

Davitts GAA - The latest Presto result: Numbers drawn: 2, 6, 9, 30. Jackpot was not won. €50 winners: Ceara McHugh, Andrew Nestor, Catriona Hunt, Lena Prendergast. Jackpot of €13,600 this weekend, draw will be held in Clarke's Bar on Sunday night. Best wishes to St. Colman's College senior football team in the All-Ireland Final on St. Patrick's Day, from all at Davitts GAA. Also, Free electrical recycling - hosted by WEEE Ireland and supported by Mayo Co Co will take place at Davitts GAA Site, Ballindine, on Tuesday, March 11th from 10am - 4pm. Any household waste, electrical items operated by a plug or a battery (large or small) will be accepted for recycling.

Claremorris St Patrick's Day Parade - takes place on Sunday March 16th at 3.00pm.

An Evening with internationally acclaimed and world-renowned pianist - John O'Conor, presented by Ballina Lions Club, at the Great National Hotel on Monday March 10th at 7.30pm. Tickets €25 available at Ballina parish office 096 70555. All proceeds go to St Muredach's Cathedral Restoration Fund.

Mind Awareness Classes - every Thursday from February 27th to April 3rd, 11am to 12.30pm in upstairs room, Davitts clubhouse. Enquiries to Ann Marie on 087 2652208.

Anam Cara Galway - is holding its monthly Parent Support Evening for bereaved parents on Wednesday March 5th at 7.30pm in the Clayton Hotel, Briarhill, Galway. We also offer an online support group meeting. Enquiries to 01 4045378, info@anamcara.ie

Caife le Gaeilge - Conradh na Gaeilge invites you to a FREE coffee morning and chat in The Dalton Inn Hotel, Clár Chlainne Mhuiris from 11.00 am to 12.30 pm on Saturday 8th March. Whether you are fluent or have just a cúpla focal you will be very welcome. Buail isteach. Gach Eolas: 086-8859407 / eolas@conradhmhaigheo.ie

'Songs of Hope Concert - an evening of deeply-moving Gospel Songs, Country Music and Inspirational Hymns takes place Friday, March 21st at Knock Basilica. The Schola Cantorum Basilicae Choir under the direction of Úna Nolan will also perform. Tickets from St Brigid's Gift Shop, Knock Post Office and the Information Centre at Knock Shrine. Price €35. Also available online from Eventbrite.ie. Proceeds go to Knock Community Centre Re-Development Fund. Enquiries to 094-9388141.

Aifrean Lá le Pádraig - Ballindine 9.30am; Irishtown 11am. Shamrock will be blessed at both Masses.

March - March is winter saying good-bye, and reluctant still to go ... March is Spring coming over the hill, with a shy, but warm hello - *Virginia Moore*

Please pray for - Martin Rabitte, Swindon, UK and formerly Carrowconnor, funeral details will be announced in the coming weeks.

Signed Mass cards - available at the parish office. Mass cards signed during February have been forwarded and individual Masses are offered as requested, thank you.

RSS Positions - available in Brickers, Logboy, Irishtown, Ballindine & Claremorris areas in childcare, admin, outdoor work, van driving etc. To be eligible you must have close family access to an active herd number and be on a qualifying social welfare payment. Enquiries to Laura Commins, RSS Supervisor, 087 1306945 - Thank you

Ballindine - Parish of Kilvine - Irishtown

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Parish Office Hours: Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday 9am to 1pm
(emergencies anytime)

1st March 2025 - 9th March 2025

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The Lord calls us not to judge others, and to deal with our own shortcomings first.



A good tree bears good fruit

Pope's Intention for March 2025 - For families in crisis:

Let us pray that broken families might discover the cure for their wounds through forgiveness, rediscovering each other's gifts, even in their differences.

