

Bealach Nua (*New Way*) We are a recovery oriented family peer support service which offers families/friends of people with mental health challenges an opportunity to engage with family peer supporters through individual, group work, wellness days and information evenings. For further information or to access the service please call 094 9049392 or Fran 086 0450835 / Noel 087 9749288 (*Approved by HSE (Mental Health Section)*)

Davitts GAA: Presto result: The numbers drawn were 6, 14, 29, 36. The Jackpot was not won. The following won €50 each: Louis Prendergast, Skevard, Gerry Cosgrove, UK (online), Carmel Corr, Newtownforbes, Co. Longford (online), Michael Clarke (online). The Jackpot rises to €11,200 for next Sunday night's draw. Thanks to everyone that supports the draw, it's great to see the names of people living in all parts of the country and abroad supporting our draw in these very difficult times. Your support is greatly appreciated.

#ShineALightforHospice campaign. This year, because we won't be able to hold a gathering for our tree-lighting ceremony next Sunday, **November 29th** in Knock, we are asking people to light a candle in their own home on that date at **6.30pm to remember a loved one**, living or deceased and share in our **Shine A Light** ceremony from afar. During the virtual ceremony, we will remember our loved ones who have passed away or indeed those who have been going through a tough time. You can purchase your special Mayo Roscommon Hospice Foundation candle for the evening, priced at €10, by logging onto <https://www.hospice.ie/product/shinealightforhospice-candle/> or by calling us on 094-9388666. You can also still sponsor a light on our tree in Knock as usual, online at www.hospice.ie or our Shine A Light cards are available in **local pharmacies, Knock Shrine, or by contacting us on 094-9388666**. All those names will be entered into our Book of Remembrance for our Ecumenical Service on the third Sunday in January. Last year's Shine A Light campaign raised an amazing €55,541.52 thanks to your support. Everything raised in our #ShineALightforHospice campaign will help fund local palliative care services in the community.

Archbishop Eamon Martin has launched the 2020 online Advent Calendar, which will go live on www.catholicbishops.ie this **Sunday 29 November the First Sunday of Advent**. By clicking on a virtual door we are inviting people to take just five minutes for reflection so as to find moments of peace and to rediscover the true meaning of Advent and Christmas. *"Since the outbreak of the pandemic the people of Ireland have endured testing times with courage, resilience, and compassion. Individuals and communities have made great sacrifices for the protection of life, health and for the common good. Many Christians have been reaching out in generous service and support for their neighbours, the lonely, the isolated, the sick and the bereaved. Faith, love and hope - in the home and in church - have been a huge support during these difficult times. As we continue, in solidarity, to progress together, I invite everyone to be part of #SharingHope this Advent season by availing of the helpful resources on our calendar. The seasons of Advent and Christmas occur in the depth of winter reminding us that Christ was born to bring hope to a darkened world. As the prophet Isaiah said "the people that wait in darkness see a great light". During Advent, let us reflect on the eternal message of Christmas, which is, Christ is alive and that He is our hope."*

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.

Edward Fitzgerald, Patrick Prendergast, Padhraic Prendergast, Rose Conroy, Mary Connolly, William Cullina, Helen Daly, Rose Tierney, Patsy McHugh, Diarmuid McDermott, Michael McWalter, Willie Kirrane, Bridget Cummins, Mary Ann Flanagan, Patrick O'Brien, Eddie Boyle, Mary Conway, Michael Monaghan, Delia Canny, Thomas Daly, Frank Griffin, Tommie Nolan, John Rattigan.

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**Online Mass on Saturday from 8pm
on Facebook Live at kilvineparish.ie.**

28th November – 6th December 2020

Advent Prayer

Lord Jesus,
Master of both the
light and the darkness,
send your Holy Spirit
upon our preparations
for Christmas.
We who have so much
to do seek quiet spaces
to hear your voice
each day,
We who are anxious
over many things look
forward to your coming
among us.
Amen.



Cluster Priests

**Fr. Gannon 086-2656563
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**087-2452565; 087-1322411
086-8436958; 087-6528213
Claremorris Garda Station 094-9372080**

First Sunday of Advent

New Mass Arrangements

Public Masses will be permitted from next weekend until further notice. Numbers in the church for Masses will be limited to 50 people. Weddings and funerals will be limited to 25. Guidelines for attending Masses such as sanitising, following Stewards instructions etc., will apply, as before.

