

Church of the Holy Family, Ballycroy Mass Centre - National School - Innishieele Christopher J. Ginnelly (098) 49 134 (086) 89 33 278 ballycroyparish@gmail.com James M Cribben, Geesala (087) 64 69 016 12th May 2024

Mass at 11.30am will be Broadcast on our Facebook Page. Special Thanks to Nora for operating the live broadcast on Facebook and to Shelly for the beautiful selection of music and hymns. Booking a Mass: If you wish to book a Mass, please ring Fr. Chris on his mobile 086-893-3278

May is a special time in the Church Calendar when Catholics honour Mary, the Mother of Jesus. This is a good time to create a small altar at home, to pay tribute to Mary. Choose a room in the home where you can set up your altar. Any flowers can be used for a home altar, the main point being to reflect on the joy of the coming summer season. Our Lady has such a special place in the Irish Church, she has her own special name; Muire, all other Marys were called Maire. Creating a home altar to Mary can be a meaningful activity, which creates a special area in your home throughout May, the month of Mary.

## The Ascension of the Lord

Sat 11am Island Mass Sat 8pm **Ballycroy Church** 

- J.J. Rowland (1st Ann), Annie (2nd Ann), Fred McManamon (2nd
- 2 James Cleary Drumslide (6th Ann), Pat (4th Ann)

Sunday 11.30am Bangor Church

Weekly Mass Schedule	Intentions
Tue 14th May: 10am	People of the Parish
Thur 16th May: 10am	Mass- All Welcome
Thur 16th May: 8pm	Youth Meeting (Mass 25th May)
Fri 17th May : 6pm	Manus Keane Shranamonragh (8th Ann)

## First Holy Communion Mass

12noon: We pray for Conall, Rachel and Finnan.

Pentecost Sunday

Sat 8.15pm **Bangor Church** Sunday 11.30am **Ballycroy Church** 

1. Petie Corrigan (3rd Ann), Doona and Kathleen. 2. Dolly McNeela (10th Ann), - Michael Claggan

- Our Beloved Dead: Please pray for the Faithful Departed; P.J. Corrigan (Blenkeragh), Manus Conway and Paddy Bradley, (Tallagh). SsMay their Souls Rest in Peace.
- Painting of Church: Applications are sought from Painters and Decorators to prepare and paint the interior and exterior of Church of the Holy Family, Ballycroy and car park walls. Quotes will only be considered from applicants with up to date relevant insurance, C2 Cert and Tax Clearance Cert. Please sendany queries or quotes by email to this email address: ballycroyparish@gmail.com no later than 5pm on Monday 13th May 2024.

Activator poles continue on Tuesdays at 3pm meeting at National Park. New members welcome.

All Ireland Rosary: Rally is scheduled to take place at KnockShrine on SSaturday 1st June 2024.

The Killala Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes led by Bishop John Fleming, Bishop Emeritus of Killala, will take place from 18th to 24th July, 2024. Cost 929euro. Enquiries and Booking 01-2410800. A limited number of places available in the Assisted Section, Contact Eileen on 086-4013897

<u>Trocaire</u>: Please hand in the <u>Trocaire</u> Collection in an envelope marked <u>Trocaire</u> or use the envelope in the Trocaire Box.

Readers Schedule	Readers	Eucharistic Ministers
Sat 11th May 8pm	Family	Mary Sweeney
Sun 19th May 11.30am	Family	Peggy Ginty
Sat 26 <sup>th</sup> May 8pm	Family	Bernadette Shanaghan
Sun 2 <sup>nd</sup> June 11.30am	Family	Bernadette Hough
Sat 9 <sup>th</sup> June 8pm	Family	Noreen Grealis
Sun 16 <sup>th</sup> June 11.30am	Family	Marian Masterson

Week to 19 <sup>th</sup> May	Marian Cafferkey, Bernie McGowan, Noreen Ruddy, Caroline Corrigan - G2	
Week to 26th May	Kathleen Rowland: Anne McManamon, Josephine Keane, Grace Grealis - G3	
Week to 2nd June	Christina Togher: Margaret Keane, Mary Conway, Katie Campbell - G4	
Week to 9th June	Patricia G: M Sweeney (Tar), M McGowan, J Campbell G1	
Week to 16th June	Marian Cafferkey, Bernie McGowan, Tracey Conway, Caroline Corrigan - G2	

The Naionra will be having an Official Opening and Blessing of their refurbished premises on Saturday, 1st June at 12 noon. Everybody welcome. Kiltane GAA bingo Bangor Tues May 14th 8pm. Jackpot €750 in 50 calls or less. Bangor Hall Bingo Thurs 18th May at 8pm. Jackpot €1050 in 56 calls or less.

Keeping Children Safe: The Diocese of Killala is fully committed to keeping children safe. If you have any concerns around their safety in any circumstance, please contact; The Diocesan Liaison Person – Confidential No - 087 1003554. (Please see more information on the notice board).