

**Irishtown NS** - Tenders are being sought by the Board of Management of Irishtown National School for alteration works to the school to provide additional sanitary facilities. The appointed contractor will also fulfil PSCS duties. If you are interested in tendering for these works please contact Ó Conaire Consulting Engineers by email (info@occengineers.ie) or tel: Colm at 086 8133530.

**Ballindine Comhaltas Annual Martin Donoghue Trad Festival 29<sup>th</sup> Sept -1st Oct. Gala concert in Ballindine Church this Sat 30<sup>th</sup> @ 8.30pm.**

**Davitts Presto** Numbers drawn 13, 22, 23, 33. The Jackpot of €11,500 was not won. The following won €50 each: Mary Monaghan, Templeogue, Teresa Glynn, Ballindine, Kelly Butler, Ballygowan, Claremorris and Tom Kearns, Leface. **Next Draw: Sunday October 1<sup>st</sup> in Gilligan's, Claremorris** with the Jackpot standing at €11,600.

**Fancy a light walk? Why not come along to Davitts GAA Clubhouse on Wednesdays at 7pm for the next five weeks. The walk will be followed by a cuppa for all.**

Latest Results: Senior League Div 1A: Davitts 0-11 Claremorris 0-8.

**Fixtures:** Sunday Oct 1<sup>st</sup>, Senior League Div 1D: Ballintubber v Davitts in Ballintubber at 12pm.

**Coffee/Tea Evening in aid of Mayo/Roscommon Hospice** in Davitts Clubhouse on **Tues 3<sup>rd</sup> Oct @ 6.30pm.** Please support.

**Irishtown Community Centre – AGM** will be held on Monday October 9<sup>th</sup> at 9pm in the Community Centre. This committee needs new members and we are appealing to the young and not so young to please come along to this meeting. Everyone is welcome.

**Set Dancing** Tuesdays 9pm –beginners welcome to come and enjoy the fun & exercise.

**Davitts GAA Club** in association with **Mayo Sports Partnership and Get Ireland Walking**, will host a walking group **every Wednesday** leaving from the Clubhouse at 7pm from September 27<sup>th</sup> to November 1<sup>st</sup>. Members of the community of all ages and all fitness levels welcome. Free of charge and tea/coffee served after in Clubhouse.

**Davitt College, Castlebar** in partnership with Mayo County Council, South West Mayo Development Co. Ltd. and North East LEADER Partnership Co. is organising a **Career Options Event on Sat 14<sup>th</sup> Oct 12-4pm.** One of the most comprehensive career planning and 3<sup>rd</sup> level expo's in the West of Ireland. Representatives from 35 3<sup>rd</sup> level, further education and apprenticeship training centres will attend. Presentations relating to CAO, SUSI, HEAR, DARE and UCAS along with guest speaker Mr Brian Mooney, Career Guidance Columnist with the Irish Times. All senior cycle students in TY, 5<sup>th</sup>, 6<sup>th</sup> year and parents are welcome to attend. Admission is free.

**Dunmore Community School - QQI Level 5.** Returning to the Workplace? Require access to Third Level? Train Retrain Upskill by enrolling onto the Business Administration - Computer Course at Dunmore Community School. Modules include Word, Excel, Access, Desktop Publishing, Computerised Accounts, Communications, Business Administration and Work Experience. Hours to suit learner needs. Limited number of places. Part-time option. Contact 093 38203 or 086 3455395

**Open Invitation to the Sod Turning at Marian House, Ballindine** by Michael Ring TD, Minister for Rural and Community Development, on **Friday next October 6<sup>th</sup> at 11.30am.** to all individuals and organisations in Kilvine Parish.

**Support/peer group meeting** of persons that have experienced a **brain injury/trauma** over the years, such as a **stroke, aneurysm, hemorrhage**, this meeting is for you and your carers, friends, family, giving support, information on assistance in the community, discussing their experiences with one another in a confidential setting. Bri run a virtual meeting (telephone service) to those who are unable to attend meetings due to travel restrictions. meeting held in Le Cheile, Family Resource Centre, Tucker St.. Castlebar 7-8pm on Thurs 5<sup>th</sup> Oct. Tel: 087-1685554.

# Parish of Kilvine

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**30<sup>th</sup> September – 8<sup>th</sup> October, 2017**

## Mission Month of October 2017

Today marks the first day of the Mission Month of October. World Missions Ireland is the Holy Father's official charity for overseas mission and is responsible for coordinating Mission Sunday in Ireland. A calendar of events has been put in place by World Missions Ireland throughout the month of October, details of which can be found on our website ([www.wmi.ie](http://www.wmi.ie)).



**In the Gospel today** Jesus tells a story about a man and his two sons. The father asks both sons to work in his vineyard. The first says "no", but then goes. The second son says he will help, but then doesn't go. Which son is doing what the father wants?