Sat 28th Nov @ 8pm (On-Line at Kilvineparish.ie & Radio 105.3FM)

Moira McCarthy (2nd Anniversary), husband Geoffrey
and daughter Veronica McCarthy Moore,
Catherine Halligan (3rd Anniversary) and deceased of Halligan and McLoughlin Families,
Mary Cosgrove and deceased of Cosgrove & Patten Families (Huddersfield),
John Meehan & his mother Kitty,
John, Josephine & Sean Clarke,
Michael, John & Annie Burke,
William & Catherine O'Connor,
Paddy, Sonny & Mary McManus,
Michael Casey & Michael Ryan,
Mick Hett (25th Anniversary) and his wife Kitty,

Second Sunday of Advent

Irishtown Sat 5th Dec @ 8pm Esther O'Dea (1st Anniversary), husband Dick and son Larry,
Muriel & Luke Rattigan,
Margaret, Jim & Kitty McHugh,
Tom, Nora May Jennings
and deceased of Jennings and Kirrane Families,

(Mass also on-Line at Kilvineparish.ie)

Ballindine Sun 6th @ 8pm Patrick & Ellen Prendergast, son Dick and deceased of family,
Deceased of Gallagher Family, Skevard
and Kilkenny Family, Cloonmore,
Kathleen & John Conroy & Rose,
Mary & Marty McManus,
Sal & Michael Sheridan (Cullane).

(Mass also on-Line at Kilvineparish.ie)

Feast of The Immaculate Conception

Ballindine Tues 8th Dec @ 8pm Eugene Higgins

Kilvine Parish Mass is on-line from 8pm every Saturday at Kilvineparish.ie

A Pastoral Letter from Archbishop Michael Neary,
entitled:
Covid-19:

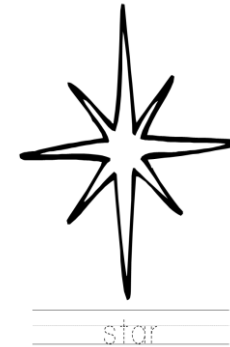
CHALLENGE TO FAITH AND OPPORTUNITY FOR FAITH

is available for pick up in our Churches.

It is a letter full of hope; hope for the future that our faith will carry us through this pandemic; and a word of thanks to all the many volunteers who have helped to make our churches safe secure places for public worship. Do pick up a copy when visiting the church.

Let your light shine

Come Lord Jesus, come
and let your light shine through us
so that through our actions
we may be salt for the earth,
a light in people's sight
and that we might reach out to you
in one another,
especially those in need. Amen.



Marriage Anniversary Celebration

Couples celebrating a wedding anniversary and particularly couples celebrating a significant anniversary this year are invited to join Archbishop Michael on **Sunday December 6th @ 2 pm** in celebrating your Anniversary on-line. Perhaps you would like to light a candle as you tune in.

Mass will be streamed from the Blessed Sacrament Chapel Tuam on:

<https://www.tuamparish.com/web-cam>

We would be delighted to get a snapshot of you which you can email with your name and particular anniversary to: editornewdawn@gmail.com



Deaths: Please pray for **Jane Cosgrove**, Logrea & Huddersfield;
Colm Coyne, Brookhill, Claremorris and formerly of Cloonrairie, Ballindine, who died this week. **May They Rest in Peace, Amen.**

Church Sanitisers
Beginning W/E 29th Nov

Irishtown:
Helen & Joan

Ballindine:
Patricia, Alacoque, Emer & Lucy

Offertory Envelopes
2021

Will be available for pick up from the church next **Friday and Saturday from 2-4pm.** Spare boxes of envelopes will be available for anyone who doesn't already have a box allocated to them.

Tax Rebate Forms 2019

Please return your completed Forms ASAP – Extra forms are available at the church if you don't already have one.

December Church Cleaners:

Irishtown: *Pauline Roche, Evelyn Mitchell*

Ballindine:
Ann Marie Callaghan, Helen Morley, Ger Conroy
Ballindine Church
Flowers: *Carmel Burke, Kay Clarke*