

**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 23<sup>rd</sup> Apr – Sun 23<sup>rd</sup> Apr)

Sat 22 <sup>nd</sup>	- For All the People of the Parish/Pro Populo.
Sun 23 <sup>rd</sup>	- Josie Jennings, Knock & Corha (Months Mind). - Peter & Owen Staunton, Derrycoosh & DM Staunton & Livingstone F. - Sean & Marie Sweeney, Derrycoosh. - Mary & John Tunney, Annagh & their daughter Ann Connelly.
Mon 24 <sup>th</sup>	- No Mass Intentions.
Tues 25 <sup>th</sup>	- <b>7pm Islandeady:</b> Phelim Tuffy RIP, England & Cashel.
Wed 26 <sup>th</sup>	- No Mass Intentions.
Thurs 27 <sup>th</sup>	- No Mass Intentions.
Fri 28 <sup>th</sup>	- No Mass Intentions.
Sat 29 <sup>th</sup>	- Mary & Thomas Walsh, Derryharriff, son in law Tommy & DFM. - Rose & Martin Feeney, Graffeymore & DM of Corcoran & Feeney Family.
Sun 30 <sup>th</sup>	- For All the People of the Parish/Pro Populo.

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**People of God ministering / helping in CHURCH next Week: Sat/Sun 29<sup>th</sup>/30<sup>th</sup> Apr**

Ministry:	Glenisland:	Islandeady:
Music:	Anne & Choir.	Choir.
Readers:	Breege Carney	Tony Collins (Pg. 619)
Ministers of Eucharist:	John	L. Keaveney, Á. McAlpine, E. McDonagh.

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- Monday:** Feast of St. Fidelis of Sigmaringen (1578 – 1622), Priest.  
**Tuesday:** Feast of St. Mark, Evangelist.  
**Wednesday:** Feast of St. Peter Chanel (1803 – 1841), Martyr.  
**Thursday:** Feast of St. Asicus, Bishop.  
**Friday:** Feast of St. Louis Marie Grignion de Montfort, Priest.  
**Saturday:** Feast of St. Catherine of Siena (1347 – 1380), Virgin.  
**Sunday:** Feast of St. Pius V, Pope.

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

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**Tuam Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes** leaving from Knock Airport, for 5 nights from **Fri 1<sup>st</sup> Sept to Wed 6<sup>th</sup> Sept 2023**. For more details & booking, please contact (01) 2410 800.

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**Drawings & Plans** for the new Community Centre are still **on display** in **St. Aidan's – pop in anytime** your passing to view what is planned for the **future of Islandeady**.

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Full details of courses available in the **Family Centre Castlebar** by tel (094) 90 25900 or by going to the website [www.thefamilycentre.com](http://www.thefamilycentre.com)

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

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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](mailto:islandeadyadm@gmail.com)

# Islandeady-Glenisland Parish Newsletter

**St Patrick's Church, Islandeady and the Holy Rosary Church, Glenisland.**

**Websites:** [islandeady.ie](http://islandeady.ie) / [glenislandnewsflash.ie](http://glenislandnewsflash.ie) / [mayo.ie](http://mayo.ie) / [tuamarchdiocese.org](http://tuamarchdiocese.org)

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Sunday 23<sup>rd</sup> April 2023 – **Third Sunday of Easter**



*He took the bread and said the blessing;  
then he broke it and handed it to them.*

*Their eyes were opened*

*and they recognised him at the breaking of the bread.*

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In today's Gospel story it contains a wealth of teaching on the meaning of the Eucharist as a celebration of the presence of the Risen Lord. Christ takes, blesses, breaks and gives the bread to his disciples and is known to them in the action. It is in the context of two or three gathered in his name that they come to faith.



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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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- **Card Games** continue on Mon Nights in the Community Centre at **8:30pm**.
- **Rambling House** every Tues Night from **7:30pm – 9:30pm** in the Comm. Centre.
- **Ladies Club** every Tuesday Night at **8pm** in the Community Centre.
- **Wednesday Get-together** continues every Wednesday at **11:30am**. All welcome.
- **Fitness Classes** on Thurs evenings at **7:30pm** in the Community Centre.
- **Foróige** every Wed & Fri Night from **8pm – 9:30pm** in the Community Centre.

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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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**Tuam Diocesan Pilgrimage to Knock** takes place on **Sun 7<sup>th</sup> May**. Ceremonies **start at 2:30pm** with the **anointing of the sick**. Pilgrimage will be led by Archbishop Duffy.

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You can now play the **Islandeady GAA Lotto Online...!!** Go to: <https://smartlotto.ie/islandeady-gaa/> **No Winner** from the last online draw.

