

Davitts Lotto: There was no winner of last week's jackpot. Numbers drawn were 8, 21, 22 & 34. Draw for a jackpot prize of €9,200 takes place Sunday 17th of April in Hanley's Claremorris.
Fixtures: **U16's Away** to Louisbourg Sunday 10th of April at 11am. Ref. M. Kenny.
O Mara Cup Home to Garrymore Sunday 17th of April at 12pm. **€100 Club & County tickets now in circulation. Purchasers are entitled to full family membership. Contact committee member for info.**

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 all on the itinerary. Travel is by luxury coach with a guide. **Parishioners who wish to travel on this holiday are most welcome. Final booking date is Tuesday, 26 April.** More details 087-6310005.

Ballindine Community Centre Committee Meeting Tuesday 19th April @ 9pm. All members are asked to try and attend.

MAYO DAY 2016 - How will you celebrate Mayo Day which takes place on Sat. April 30th, with events being held all throughout the May Bank Holiday Weekend. We would like to ask you as an individual, business or community group to get involved. **The theme – What does Mayo mean to you?** Let your creativity come alive! Email us your plans so we can promote your effort to **info@mayo.ie**. Let us all, as Mayo people, or with a Mayo connection, celebrate and showcase all that is great about our County.

Ballindine Tidy Towns would like to thank everyone for their generous contributions to our Annual Envelope Collection- it's greatly appreciated. Ballindine Tidy Towns are putting in an order for Hanging Baskets **this Mon 18th**. Anyone wishing to place an order please contact Muriel Costello or Ann Moran. **Sat 30th April is MAYO DAY**, anyone with a Mayo Flag please put on display and **fly our colours for MAYO DAY**.

Mayo Abbey Training Centre **PALLIATIVE CARE LEVEL 5 Course:** April 20th 27th May 4th 11th 9.30am-5.00pm. To book your place contact 094 9365987 or email training@mayoabbey.ie

Celebrating local Women of 1916 An evening with local historian Pat Keane on **Monday 18th April at 8pm** in Curam Family Centre. Hear stories about local women involved in The Rising. Sample food, listen to music & poetry and view artefacts from that era. A very interesting and enjoyable evening in store. Booking essential as places are limited. Contact 094-9362096

Anam Cara Bereavement Information Evening Thurs 21st April 19:30 to 21:30 in the Harlequin Hotel, Castlebar. The guest speaker for the evening is Peter Mc Cartan. All Anam Cara Services are available free of charge to bereaved parents. Anam Cara will need to confirm numbers for room set up, we would appreciate if you could RSVP to info@anamcara.ie **before Wednesday, 20th April or call us 01 4045378.**

If you are living with a long term health condition you may be interested in doing the “**Self Care to Wellness programme**” a 6 week programme delivered in 2.5 hour weekly sessions where you will learn new skills to manage your health condition on a day to day basis. Programme will commence Tuesday 19th April in the **Parish Centre in Kiltimagh** from 10.30 am to 1pm. You must register in advance as places are limited. Cost of programme total is €20.00 to cover registration and manual. Please contact Jackie Lynott on 087-7185615/ 094 -9034980 or email: selfcaretowellness@mayocil.ie for more information.

Happytots Preschool committee & staff would like to thank all who supported their recent Card Game. Thanks to all who sponsored prizes & helped out on the night. Total amount raised €530.

Westport College of Further Education is holding **Boom Sprayer Pesticide Application QQI Level 5** course on Saturdays starting Sat 23rd April 9am to 6pm for 3 weeks in a row. Further info can be obtained on www.westportcfe.ie or by telephoning 098 25241. All courses can be applied for online.

Infection Prevention & Control LEVEL 5 running over 4 days May 17th 24th 31st June 7th Times 9.30am-4.30pm **Care Skills LEVEL 5** running over 4 days May 25th June 1st 8th 15th Times 9.30am-4.30pm To book your place you can call us on 094 9365987 or email training@mayoabbey.ie



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

16th – 24th April

JESUS, THE GOOD SHEPHERD



In the Gospel today: Jesus says that he is our shepherd and we are his sheep. We listen to Jesus and he keeps us safe. No one can ever snatch us away from the loving care of Jesus and his Father.

