

Church of the Immaculate Heart of Mary

Bonniconlon, Ballina, Co Mayo

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Mass Intentions

Saturday	8.00pm	Tom and Dora Judge, Carrowreagh. Paddy Greevey, Kilgarvin.
Sunday	10.00am	Martin and Winifred Dempsey, Whitestream and the deceased of the Dempsey and Murphy families.
Monday	9.30am	No morning mass.
Tuesday	9.30am	Chris O'Malley, formally of Rathreedane (Anniversary), his brother Paul and the deceased of the O'Malley and Hooks families.
Wednesday	9.30am	William Kilkenny and the deceased members of the family.
Thursday	9.30am	Eamonn Kelly (Anniversary) and the deceased of the family.
Friday	9.30am	Morning Mass.
Saturday	10.00am	Bridget Fox, Bofield (1 st Anniversary) and Anne Gildea (née Gilmartin), Whitestream (1 st Anniversary).
	8.00pm	Michael Ruane, Carralavin and the deceased of the Ruane and Murphy families.
Sunday	10.00am	Nell Devaney, formerly of Glenree and Leeds. (Month's Mind)

Roster for 21st & 22nd September, 2024

Readers:	Saturday 8.00pm Kay Devine	Sunday 10.00am Breege Hennigan
Eucharistic Ministers:	Berndette M Judge Mary Gorham	Eamonn Hennigan Breege Hennigan Jimmy Foody

Deaths: Your prayers are requested for the happy repose of the soul of **Keiran Foody** of Kilfian, brother of Mary Loftus, Glenree, who was laid to rest during the week. May he rest in peace.

A Night not to be Missed: Country and Gospel Concert with Patrick Feeney, St Adamnan's Church Skreen, Sunday 24th November 2024. Tickets €25 each can be got from Audrie at 086 6069063 or Helen 087 6806905. Doors open 4pm. Concert 5pm. All proceeds in aid of Skreen/Dromard Community Centre.

Bishop Kevin Doran, Bishop of Elphin and Apostolic Administrator of Achonry Diocese extends an invitation to the priests, the members of Pastoral Councils, Parish Councils and Parish Finance Committees and those in a parish engaged in the mission of the Church, to book a place at one of the following six meetings.

These meetings are being held to help us identify the questions that need to be addressed and how we might approach them constructively as we work together towards a closer union.

It does not matter which of the six meetings people attend and people from the same parish do not have to attend the same one.

Please contact Fr Geelan or Evelyn and let them know which meeting you choose to attend.

1. Monday 16th September – Percy French Hotel, Strokestown (7pm – 9pm)
2. Tuesday 17th September – Sligo Park Hotel (7pm – 9pm)
3. Wednesday 18th September – Park Hotel, Kiltimagh (7pm – 9pm)
4. Wednesday 25th September – Athlone Springs Hotel (7pm – 9pm)
5. Monday 30th September – An Chroi Digital Hub, Tubbercurry (7pm – 9pm)
6. Saturday 5th October – Tully's Hotel, Castlerea (11am – 1pm)

Mayo County Council invites all community groups to have their say on the new Mayo County Council Corporate Plan 2024-2029. A workshop will take place on Wednesday 18th September 7.00pm to 8.30pm in the Outdoor Training Centre, Milebush, Castlebar F23 TH29. There is plenty of free car parking. Tea/Coffee/Refreshments served. No booking required.

24th Sunday in Ordinary Time

15th September, 2024

Fr John Geelan P.P.

An Garda Síochána will be in attendance at the upcoming Bonniconlon Community Meeting on Monday 23rd September at 8:30pm in the community centre. Garda members from the Community Policing Unit will be there regarding crime prevention, law enforcement and will address crime and policing quality of life issues that can affect local communities. After the recent launch of the Property Marking Machine at the Bonniconlon Show, Sergeant Jonathan Petrie will also be in attendance to speak about arranging a date that suits the local community for a Property Marking day and will discuss the advantages of using this new crime prevention initiative.

Ploughing Championship: There are a number of seats available on the bus leaving Bonniconlon at 5am on Wednesday 18th September. Costing €20. Please give names to Martin Greavy 087 2632567 or John O'Hara 087 2842949.



BONNICONLON G.A.A. Lotto
Draw Result 07/09/2024

New Jackpot: €14,150

NUMBERS DRAWN 7, 27, 28, 32.
No Jackpot winner.
Jackpot €14,150

5 x €40 winners were as follows:

1. Nellie McDonnell, Bunalty, Glenamoy.
2. Ellie and Theo, C/O Tom Kelly.
3. Deirdre McKenna, Mahoneys, Corballa.
4. Don Whatmore, Knockroe.
5. Ben Loftus, Carralavin.

Next draw the 14th September 2024

[Cut off sale time is 6.00pm on the Saturday]

Play Online: Visit www.bonniconlongaa.com

Craibhín Ballina: Computer/ Smartphone classes starts Monday September 16th from 2.30 pm to 4 pm with an instructor(s). Cost €5 per person. Booking is essential. Call the Centre on 0872785365 to book your place.

Marriage Preparation: Some places still available on the course at McWilliam Hotel, Claremorris, Friday 20th September, 7pm - 10pm and Saturday 21st September, 10am - 5pm. Book online on www.accord.ie or tel. 087 9972503. Early booking is advised due to less courses available.

We Can Quit – Stop Smoking Group Ballina: The HSE under the Sláintecare Healthy Communities initiative are offering a FREE stop smoking programme in Ballina starting on October 1st for 7 weeks from 2-3.30pm. We Can Quit is a FREE Group Based Stop Smoking Programme. FREE nicotine replacement medication, group support and one to one Support will be offered to all participants. For more information or to book a place please contact Brenda Mc Nicholas on 087 4484711 or email brenda.mcnicolas1@hse.ie

The Relics of St Bernadette will be visiting our Diocese on Saturday 5th October and Sunday 6th October in the Cathedral of the Annunciation & St Nathy, as part of the pilgrimage of Ireland until the 5th November.

Saturday 5th October: 3.00pm Welcoming Liturgy, 4.00pm Rosary, 5.00pm Rosary, 6.00pm Mass with Water Gesture, 8.00pm Candlelight Procession, 9 – 11pm Adoration / Quiet Prayer with opportunity for confession concluding with Night Prayer & Benediction.

Sunday 6th October: 8am Cathedral open, 9:30am Rosary, 10.00am Mass & Water Gesture, 12.00 noon Stations of the Cross, 2.00pm Rosary, 3.00pm Healing Ceremony with Anointing of the Sick & Farewell.

John & Isabella Hoban will visit Crossmolina Civic Centre on September 17th at 3pm for a Music Circle. All welcome to join. This event is free entry & provided by the Family Centre Castlebar on behalf of Flourish Social Prescribing. If you want to find out more about Flourish & the service offered please contact Maria on 087 185 7280 or email flourish@thefamilycentre.com



A Spiritual Thought

It is easier to go down a hill than up...but... the view is from the top!!!