

Kilvine Parish Folk Choir CD Launch – in aid of Tuam Cancer Care, takes place in Clarke`s Pub, Ballindine next **Sunday 17th March (St. Patrick`s Day)** at 8pm. The CD entitled *Remembering Trish* is a selection of songs and hymns recorded with (the late) Trish McTigue. The CD is priced at €10 and all proceeds will be given to Tuam Cancer Care who provide emotional and practical support for anyone affected by cancer. PLEASE SUPPORT.

Tuam Cancer Care Centre will be hosting a **3 week Healthy Eating/ Cookery Course**, facilitated by Susan Shannon, Nutritionist. **This FREE course is for people who have had a cancer diagnosis.** To book a place (booking is essential) tel: **093 8522. Dates: Thursday 4th, 11th & 18th April. @ 12-2pm**

Davitts Presto Result Numbers drawn 2, 10, 17, 36. Jackpot of €19,000 not won. Following players matched three numbers and receive €50 each: William O Donnell, Facefield, Claremorris, Mia McMahan, Claremorris, Shauna Devane, Hollymount, Shane McMahan, DDAI, Ballindine. Next Draw Sunday 10th in Hanley`s Bar, Claremorris, with the Jackpot standing at a huge €19,100. Latest Result: O Mara Cup: Davitts 0-9 Claremorris 0-11. This week`s fixture: Sunday 10th, **Minor League v Kilcommon is OFF due to St. Colman`s College playing St. Gerald`s in the Connacht Colleges Senior A Final in McHale Park on Friday 15th March.** **Best of luck** to our local representatives on that squad, *Niall Treacy, Stephen Nyland, Cian Naughton, Niall Kearns, Jordan Flanagan, Jack Trench and Fenton Kelly.*

Active Retirement Association (over 55's) : Tuesday, 12 March, in Ballindine Community Centre. Chair Yoga 7pm to 8.15.p.m. followed by general meeting at 8.30.p.m. New members always welcome.

Irishtown National School are inviting all prospective parents to an open night in the school on **Wednesday, March 13th at 7p.m.** This is for parents of pupils who are starting with us in junior infants next September and also for any parents who have children who may be with us in the next few years.

Mindfulness is an invitation to STOP and Be Present. A time to Rest, Reflect and Reconnect with ourselves. Introductory Night Wednesday 13th March 7.30- 8.45pm in Cúram Family Centre, Claremorris. 5 week class commencing Monday March 25th at 7.30 – 9 p.m. for 4 Monday evenings. Cost €40. Drop-in class commencing Thurs March 28th @ 10.30. Cost €8. This class will teach you new skills to Manage Stress and live a more Calm and Peaceful Life. Contact Cúram to book your place on 094 9362096

New 10 week Delivery Driver Course Dunmore starts 1st April - Driving Lessons included. Please attend the Info session GRETB Dunmore Centre 10am Tuesday 19th Mch- Register on www.fetchcourses.ie

A meeting to discuss the possibility of Rural Transport Bus Service will be held in **Lohan Park Group Home, Brickens, on Wed 13th Mch at 8pm.** 2 links in particular are being focused on. A day time service once a week to Ballyhaunis town and a Saturday night service to Brickens Bingo. This service would be door to door, free for bus pass holders and open to others at a subsidised rate.

Self Care to Wellness Morning programme starting in **Claremorris Primary Care Centre** on **Wednesday 20th Mch for 6 weeks**– If you have a long term health condition this programme may be of interest to you - delivered in 2.5 hour weekly sessions where you will learn new skills to manage your health condition on a day to day basis.. **You must register in advance as places are limited.** Cost of programme total is €20.00 to cover registration and manual. Please note you do not have to disclose your health condition on the programme. Please contact Jackie Lynott on 087-7185615/ 094 -9034980 or selfcaretowellness@mayocil.ie or www.selfcaretowellness.org.

Celebrating World Women`s Day on March 15th in Cúram Family Centre at 7p.m. Guest Speaker Senator Marie Louise O Donnell who will also unveil our Integrational Art Project. Refreshments, Music, Song and Dance. Great evening in store. Booking is essential. Tel: **0949362096.** This is a **free** event.

'The Way It Is' on Claremorris Community Radio 94.6m will discuss the syndrome **Dementia** with Marian Nevin Director of Nursing in Marian House. Ballindine and Carmel Campbell who along with her brother and sisters care for their mother who has dementia. Transmitted on Monday 11th at 4pm, Wed 13th at 8pm and Fri 15th at 8am. Listen in on 94.6fm or www.ccr946.ie

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2nd – 10th March, 2019

FIRST SUNDAY IN LENT



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

First Sunday of Lent

REMEMBERED IN MASSES THIS WEEK 9th – 17th March, 2019

Ballindine Sat 9th 8.00pm Mai Fallon (First Anniversary) and son Jarlath, Nora Hession, Michael Devane and daughter Evelyn, Maggie Delia Flattery.

