months the artist will be engaging with the community as part of his research for the project. Mayo Co.Co's Arts Service collaborated closely with Irishtown Community Development Ltd. to development this exciting opportunity for an artist to work in a historic village with a strong community spirit. All are welcome.

Davitts GAA Club The numbers drawn were 3, 7, 29, 30. Four players matched 3 numbers but the Jackpot was not won. The following won €50 each: Bridie Sheridan, Ballindine, Maggie Cullen, London, Paul Cunnane, Cullane, Ronan Kirrane, Ballindine. Thanks to Gilligan's Bar for hosting the draw. There will be a Jackpot of €18,700 in next Sunday night's draw which will be held in Bourkes's, Irishtown.

Results: County Junior B C'ship: Balla 4-2 Davitts 0-13.

Fixtures: Sun 8th, County U-17 League Div 3: Ballintubber v Davitts in Clogher at 11am; Sun 8th, County Junior B C'ship: Davitts v Mayo Gaels in Ballindine at 11am

WEEE Free Electrical Recycling at Davitts GAA Tues 10th May 10am – 4pm – for household waste electrical items, batteries or energy saving lightbulbs – anything with a plug or battery!

Claremorris Musical Society is absolutely delighted to present its fifteenth production, the fabulous 'SISTER ACT, THE MUSICAL' in Claremorris Town Hall Theatre from Thursday, May 26th to Sunday, May 29th at 8pm nightly. Tickets available from www.townhall.ie or by calling 089 4034362.

FOUND: A sum of money & a Lottery Ticket found in Ballindine Church recently. Contact: 087-9793747.

Flourish Social Prescribing Service in Cúram: ideal for any adult who feels they would like to explore ways to meet new people, develop new interests and hobbies. **Public Information Evening on Monday May 9th at 2.30.** For more info email: flourish@thefamilycentre.com or phone 094 9025900

Far East Magazines for pick up in Ballindine Church – Subscription of 15e now due.

A big thank you to everyone who supported the tea/coffee morning hosted by the pupils in Ballindine NS just before the Easter break. A total of €1,600 was raised for CHI (Children's Hospitals Ireland). Well done to all involved.

Lough Derg welcomes Pilgrims again with a full Pilgrimage programme this summer. Three Day Pilgrimage: 1st June - 15th August. Booking advised. Concessions available for students, seniors and groups. One Day Retreats and guided Pilgrim Path experience: dates in May and late August through September. Booking essential. All booking information at www.loughderg.org, email info@loughderg.org or telephone 0(0353) 71 9861518. *Lough Derg, Pettigo, Co Donegal, F94 N289.*

SeniorLine confidential listening service
for older people FREEPHONE 1800 80 45 91

May Church Cleaners

Ballindine: Joe Mangan, Mary Peters
Irishtown: Geraldine Moran, Josie Canny
Ballindine Church Flowers: Carmel & Kay

Blessing for Expectant Mothers

On Saturday May 14th, a blessing ceremony for all parents who are expecting a baby, will take place in the Basilica at Knock Shrine 11am. It will include a short prayer for protection and safe delivery with an individual blessing for all mothers-to-be, who are present. All are welcome.

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7th – 15th May, 2022



Cluster Priests

Fr. Gannon 086-2656563

Fr. Quinn 087-2685288

Fr. Conlisk 089-4298365

Neighbourhood Watch: Any suspicious activity or vehicles should be reported to the Community Alert Text No's: 087-2452565; 087-1322411; 086-8436958; 087-6528213 or Claremorris Garda Station 094-9372080

Fourth Sunday of Easter Day of Prayer for Vocations

Mass Intentions for Week 7th – 15th May., 2022

Ballindine Sat 7th 8pm **John McDonnell (1st Anniversary),
Denise Moran,
Jimmy & Catherine Kirrane,
Mary Margaret Kirrane & Mary Corcoran,
Meridith & Elizabeth Daubaney.**

Irishtown Sun 8th 10.30am **Sean McManus (12th Anniversary),
Patrick & Mary McHugh and deceased of family,
Deceased of Keeley Family,
Celia & John Kirrane,
P.J. Horan and Vincent Fahey.**