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## Twenty-Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Remembered in Masses this week 30<sup>th</sup> September – 8<sup>th</sup> October, 2017

Irishtown Sat 30 <sup>th</sup>	8.00pm	Brendan, Pat & Bridie Canny, Owen & Teresa Mullarkey, John, Mary Kate & Kay Cosgrove.
Ballindine Sun 1 <sup>st</sup>	10.30am	Teresa Browne (Month`s Mind), Noreen Connolly (First Anniversary), Martin & Ann Donoghue and deceased of family. Bridie & Bob Giblin, Mike & Delia McGee and grandsons John & Michael.
Ballindine Tues 3 <sup>rd</sup>	7.00pm	Tom Mooney (First Anniversary)
Irishtown Wed 4 <sup>th</sup>	7.00pm	People of the parish, living & dead
Ballindine Thurs 5 <sup>th</sup>	9.30am	Private Intention
<u>First Friday</u> Irishtown Fri 6 <sup>th</sup>	9.30am	Private Intention
Ballindine Fri 6 <sup>th</sup>	7.00pm	Private Intention
Ballindine Sat 7 <sup>th</sup>	11.00am	Fr. Frank Meehan (Month`s Mind)
Irishtown Sat 7 <sup>th</sup>	8.00pm	Deceased of Ellis Family, Jimmy, Mary & James Rattigan, Marie Roche and deceased of family.
Ballindine Sun 8 <sup>th</sup>	10.30am	Bill Gannon, John & Nora Glynn, Thomas Nyland and deceased of family.

**Deaths:** Please pray for **Mary Mahony** (nee Healy) of Ballybane, Brickens who died recently in Preston England, sister of Peggy Cosgrove, Kilvine;  
**Very Rev. Canon Pdraig O'Connor PE**, Mountbellew and a native of Milltown. who died this week. **May they rest in peace, Amen.**

**Mayo Cancer Support**, Castlebar  
Mass of Remembrance and  
Thanksgiving  
in **Rock Rose House**  
Thursday 5th October at 7pm. All Welcome

**Eucharistic Adoration** Ballindine: Tues 7pm – 8.20pm Irishtown: Wed 7pm – 8.20pm

### Anniversaries:

Anyone wishing to have their deceased loved ones remembered in the Parish Newsletter please forward their names and date of death 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.*

**Katie Daly, Thomas Roche, Liz Finn, Jerry Brandon, Jimmy Rattigan, James Rattigan, Margaret McHugh, Martin Gibbons.**

### Eucharistic Ministers

**Irishtown Sat 7<sup>th</sup> 8pm**

L. Griffin, S. Kirrane

### Readers

Breda Raftery

### Servers

Group 1

**Ballindine Sun 8<sup>th</sup> 10.30am**

P. Macken, P. McHugh, G. Conroy

Ann Moran

Team F

Servers Irishtown during the week Gp 1

Servers Ballindine Tues 3<sup>rd</sup> 7pm Team E

**Marian House** Eucharistic Minister Sun 8<sup>th</sup>: Paula Giblin

**Offertory Collectors** – 7<sup>th</sup> Oct: James Clarke, Joe Ryan

A special celebration of **Marriage Anniversaries** will take place on **Sunday October 15<sup>th</sup> @ 3pm in the Cathedral in Tuam.**

As we continue to prepare for the World Meeting of Families we encourage any couple celebrating an Anniversary to attend with their family. We particularly invite couples celebrating significant Wedding Anniversaries to attend with their families members. Each couple will receive a blessing and a commemorative candle. Following this special Mass, refreshments will be served in St Jarlath's College. **Please contact Fr. O'Connor or any church sacristan if you intend going.**

### October Offertory Collectors:

Michael Clarke & Billy Devane

### Church Cleaners:

Irishtown: Mary Freeley, Geraldine Hynes

Ballindine: Rosemary Dunne, Frank & Nuala Lyons

### Children`s Liturgy

takes place in Ballindine Church at 10.30am Sunday Mass.

Suitable for children aged 4 and over, the children will listen to the Gospel story in the Sacristy and return later in the Mass where they will present some artwork at the Altar. Do bring your children along.



### Baptism Reunion

**next Sun 8<sup>th</sup> Oct @ 3pm  
in Ballindine Community Centre**

All children baptised in the parish during 2016, together with their families/friends, are invited to this short service with refreshments afterwards.



### First Friday 6<sup>th</sup> Oct

**Masses: Irishtown 9.30am  
Ballindine 7pm**

### Communion Calls:

**Ballindine 10.30am approx  
Irishtown 2.30pm approx..**

### Stations: Killeen & Esker

Ann-Marie & Gerard  
Naughton @ 8pm  
on Friday 6<sup>th</sup> October

### Retrouvaille - A Lifeline for

**Married Couples:** Do you feel lost, alone or bored in your marriage? Are you hurt, frustrated or angry with your spouse? Does talking about it only make it worse? The Retrouvaille programme can help marriages at all stages. **Next programme starts 6th – 8th October 2017.** For information contact Tony & Anne (01) 495 3536, Mike & Anne (01) 450 0922, text or call 086 413 5440, or email [info@retrouvaille.ie](mailto:info@retrouvaille.ie) or visit [www.retrouvaille.ie](http://www.retrouvaille.ie).

### Pastoral Council

Meeting this Wed 4<sup>th</sup> Oct  
@ 8.30pm  
in Parochial House,  
Ballindine.

### Parish Cluster Meeting

Thurs 12<sup>th</sup> Oct @ 8.15pm  
in Ballindine Community  
Centre