

Weekday Mass Times: Glenisland Church at **7pm** & Islandeady Church at **8pm**.
Weekend Mass Times: Glenisland Church **SAT 7pm** & Islandeady Church **SUN 11am**.

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Remembering in our Masses this week: (Sun 16th July – Sun 23rd July)

Sat 15 th	- John McLoughlin & DFM, Beltra.
Sun 16 th	- John & Mary Lally, Derrycoosh & DM of Lally & Livingstone Families. - Martin O'Malley, Corha, his wife Annie & DM of O'Malley & Jordan F.
Mon 17 th	- No Mass Intentions.
Tues 18 th	- No Mass Intentions.
Wed 19 th	- No Mass Intentions.
Thurs 20 th	- No Mass Intentions.
Fri 21 st	- 7pm Islandeady: Funeral Mass for Paddy Walsh, RIP.
Sat 22 nd	- For All the People of the Parish/Pro Populo.
Sun 23 rd	- Noel Shea, Knockanedin, his wife Caroline, Mai, Tom, John, Janet & DFM. - Mary & John Tunney, Annagh & their daughter Ann Connelly.

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People of God ministering / helping in CHURCH next Week: Sat/Sun 22nd / 23rd July

Ministry:	Glenisland:	Islandeady:
Music:	Anne & Choir.	Choir.
Readers:	Ml. McCormack.	Robert O'Reilly (Pg. 277)
Ministers of Eucharist:	John	M. Reidy, N. Sadler, B. Staunton.

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- Monday:** Feast of St. Sharbel Makhlef, Priest.
- Tuesday:** Feast of St. Bridget of Sweden, Patron of Europe.
- Wednesday:** Feast of St. Peter Julian Eymard, Priest.
- Thursday:** Feast of St. Apollinaris, Bishop & Martyr.
- Friday:** Feast of St. Lawrence of Brindisi, Priest.
- Saturday:** Feast of St. Mary Magdalene.
- Sunday:** Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time.

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To book a Mass please email Fr Chris at parishig2017@gmail.com or Ph (087) 1962 674.

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The **Grandparents Pilgrimage** to Knock will take place **next Sunday July 23rd at 3pm**. Anointing of the sick from **2:30pm**. **All Grandparents, young & old, are welcome.**

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The Annual **Pioneer Pilgrimage to Knock** will take place **this Sunday 16th July**. Mass will be at **3pm** with the **anointing of the sick** beforehand at **2:30pm**. Newsletters & Emblems available at PTAA stand in St. John's Rest & Care Centre or visit the website www.pioneers.ie

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Islandeady **GAA Cul Camp** starts this year on **Mon 31st July** until **Fri 4th August**. Online booking **only** for boys & girls from 6 – 13yrs. For any queries please contact Pat Ryan on (087) 4533 818.

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Adoration Times: Sunday 7-8pm / Monday 7-8pm / Thursday 8-9pm. All Welcome.

The **Deadline** for items for inclusion in the Parish Newsletter is **12 noon** each Friday.
 ➤ **Phone** or send a **text message** or leave a **voicemail** to Liam on (087) 1361 895.
 ➤ You can **email** Liam at islandeadyadm@gmail.com

Islandeady-Glenisland Parish Newsletter

St Patrick's Church, Islandeady and the Holy Rosary Church, Glenisland.
Websites: islandeady.ie / glenislandnewsflash.ie / mayo.ie / tuamarchdiocese.org

Sunday 16th July 2023 – **15th Sunday in Ordinary Time**



*“For anyone who has will be given more,
 and he will have more than enough; but for anyone who has not,
 even what he has will be taken away.”*

Priest: Fr Chris Brennan **Mob** (087) 1962 674 **Email:** parishig2017@gmail.com
Newsletter: Liam Keaveney **Mob** (087) 1361 895 **Email:** islandeadyadm@gmail.com

We must have faith in the power of God's word is the focus in **today's Gospel**. It is the instrument by which God effects his purpose. It does not work automatically, but grows in a soil of faith and prayer. We have to be open to teaching, preaching and praying the word and to work to ensure a receptive soil.



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Pastoral visits to the **sick** and **housebound** are an important part of parish life. Anyone who would like to receive a pastoral visit by Fr. Chris to receive the **Sacraments** again needs to contact the Priest by **phone** or **email** & make the necessary arrangements.

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Islandeady Community Council will be holding a **“Welcome to Islandeady”** afternoon in the Autumn to welcome new families to Islandeady & showcase all the local clubs & groups and what they have to offer new families.

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Please **remember** in **prayer** all from the **Parish** who are in hospital at this time of year, those waiting for test results, those waiting for operations & procedures. Remember those in Nursing Homes or living alone in their own homes and all those who selflessly care for them.

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Mayo Cancer Support provides **FREE** support services to those affected by **Cancer**. Please call (094) 90 38407 if you need any support or advice.