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TRÓCAIRE - wish to thank very sincerely the people of the 56 parishes in the Archdiocese of Tuam for their 2024 contribution of €276,262.25

Cluster priests:

Fr Peter Gannon -
086 2656563
Fr Frank 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

Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time – Year C

Day of Prayer for Temperance



Mass Intentions 1st March, 2025 – 9th March, 2025

<p>Ballindine Sat 1st 8.00pm (Grow in Love Mass)</p>	<p>Mary Clinton nee McHugh (Month's mind), Patricia McTigue (8th Anniversary), Laurence & Mary Cosgrove and daughter Maureen Skully (USA), Michael Devane & daughter Evelyn Flanagan.</p>
<p>Irishtown Sun 2nd 10.00am (Grow in Love Mass)</p>	<p>Mary Kirrane (1st Anniversary), Ann McNamara (20th Anniversary), Nora, Willie & Annie Quinn, Breege Ryan & deceased of Ryan and O'Connor families Mary & Joseph Mannion, Aggie Mannion, Patricia Mannion Funge and deceased of Mannion family, Sheila Mitchell, Martin & Christina Ronayne, son Michael John & daughter Mary Teresa.</p>

<p>Tues 4th March 10am</p>	<p>Mass in Crossboyne.</p>
<p>Ash Wednesday Masses 5th March</p>	<p>Irishtown 9.30am, Taugheen 10.45am Ballindine 12.00noon, Crossboyne 7.00pm.</p>
<p>Ballindine, Thursday 6th 7pm</p>	<p>People of the Parish living and dead.</p>
<p>Irishtown, Friday 7th 10am</p>	<p>Pat & Mary McTigue (nee O'Donnell) & deceased of Family.</p>
<p>Ballindine, Sat 8th March 8pm</p>	<p>Winifred Waldron, John & Kathleen Naughton, Jimmy & Mary Fallon, Mary Mongan & John Mongan Snr, James Fallon & Bernie Fallon Healy and deceased of the Mongan & Fallon families.</p>
<p>Irishtown, Sun 9th 10.00am</p>	<p>Paddy & Bridie Flaherty, brother Martin and Tom Keaveney Shanballymore, John & Mary, Nora & Davey Kirrane, Mary, Margaret, Luke & Thomas Roche.</p>

Monthly calls to the elderly and housebound takes place on Thursday March 6th at the usual times.

<u>Eucharistic Ministers</u>	<u>Readers</u>	<u>Servers</u>	<u>Collectors</u>
Ballindine Sat 8th March 8pm			
C. Kirrane, P. Hennigan	Chris Kirrane	Gp6	M. O'Connor, S. McHugh

Irishtown Sun 9th March 10am			
A. Harrison, J. Roche	Sinead Mooney	Gp3	E. Mitchell, L. Griffin

Prayer of Faithful

Ballindine Sat 8th: Isabella & Lily
Irishtown Sun 9th: Anna & Michael

Marian House Sun 9th March: Hanorah Ronayne

Church Cleaners for March:

Irishtown: Margaret Corless, Ann Marie McDermott.

Ballindine: Mary Mangan, Eileen Fahey, Bernie Naughton.

Church Flowers, Ballindine: Gerry Conroy.

Stations of the Cross will commence on March 7th at 7pm in Ballindine church and will continue every week during lent alternating between Ballindine and Irishtown churches. The dates are as follows:

Ballindine: - March 7th at 7pm

Irishtown: - March 14th at 7pm

Ballindine: - March 21st at 7pm

Irishtown: - March 28th at 7pm

Ballindine: - April 4th at 7pm

Irishtown: - April 11th at 7pm



The Waters of Baptism:

Kilvine Parish
welcomes into the
Christian Community
Oisin Joseph Kelly
and congratulate his
parents David and
Sharon,
Lisduff, Ballindine.

M.S. society sincerely
thank everyone who
supported their
Kilvine parish church
gate collections
recently, which
raised €282.32

Day of Prayer for Survivors and Victims of Abuse -
takes place on the first Friday of Lent, March 7. We pray that the Spirit of
Wisdom enlightens people to put an end to acts of violence and abuse.

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.

Tom Melvin, Phil McDermott, Ned Mitchell, Martin Mullaney, William Mitchell, Nora Quinn, Michael Devane, Nan Monaghan, Matthew Keane, Mary Mannion, Jimmy Corless, Paddy Burns, Sally Clancy, James Kilkenny, Mary Kirrane, Jean Cornwall, Peter McWalter, Michael O'Brien Jnr, Marite Gibbons.