Ballindine Tues 10th 7pm **People of the Parish, living & dead**

Irishtown Wed 11th 7.00pm **Private Intention**

Ballindine Thurs 12th 9.30am **Private Intention**

Irishtown Friday 13th 9.30am **Private Intention**

Ballindine Sat 14th 12noon **First Holy Communion Mass**

Ballindine Sat 14th 8pm **Michael Daly, Skevard,
Brian Higgins.**

Irishtown Sun 15th 10.30am **Nora & John Dolan,
Mattie & May Kirrane and deceased of family,
Mattie Kelly & deceased of Kelly and Boyle Families,
Deceased of Ellis Family,
John & Annie Devane.**

**Would you like to join our Church
Readers or Eucharistic Ministers
Rota, if so please contact Fr.
O'Connor or message 087-9793747**

Baptism: We welcome into the Christian Community
Holly Rose Conlon, who was baptised recently in
Ballindine church and congratulate her parents
Caroline & Anthony, Logalisheen, Ballindine.

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.
Catherine Kirrane, Desmond Waters, Ellen Daly, Bill Hennigan, Bridie Cullina, Fr. Tom Corless, Mattie Kelly, John Godfrey, Frank Mangan, Margaret McHugh.

Eucharistic Ministers
Saturday 14th Ballindine 8pm
F. Devane, P. Giblin

Reader
Patricia Hennigan

Sunday 15th Irishtown 10.30am
J. Roche, A. Harrison

Agnes Clarke

Church Sanitisers:

Ballindine Sat 14th: Lorraine, Dee, Catherine, Karen
Irishtown Sun 15th: Carmel, Fiona

STEWARDS

BALLINDINE Sat 14th : Mary & Joe

IRISHTOWN Sun 15th : Tommy, Martin

First Holy Communion

Ballindine Sat 14th May @ 12noon

All are welcome. Light refreshments will be available in the church car park after the Ceremony.

Ukraine Collection

Sincere thanks to all who contributed so generously to the recent **Special Collection for Ukraine, which amounted to €6,700 from our parish.** Nationally, this collection has raised to date over €3.25million. The war in Ukraine, and the terrible suffering which has resulted, has seen a tremendous outpouring of compassion and generosity from our parish communities. Your contributions will bring much-needed relief to those in the region whose lives and livelihoods have been devastated. The funds raised will be used by the international Catholic Church agency, Caritas Internationalis, which is currently operating on the ground in Ukraine and its surrounding areas. We continue to keep the people of Ukraine in our thoughts, praying for peace and an end to this appalling humanitarian crisis.

**Irish Episcopal Conference
Maynooth**



**Synod
2021-2023**

Priests Easter Collection

Thank you to all who have contributed so generously to this collection, which is in support of your priest. If you have forgotten, your contribution, will, as always, be very welcome.

Deaths:

Please pray for **Mary Mulkeen**, Brookhill, Claremorris, mother of Ger, Esker, who died recently; **John Mongan**, Esker, Ballindine, who died this week. **May they Rest in Peace. Amen.**

Synod 2021-23

The Pope calls a Synod of Bishops to Rome from time to time, this is basically a meeting of the Global Bishops to discuss matters of interest and concern to the Universal Church. The next Synod is due to be held in October 2023. In preparation for this Synod, Pope Francis has asked each parish in the world to reflect on matters that are of concern to them and report back to him in Rome so that he can have the Bishops reflect on the results.

In our Parish we intend to consult with as many as possible. The Pastoral Council has met and have decided that the most effective and confidential way to ascertain the peoples view, is to circulate a questionnaire to be completed within two weeks.

The questionnaire can be totally confidential and unsigned or you may sign it if you wish. **From this weekend the questionnaire will be available after Masses.**

Alternatively, you can access it through the Parish

Facebook Page on [kilvineparish.ie](https://www.facebook.com/kilvineparish.ie), or pick one up in the church during the week. The questionnaire should be completed and returned by the weekend of 21/22nd May.

We want this process to be as inclusive as possible. We ask that everyone in the parish completes the questions, those who are active in the life of the Church and those who are no longer in regular contact. Please ask those you know who do not come to the church regularly, or not at all, to please participate as we value their opinion. This is a unique opportunity for every person to have their say in the direction the Church should go in the decades ahead.