



## Parish of Gallen and Rynagh

St. Mary's, Cloghan & St. Rynagh's, Banagher

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10.30 to 12.30 p.m. 086 0705801

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Readings: 27<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Ordinary Time

Birr SVP 085 8804028

### Mass Times & Anniversaries

Sat. 1 <sup>st</sup>	6.30 p.m.	St. Rynagh's	Maureen English née Cully, Clonmel. Tony & Delia Barry, Dublin & Mayo. Joseph (Joe) Harrington, Moyvore (requested by G. & A.) Paddy & Kathleen Madden, Curraghavarna.
Sat. 1 <sup>st</sup>	8 p.m.	St. Mary's	Thomas (Tommy) O'Connor. Clonmacnois. Hocene & Ann Bentout, France. Nancy Anne O'Brien, Killnachonna (requested by B.D.)
Sun. 2 <sup>nd</sup>	9.30 a.m.	St. Mary's	Anna Kiernan, husband Hughie and brother John Joe Brady. Peter Kelly, Whitefields & The Grove. David Flynn (9 <sup>th</sup> Anniv.) and his father Sean, Kinnegad.
Sun. 2 <sup>nd</sup>	11 a.m.	St. Rynagh's	Kieran & Mary Foley, daughter Mae & son Kieran, Main St. (requested Intentions of all Parishioners and Friends of the Parish. by M.R.) Mary & William Mahony, Queen Street.
Mon. 3 <sup>rd</sup>	9.30 a.m.	St. Rynagh's	Ann Shaughnessy (requested by M. & P.)
Tues. 4 <sup>th</sup>	9.30 a.m.	St. Mary's	Vera Blake, Leitrim & Dublin (requested by M.R.) Mass in Thanksgiving (requested by K.T.)
Wed. 5 <sup>th</sup>	9.30 a.m.	St. Rynagh's	Nigel Wrafter, Birr.
Thurs. 6 <sup>th</sup>	9.30 a.m.	St. Mary's	Phil Gallogly née Garrahan, Greenagh (requested by G. & A.) Special Intention – Get Well (requested by W.C.)
Fri. 7 <sup>th</sup>	9.30 a.m.	St. Rynagh's	Teresa (2 <sup>nd</sup> Anniv.) & George Kelly, Curraghavarna. Intentions of all Parishioners and Friends of the Parish.
<b>First Friday</b>	7 p.m.	St. Mary's	Thomas (Tom) O'Neill, Annagh.
Sat. 8 <sup>th</sup>	6.30 p.m.	St. Rynagh's	Maureen White née Deveraux & daughter Mary & dec. Family, Cuba Ave. Nigel Wrafter, Birr (Month's Memory) & deceased Family members.
Sat. 8 <sup>th</sup>	8 p.m.	St. Mary's	Michael Langtry, Maherabawn & Mount Bolus (1 <sup>st</sup> Anniv.) Ellen McDonagh, Newtown. P.J. Ward and deceased Ward, Kiernan, Hunt & Dolan Families. Michael & Maura Smith, Banagher Street.
Sun. 9 <sup>th</sup>	9.30 a.m.	St. Mary's	Nancy Anne O'Brien née Doyle, Kilnachonna (Requested by B.D.)
Sun. 9 <sup>th</sup>	11 a.m.	St. Rynagh's	Imelda Corcoran née McLoughlin, Kildare & Longford. Michael Doorley, Birr Road (19 <sup>th</sup> Anniv.) Special Intention – Get Well Helen Hogan, Manchester (requested by M.R.)

*Jesus Said, "I am the Resurrection and the Life".*



Please pray for the repose of the souls of Mary Kilcommons (wife of the late Donie) London, formerly The Auld Thatch pub & shop, Cloghan; Margaret Carroll, London, sister-in-law of John & Teresa McDermott, Cuba; John Collins, Jersey, Channel Islands, brother of the late Margaret Connaughton, Lumcloon; Imelda Corcoran née McLoughlin, Kildare and Longford. May they rest in peace.

**Offertory Collection:** Banagher €705. Cloghan €686. **Shrine & Catholic Papers** €425. **Counters:** Team A

**Donations to the Parish:** If you wish to offer financial support to the Church by electronic transfer our bank details are as follows:- Banagher Parochial Account **BIC:** BOFIE2D **IBAN:** IE23 BOF190165034757730. Thank you.

**First Friday** celebrated on Friday 7<sup>th</sup> Oct.

**Communion Calls:** Thurs. 6<sup>th</sup> Oct. – Cloghan Area.

Friday 7<sup>th</sup> Oct. – Banagher Area.

