

CASTLEBAR PARISH NEWSLETTER

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Sunday Mass Times

Parish Church: 6pm (Sat), 9am, 11am Ballyheane Church: 7.30pm (Sat.) Breaffy Church: 10am

Priests: Fr. Conal Eustace PP, Fr. Shane Costello CC, Fr. Jose Raju CC. **Tel.** 094 9021844

Diocesan Child Safeguarding: More information available at www.tuamarchdiocese.org
Anyone with issues or concerns around the safety of children should tel. 087 9315823 or 087 4070206.



Mass Intentions for the Week

PARISH CHURCH

view online at churchtv.ie/castlebar

Parish Radio 105.3fm

Monday 27th May:

- 10.00am - Special Intention.
Teresa & Frank Feeney & daughter Valerie, Moneen.
7.00pm - Nancy Fadden, Mountgordon, Westport Road. (1st Anv.)
Maudie Kerins, Lack, Parke & dec. Kerins family.
Paddy Edward Padden, Rowan Drive.

Tuesday 28th May:

- 10.00am - Special Intention.
Josie Armstrong, Thomas Street & dec. Armstrong family.

Wednesday 29th May:

- 8.00am - Private Intention.
10.00am - Mary & John Coyne, Newport.

Thursday 30th May:

- 10.00am - Private Intention.

Friday 31st May:

- 8.00am - Private Intention.
10.00am - Ronnie Lawless (1st Anv.), his father Johnny, Ballymacragh & dec. Lawless & McHale families.
Gary Fitzgerald, College View.
Teresa & Jack Flannery, Sion Hill, son Michael, Garryduff Park & grandson Peter Cosgrave.

Saturday 1st June:

- 10.00am - Owen Harte, The Curragh.
James & Carmel McSharry, Rathbawn Road.
Jimmy Groarke, Spencer Street.
6.00pm - Philip Quinn, Garryduff Court. (M.M.)

Sunday 2nd June:

- 11.00am - Mary Maughan, Riverdale Court. (M.M.)

BALLYHEANE CHURCH

view online at churchtv.ie/ballyheane

- Saturday 1st June:** 7.30pm - Maureen Cusack, Mountdaisy.
Walter & Helen Walsh, Derrew.
Gus & Mary Naughton, Drimloughra.

BREAFFY CHURCH

view online at churchtv.ie/breaffy

- Sunday 2nd June:** 10.00am - Seamus Flynn, Rocklands. (1st Anv.)
Katie Walsh, Kilkenny Cross.
Jim & Eileen Jolly & dec. Jolly & Mannion families, Cottage Road.



Rest in Peace

Sr. Mary Johnson, Árd Bhríde.

Jimmy Foy, Swords, Dublin, brother of Joe, Knockthomas.

Vincent Ward, Cashel Park.

Myles Cresham, Maple Lawn.

Trinity Sunday

Trinity Sunday invites us to reflect on the utterly mysterious and discover that we can see something of this divine dance in the world around us. We can know what it means to experience God's love in our lives, to have a deep personal relationship with Jesus Christ and to feel God's Spirit dwelling within our hearts. We experience this same Spirit in each person we meet, and we contemplate her indwelling in all of Creation. At the heart of our faith is the Triune God who is all about relationship. Pope Francis reminds us that the Trinity has left its mark on all of creation and points out the challenge of trying to read reality in a 'Trinitarian key'. Quoting the Franciscan saint, Bonaventure, he says, 'each creature bears in itself a specifically Trinitarian structure, so real that it could be readily contemplated if only the human gaze were not so partial, dark and fragile' (Laudato Si'). When we look out at creation, we see that everything, from tiny atoms to the vast ecosystems of our world, are involved in the deeply interconnected web of life. It makes sense that all creatures carry in some way the divine DNA of their Creator.

As we try to read in this Trinitarian key, we see the draw of the human heart towards a relationship with the Divine, with others and with nature itself. It is Jesus who came to show us how to do this. He restored relationships through his inclusive and empowering ministry, teaching and healing, which manifested God's love in this world and God's dream for the world. Jesus shows us what a tangible, liberating, joyful and fierce love God's is, which we are called to imitate in society.

(The Deep End)

Holy Hour	- Every Sunday from 7pm to 8pm in the Parish Church.
Adoration of the Eucharist	- Every Friday from 11am in the Parish Church.
Lectio Divina	- Every Tuesday from 7pm to 8pm in the Monastery.

Corpus Christi Procession - Sunday June 2nd after 11am Mass

The route will be: Chapel Street, Tucker Street, Linenhall Street, Main Street, Ellison Street to the Mall where Benediction will be celebrated.

First Holy Communion

Congratulations to all the children who received their First Holy Communion in the parish recently. We wish God's blessing on them, their families, friends, teachers and all who helped them on their faith journey at this special time.



Church Collection Envelopes 2024/2025

We would be very grateful for your help in distributing the boxes. Please contact the Parish Office at 094 9021844. Thanks to all those who have collected boxes to distribute in their areas.

Anam Cara Mayo – Parent Evening

The organisation that supports bereaved parents is holding a Parent Evening on Tuesday 28th May at 7.15pm in the T.F. Royal Hotel. For more information email info@anamcara.ie or tel. 085 2888888.

All Ireland Rosary Rally

Knock Shrine on Saturday June 1st. More information available at www.allirelandrosaryrally.com

Volunteer for Hospice

Mayo Roscommon Hospice is looking for volunteers to help with National Sunflower days on Friday 7th & Saturday 8th June at local outlets. Contact 094 9388666; text 087 7384310; email info@hospice.ie

Castlebar Autism Friendly Town Appreciation & Support Event

Thursday 30th May, 8pm-9pm in the TF Royal Hotel. Free event but advanced booking essential. Book your place on Eventbrite at <https://tinyurl.com/3tjxe568>

Third World Support Group Meeting

Tuesday 28th May at 7.30pm in the Monastery, Chapel Street. New members welcome.

Storyteller Fiona Dowling in Castlebar Library as part of their Bealtaine Celebrations

Free event on Tuesday 28th May, 11am to 12.30pm. Aimed at over 55's. To book email Orlagh Heverin at ohaverin@mayococo.ie or tel. 094 9064010.

Pioneer Outing to Clifden - Sunday June 9th. For details tel. Joe Redmond at 087 2708653.

Car boot Sale today Sunday in Main Street Car Park, 8am to 3pm. In aid of Castlebar Scouts.