



KILLASSER/CALLOW PARISH NEWSLETTER



E-mail: killasserparishemail@yahoo.com

We aim to be a more welcoming Parish where we live the Gospel message.

THIRD SUNDAY OF ADVENT

15th December 2024

No 502

PRAY FOR:

Sheila McNulty Castleknock, Dublin. Who died suddenly on Friday 6th December . Survived by her husband John, son Jonathan, daughter Siobhan and also her grandchildren, brothers, sister and Brother in law Thomas McNulty Carrownedan.

Evelyn (Ellen) Ward nee Deacy, formerly of Cullen, RIP died in London on 1st Dec 2024. Survived by her 6 children, Maureen, Sheila, Kevin, Brendan, Colin & Martin. Sister of Denis & Micheál Deacy, Cullen.

Maureen Flynn, cousin of Fr John Durkan.

John Maloney, son of the late John Maloney, Tierninny & Manchester.

READERS

Saturday 14th : **Keeva Rowley**

Sunday 15th: **D O'Brien**

Saturday 21st : **Mike Gribben**

Sunday 22nd: **Holly McNulty**

SCHOOL REUNION : A night to celebrate the 30 year reunion of the Class of 1994 Scoil Muire agus Padraig, Swinford will take place in Melletts, Swinford on Friday 27th December. DJ & dancing from 9pm. Spread the word!

Holly Hour Callow Church: There will be a Holy Hour on the First Sunday of every month in Callow from 5 to 6pm. The next one will be on Sunday 5th January at 5pm. Upcoming dates after that are 2nd Feb, 2nd March and 6th April.

MASS INTENTION

Saturday 14th Killasser 7pm	Patrick & Mary Rochford , Cartron & all deceased members of the Rochford & Byrne families.
Sunday 15th Callow 10am	John(Jim) Neary 24th Anniversary & members of the Neary & Duffy families. Evelyn (Ellen) Ward nee Deacy. Cullen born 1932 died in London 1st dec 2024
Sunday 15th Killasser 12 noon	Mass for your Intentions.
Monday 16th Killasser 12noon	Funeral Mass for John James Groarke
Wednesday 18th Callow 10am	Fr. James Bernard Walsh ,who died Dec 20th 1970
Thursday 19th Killasser 10am	Morning Mass.
Saturday 21st Killasser 7pm	Evening Mass.
Sunday 22nd Callow 10am	Mass for your Intentions.
Sunday 22nd Killasser 12noon	Michael & Bridie Sheridan , Blackpatch.

For Mass bookings or requests TEXT or WHATSAPP: 0864516909

KILLASER PARISH CALENDAR: The Parish Calendar is now available. Price 10 Euro all proceeds go to the community centre. You can get your copy from Moores supermarket, Kennedy's Aclare or the Turf Shed.

CHURCH OF IRELAND CAROL SERVICE : Carol service on the 22nd December @5pm with Foxford brass band . All welcome.

KILLASSER CHURCH CHRISTMAS DECORATIONS

Christmas church decorations will take place on Monday 16th. Volunteers are needed to help with this please come along around 5pm all help is much appreciated . Thank you

MAYO PPN:

Interested in having the Spotlight on your Community Organisation?

Mayo PPN are currently running a series called 'Community Spotlight'. It involves a weekly feature highlighting PPN groups' events and activities and is showcased on the PPN website and social media platforms for one week.

Send us a short description of your group –150/250 words.

3-4 photographs.

By email to : mayoppn@mayococo.ie

If you would like to find out more about this project have a look at some of the groups that have featured so far, go to: [Community Spotlight - Mayo PPN](#)

BUTTERFLY GARDEN 2025 CALENDAR NOW LAUNCHED: We are delighted to launch a very unique calendar of special images from the Butterfly Garden Swinford honouring all the little babies who couldn't stay. Calendars are 10euro each (postage extra) with all the proceeds going to the Butterfly Garden Maintenance fund. To order, call or text Natasha on 086 3622522.

ST. JOSEPH'S SECONDARY SCHOOL FOXFORD - LAUNCH OF OUR FUNDRAISING LOTTO :

St. Joseph's in conjunction with its Parents Association is launching this new fundraising initiative and money raised will be used to directly support the children's educational experience and general wellbeing. Your support would be greatly appreciated. Weekly options from €2.50 per line or €5 for 3. First draw to take place on Dec 12th. Please pass on the word to friends and family. Link to join is <https://www.ourfundraiser.ie/org/stjosephsfoxford/>