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

Fourth Sunday of Easter

Remembered in Masses this week 16th – 24th April, 2016

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| <i>Ballindine</i> | Sat 16 th | 8.15pm | Tom, Paddy, John & Mary Margaret Walsh, John & Nora Glynn, Jack & Mary Joyce. |
| Irishtown | Sun 17 th | 12noon | William & Ellen Morrin and deceased of family, Margaret, Willie & John Burke, Delia Mitchell, Paddy & Bill Huane. |
| <i>Ballindine</i> | Tues 19 th | 7.00pm | Jimmy Tierney, Michael & Johnny McGee and Sesn Hartigan, |
| Irishtown | Wed 20 th | 7.00pm | People of the parish, living & dead |
| <i>Ballindine</i> | Thurs 21 st | 9.30am | Private Intention |
| Irishtown | Fri 22 nd | 9.30am | Private Intention |
| Ballindine | Sat 23 rd | 1.00pm | Wedding Mass |
| <i>Ballindine</i> | Sat 23 rd | 8.15pm | Michael & Mary Reilly and deceased of family, Nora & Thomas Heneghan, Peter Brady and Michael, John & Nora Kilkelly. |
| Irishtown | Sun 24 th | 12noon | James & Catherine Ronayne, William & Winifred Cullina, Winnie Hunt & deceased of family, John & Winifred Mitchell and deceased of family, Tom & Bridie Carney and deceased of family. |

First Holy Communion

Ballindine Sat 14th May @ 12noon
Irishtown Sat 21st May @ 12noon
Refreshments will be served after the
Ceremonies in the Community Centres.
All are welcome.

Eucharistic Adoration

Ballindine Tuesday 7.20 – 8.20pm
Irishtown Wednesday 7.20 – 8.20pm

Recent edition of **New Dawn Magazine** is available for sale this weekend at €4, containing articles & photos from throughout the Diocese.

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.

Willie Burke, Bridget Dowd, Mary Canny, Kathleen Kerigan, Mary Mannion, Bob Thacker, Catherine Feerick, Austin O'Brien, Kathleen Whelan, Philomena Nally, James Ronayne, Josephine Trench, Malachy Concannon.

Eucharistic Ministers

Ballindine Sat 23rd 8.15pm
 B. Moran, P. Hennigan, P. Giblin
Irishtown Sun 24th 12noon
 L. Griffin, B. Mulkeen

Readers

Ger Conroy
Frank McGrath

Servers

Team E
Gp 4



Pilgrim Icon of Our Mother of Perpetual Help

coming to Tuam Cathedral on *this* Wed 20th April commencing with Mass @ 7.30pm followed by Sacrament of Reconciliation and Adoration of Blessed Sacrament. Mass also on Thurs 21st at 7.30am & 10am. **This Icon was presented to the Redemptorists in Rome by Blessed Pope Pius IX in 1866 - 150 years ago.**

Fr Benny McHale will conduct the **Enneagram in Knock on Sat April 23rd and Sun 24th 11am to 5pm.** Places need to be booked in advance on 094-9375320. The Enneagram is a programme which was developed by the Jesuits to help people understand themselves and how to relate better with other people.

Parish Meetings

Parish Pastoral Council
 Tuesday 26th April @ 8pm

Development Fund
 Wed 27th April @ 8pm

Both meetings in Parochial House, Ballindine.

Prayers of Faithful

Ballindine Sat 23rd : Niamh Corless, Cathal Corless
Irishtown Sun 24th : Aisling Kirrane, Colleen Rattigan

Mass Servers Irishtown during the week Gp 3
Mass Servers Ballindine Tues 19th : Team D
Marian House Sun 24th : Gabriel Prendergast

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.dyctuum.ie for more info. Contact Teresa on 087-2424927 to book your tickets

Mavo International Choral Festival is hosting a Peace Concert with the RTE 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.mavochooral.com or www.knockshrine.ie/faithrenewal

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World Youth Day 2016 -The Archdiocese of Tuam are bringing a group of 50 young adults on a very exciting pilgrimage to Krakow, Poland for World Youth Day from 23rd July to 3rd August. *Are you a young adult between 18-35yrs with an openness to experiencing your faith in a very relevant and vibrant way and want a taste of sharing your faith in the middle of 2 million other young people – then contact Siobhán Bradley on 087-9271542.*

Knock Counselling Centre is hosting a five-week **SUPPORT GROUP FOR PEOPLE AFFECTED BY A DIAGNOSIS OF CANCER** on Tuesday evenings from May 31st up until June 28th. The workshops are aimed at promoting self-care and emotional well being in a confidential and caring environment and will be facilitated by Mary McDermott, cancer survivor and psychotherapist. The cost of the 5-week programme is €50 per person. For info and bookings, please call [094 937 5032](tel:0949375032) or email counsellingteam@knockshrine.ie