**Masses First Friday:** St. Rynagh's 9.30 a.m. and St. Mary's 7 p.m.

**First Holy Communion Enrolment Ceremonies:** St. Rynagh's N.S. this Sat. 1<sup>st</sup> October at 6.30 p.m. in St. Rynagh's Church. Lumcloon N.S. & St. Mary's N.S. this Sat. 1<sup>st</sup> October at 8 p.m. in St. Mary's Church.

**Feast of St. Francis of Assisi 1181-1226** celebrated on Tues. 4<sup>th</sup> Oct. St. Francis abandoned all things for the love of Christ. For the last two years of his life he suffered the stigmata. Patron saint of ecologists.

**Feast of Saint Faustina 1905 – 1938** celebrated on Wed. 5<sup>th</sup> Oct. St. Faustina inspired the movement dedicated to proclaiming and imploring Divine Mercy throughout the world.

**Feast of Our Lady of the Rosary** celebrated on Fri. 7<sup>th</sup> Oct. Today's feast invites everyone to meditate on the mysteries of Christ, following the example of the Blessed Virgin Mary.

**A note from Sr. Helen Ryder:** "Greetings to one and all. Unfortunately, I did not get home this year, so I wanted to make contact. My difficulty in getting out of Haiti is linked to the violent death of a colleague, Sr Luisa, at the end of June. I cannot leave the country until..... You may have heard of recent events in Haiti? We have been going through bad times. Fortunately, your help can continue to reach me through Mary Kenny in LSU. Many thanks and please keep us in your prayers. "  
**Haiti Fund:** If anyone would like to contribute to The Haiti Fund you can post an envelope marked Haiti into the convent post box on Cuba Avenue, place your envelope in the offertory collection boxes in the Church or donate online at La Sainte Union Haiti Mission IBAN – IE61BOFI 90165046420035 BIC- BOFIE2D Thank you.

**Epilepsy Ireland** collection amounted to €305. Thanks to all who contributed and who helped in any way.

**Banagher College Coláiste na Sionna:** Opening of the Year School Mass on Wed. 12<sup>th</sup> Oct. at 9.30 a.m.

**Offaly Dementia Cafe** is presented by the Alzheimer Society of Ireland held this Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> October in the Bridge House Hotel at 10.30 a.m. with guest speaker Christine Marten from ALONE. Please contact Claire Dolan on 087 7151323.

**Banagher Active Retirement** club meeting on Tues. 4<sup>th</sup> Oct. 2- 4 p.m. in the College of Further Education. Meetings are now held every two weeks not every week as previously stated.

**Reeling in The Hurling Years - Birr GAA Club:** Spend a night in the company of hurling legends like Anthony Daly, Eddie Brennan, Brendan Maher and Dan Shanahan Thurs. 13<sup>th</sup> Oct. in the County Arms Hotel 7.30 p.m. MC'd by RTÉ's Darragh Maloney and with racing legend Barry Geraghty and Gaelic Football icon Mickey Harte also present on the night, it promises to be a great night with all funds raised going towards important development work in St Brendan's Park. Tickets €20 each on sale through Eventbrite or contact Michael Verney 087 2182442 and Brian Stephens 087 1370296 for more info.

**Banagher Foróige Club** is holding a **Parents Information Night** for incoming members. Registration on Wed. 5<sup>th</sup> Oct. 2022 at 8.30 p.m. Further info. contact Ann on 086 866 8547 or Sinéad on 087 445 1171.

**Day for Life 2022 – Caring for the Older Person** celebrated on Sun. 2<sup>nd</sup> Oct. It is a day dedicated to raising awareness of the meaning and value of human life at every stage and in every condition. The theme is 'Caring for the Older Person'. We are invited to reflect on the value and importance of older people in families and in our parish community. To read the pastoral message for Day for Life in Full visit [www.councilforlife.ie](http://www.councilforlife.ie) Saint Joachim and Saint Anne, pray for us. "The whole of society must hasten to take care of its elderly – they are its treasure" *Pope Francis.*

### Prayer for the Appointment of a New Bishop

*This is a suggested prayer that may be used over the coming weeks and months as we await the appointment of a new shepherd for the diocese:*

God, shepherd and guide, in your mercy, give your Church in our diocese a shepherd after your own heart who will walk in your ways, and with loving care watch over your people.

Give us a leader of vision and a teacher of your truth. So may your Church be built up and your name glorified; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.