The next Draw takes place **next Sun 30<sup>th</sup> Apr**. The Jackpot will be **€8,650**.

**The Lucky Dip Prize winners:**



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In Your **PRAYERS** you are asked to remember the following who died:

- **Phelim Tuffy**, England & Cashel, brother of Kieran & Tom Tuffy, Cashel.
- **Mary Reid**, Snugboro, Castlebar, sister of Margaret Linnane, Cloggernagh.
- **Fr. John Dunleavy SMA**, former CC in Ballyconneely, Co. Galway.
- **Michael Flynn**, London & Aughagower, Uncle of Ann Moylett, Derrycourane.

Eternal Rest Grant unto them, O Lord, may they Rest in Peace, Amen.

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The Archdiocese of Tuam seeks applications from qualified persons for the full time position of **Diocesan Pastoral Resource Person**. Application letter with up to date CV to Diocesan Secretary, Archbishops House, Tuam, Co. Galway, H54 HP57 by 5pm on 12<sup>th</sup> May 2023.

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A 4 week **Bereavement Course** will take place at St. John's Welcome Centre, Knock Shrine. The theme is "Understanding grief, a journey towards healing". It will start at **8pm** and will take place on the 26<sup>th</sup> April. **Adm Free**. Contact Monica (094) 93 75320.

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**Trocaire Boxes** can be returned to the church. Please place them in the **basket** before the Altar prior to mass starting or once mass concludes.

The **Islandeady Community Spring Litter Pick & Cleanup** takes place on **Fri 28<sup>th</sup> /Sat 29<sup>th</sup> Sun 30<sup>th</sup> Apr & Mon 1st May**. Everybody is encouraged to clean/pickup litter in their area. Bags of rubbish can be **dropped** off at the **Community Centre** for collection by Mayo Co. Co. on **Tues Morning May 2<sup>nd</sup>**.

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New **Fitness Classes** has started in **Islandeady Community Centre** on **Thurs evenings** starting at **7:30pm**. Aerobics with Pilates.

A fun way to get Fit & Toned. Suitable for all abilities. **5 weeks / €50**.

Try First...Stay & Pay after... Contact **Lisa** on (086) 4000056.

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There is currently a shortage of **Foster Carers** in Ireland and **Orchard Fostering** is now urgently recruiting Foster Carers in **every county**. If you have considered fostering or would like to know more, please email [info@orchardfostering.ie](mailto:info@orchardfostering.ie) or call 01 627 5713.

The **Spring/Easter Collection** for the **Priest** took place at **all masses recently**. If you overlooked your envelope you can pop it into the basket anytime. Please be as generous as you can afford to be & Fr. Chris is **thankful** for your **support**.

This year's **Glenisland Spring Clean/Litter Pick** will take place **next Sunday 23<sup>rd</sup> April** from **12-3pm**. A limited supply of bags, gloves and hi-vis vests available for collection inside the church porch on the day. Volunteers needed for every townland in Glenisland. Please make a special effort to pick litter in your area. Mayo Co Co will collect filled bags from the Cemetery Car-park on Monday morning April 24<sup>th</sup>.

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**First Holy Communion** for the children of the Parish will be celebrated on **Sat 13<sup>th</sup> May** in Islandeady Church at **11am & 2pm**. Please keep the children in **your prayers** as they make their preparations for this special day.

**Islandeady Heritage Group** meeting takes place **this Monday Night 24<sup>th</sup> April at 8pm** in **Jacks Cottage**. All members & new interested people are encouraged to attend.

**Age Action** is Ireland's advocacy organisation for older people & aging. It provides DIY (installing grab rails, ensuring safety within the home, clearing pathways, moving a bed downstairs etc) to older people who have recently left hospital or waiting to be discharged from hospital. The **Care & Repair** service can be contacted on (091) 527 831.

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**James Winnett** is the successful artist for the **Public Art Commission** for the N5 Westport – Turlough Road Project. He will hold a meet the **Artist Workshop Event** on **Tues May 9<sup>th</sup>** from **4:30pm – 6:30pm** in **Islandeady Community Centre**. James is interested in meeting locals & learning more of the local **history, folklore and stories** as part of his research for a sculpture for Islandeady as part of the N5 Road project. This is **open to everyone** to attend.

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The Archdiocese of Tuam seeks applications from suitably qualified persons for the **full time** position of **Diocesan Accountant**. Application letter with up to date CV to Diocesan Secretary, Archbishops House, Tuam, Co. Galway, H54 HP57 by **5pm** on **12<sup>th</sup> May 2023**.

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**Thought for the Week**

*At the rate we're going, they're going to cancel shampoo so bald people don't get offended...!!*