Irishtown Sun 10th 10.30am Tony Burke (Months` s Mind), Paddy, Bridie and Martin Flaherty, Nora & Francis O`Dea, Nora & John Huane, Nora, William & Annie Quinn, Luke & Birdie Ronayne.

Ballindine Tues 12th 7.00pm People of the parish, living & dead

Irishtown Wed 13th 7.00pm Private Intention

Ballindine Thurs 14th 7.00am Private Intention

Irishtown Fri 15th 7.00am Private Intention

Vigil Mass for St. Patrick`s Day

Ballindine Sat 16th 8.00pm Martin Munroe (2nd Anniversary), John & Kathleen Conroy, Bernard, Eileen & Tommy Penston, Josephine, John & Sean Clarke, Joe & Mary Gibbons and daughter Helena and deceased of family,

ST PATRICK`S DAY

Irishtown Sun 17th 10.30am Pat & Katie Corr, Walter & Winnie Quinn, John Francis Devane, Pake, Mary & Sarah Keadin and deceased of family, Phil, Diarmuid & Renee McDermott.

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

Ballindine Tuesdays 7-8pm

Irishtown Wednesdays 7-8pm

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.

Hanora McLoughlin, Joe Gibbons, John Burke, Antoine Redmond, Margaret Keane, Delia Keane, Bridget Fitzgerald, Willie Burke Ann Hughes, Ned Conroy, Bridget Cooney, Jimmy Corless, Maria Mitchell, Bettie Mitchell, Noel Gallagher, Josephine Clarke, Anna Prendergast, John Conroy, Michael Lally, William Moran, Tommy Basquill.

Eucharistic Ministers

Ballindine Sat 9th 8pm

M. Kenny, P. Macken, M. Connolly

Irishtown Sun 17th 10.30am

P. Waldron, C. Clarke

Irishtown Servers during the week Gp 2

Servers Ballindine Tues 12th: Team A

Marion House Sun 17th Patricia Macken

Offertory Collectors 17th Ann and James Clarke

Prayers of Faithful Sat 16th DTIM

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Readers

DTIM & C. Kirrane Team B

DTIM & ???

Servers

Gp 3

Early Morning Masses for Lent

Ballindine – Thursday at 7am

Irishtown – Friday at 7am

Trócaire:

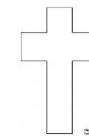
please pick up your Trócaire box from the Church. Trocaire`s Lenten Campaign for 2019 highlights how land is

stolen from the world`s poorest people. Trócaire is working to help keep families safe by providing shelter and aid, as well as protecting them from eviction by securing their legal right to their own land.

Help Trócaire by taking a Lenten Pack from the church and placing it in a prominent position in your own home or work place. www.trocaire.org/lent

Small Purple Crosses are

available at the Churches on which you can write your Lenten prayer I and place in the box at the Altar.



Children`s Liturgy Workshop with Kathleen Duffy takes

place in the **Prayer Centre, Knock Shrine on Saturday 23 March 11am to 1pm.** This is an excellent resource for nurturing meaningful, child friendly liturgies in your parish. For bookings, tel: at 094 93 75 355.

Deaths: Please pray for **John Elms**, brother-in-law of Denis

Fahey, Killeen; **Maureen Curley**, Rusheens, Tuam. Grandmother of Sinead Mooney, Irishtown, who died recently. **May their souls rest in Peace, Amen.**

The **Annual Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes** led by Archbishop Michael Neary will depart KNOCK Airport on **19 July** for 5 nights. For more information and bookings please contact Sheila Davin 093 24639. or [086 866 4633](tel:0868664633).

Pilgrimage/Tour to Shrines & Sites in Sicily. 10 places remaining. June 22nd - June 29th (7 nights). Accompanied by a Spiritual Director from the Archdiocese. Details & Booking Forms available from Louise at 012410816 or locally from John at 09328337



Church Cleaners required for both Ballindine and Irishtown Churches for Month of April- If interested in helping to keep our churches clean and tidy, please tel: 087-9793747. Your help would be much appreciated.

March Offertory Collectors: M. O`Connor, J. Hynes, J. Noone

Church Cleaners: Ballindine: M. Mangan, E. Fahey, B. Naughton

Irishtown: M. Corless, A.M. McDermott

Ballindine Church Flowers: Mary Barrett

Towards Peace is a service offering spiritual support to those who have experienced abuse perpetrated by Church personnel, individually or institutionally. The vision of **Towards Peace** is to provide a safe supportive space for people and their families, whose spiritual life has been damaged by abuse. It is also a response to the continually growing understanding of the spiritual impact of the trauma of abuse. **Towards Peace provides spiritual support through one-to-one spiritual direction sessions, with a qualified spiritual companion.**

If you have been abused and would like a space to reflect on the impact of the trauma of abuse on your own relationship with God and spirituality, Towards Peace is here for you.

www.towardspeace.ie Tel: 01 505 3028. Mobile: 086 7710533.

Up to twelve sessions are available and there is no fee.