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You can now play the **Islandeady GAA Lotto Online**...!! Go to: <https://smartlotto.ie/islandeady-gaa/> **No Winner** last draw. The next draw takes place **this Sun 23rd July** in the **Key West**. The Jackpot will be **€8,950**. **The Lucky Dip Prize winners:** Francis Flaherty & Peter McCormanck.



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- **Cemetery Mass** in **Glenisland** will be held on **Sat 5th Aug** at **7pm**.
- **Cemetery Mass** in **Islandeady** will be held on **Sun 6th Aug** at **11am**.

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The **Summer Collection** for the Priest will take place at masses **recently**. The salary of the Priest is drawn from 4 collections: **Easter, Summer, Autumn & Christmas**. All other weekly collections go towards the upkeep & maintenance of the churches in the Parish. Please be as generous as you can afford to be & **THANKS** for your continued support.

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Islandeady Community Council will celebrate its **50th Anniversary** in **2026**. A small subcommittee will soon be put together to start planning for this event and many ideas & suggestions will be looked for to make this a **“Community Celebration”** for all the family, at home & abroad. More details to follow soon.

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Spread the news near & far....**Islandeady Heritage Day** will take place this year on **Sun August 13th** from **2pm** at **Jack's Cottage**. Everybody is **Welcome**. **Crafts people** are needed for this year's event, if you know of any weavers; knitters, tin makers etc please contact any member of the Heritage Group with details.

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Plans are still ongoing to make this year's **Heritage Day** in Jack's Cottage even better this August. If you have any ideas or would like to help out, please join us **this Monday 17th July** at **8pm** in **Jack's Cottage**. Everybody welcome.

Reek Sunday takes place this year **July 30th** – Confessions from 7:30am until 2pm, mass on the hour from 8am until 2pm. Archbishop Eamon Martin of Armagh & Archbishop Francis Duffy of Tuam will celebrate mass. Vigil Mass at 6:30pm in St. Mary's Westport on Sat evening. All welcome & invited to participate in this year's **Reek Sunday Pilgrimage**.

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Islandeady Cycling Club will be running the **Annual Jessica Needham 5k & 10k Walk/Run** on **Sat Aug 5th** at **10am** from Jack's Cottage. All funds raised will go towards Islandeady GAA & Islandeady Development Fund. **€15 entry** & children under 16 go free.

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Move it or Lose it – We are offering taster exercise classes for the over 55's in Islandeady Community Centre on **Tuesday mornings** from **10am – 11am** for the following Tuesdays **18th July & 1st Aug**. Classes cost **€8** and pay as you go. **1st class free!** Classes focus on aerobic exercise to great music we can all relate to. Flexibility, Balance & Strength. Classes are great fun & friendly, come along and bring a friend. Please contact Kate on 085 755 8361 or email kate.donnelly@moveitorloseit.co.uk

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With **Cemetery weekend** just around the corner, many hands are needed to do the last of the tidying & preparations. A Mheitheal will take place at **Islandeady Cemetery this Mon 24th July** at **7pm**. If people can kindly bring shovels, spades, wheel-barrows, gloves etc. Every year volunteers do their best to keep the final resting place of our loved ones looking clean, tidy & respectful to their memory, a few extra hands would be greatly appreciated **this Mon!**

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In your **PRAYERS** you are kindly asked to **remember** the following who died:
- **Paddy Walsh**, Derrycoosh & UK, brother of Mary Connolly, Derrycoosh.
Funeral Mass **this Friday** evening **21st July** at **7pm** in Islandeady Church.
Eternal Rest grant unto him, O Lord, may he Rest in Peace, Amen.

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Summer Music Classes continues in Glenisland School until **July 26th** – 50 minutes over 8 weeks for **€90**. 3 classes based on most popular instruments: Guitar, Ukulele, Banjo/Mandolin. For further details or to register please contact (083) 1003 427.

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Calling all volunteers – If you can spare **an hour** over the **next 2 Thursday** evenings from **6pm – 8pm** there will be some **enhancement works** happening around the **“3 Bridges”** area. If you have strimmers/hedge clippers/shovels etc everything would be helpful. Meeting **this Thurs 20th July** from **6pm** at the 3 bridges.

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- **GAA Club Development Draw** tickets on sale locally, lots of fantastic prizes.
- Islandeady GAA legend **Peter Solan** features in Jim Carney's **new book** on GAA greats Sean Purcell & Frank Stockwell. Book on sale in **Castle Books**, Castlebar.

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Summer Community Spring Clean will take place throughout Islandeady on the **weekend of Friday 28th / Sat 29th / Sun 30th July**. Bags of collected rubbish can be dropped **inside the gate** at Islandeady GAA for collection by the Council on Monday Morning. Let's all do our bit to keep Islandeady Clean & Green!

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Jesuit Week at Knock from July **24th – 28th** from 9:30am – 21:00 daily. **All welcome**.

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Thought for the Week

A journey of a thousand miles begins with: “I know a shortcut”...!!