



# Parish of Gallen and Rynagh

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

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Readings:

25<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time

Birr SVP 085 8804028

## Mass Times & Anniversaries

Sat. 18 <sup>th</sup>	6.30 p.m.	St. Rynagh's	Nancy, Jim & Sean Regan, The Crescent. Jimmy Fitzgerald, Curraghavarra. (8 <sup>th</sup> Anniv.) Veronica Healy née Kelly, West End. (6 <sup>th</sup> Anniv.) Michael Moran, Manchester. (Month's Memory) (requested by the Moran Family)
Sat. 18 <sup>th</sup>	8 p.m.	St. Mary's	Jimmy Flynn, Castle Street. Anne Shine née Griffin, Athlone & Kiltoom. Sean Claffey and deceased Claffey & O'Hara Families. Annie & Jimmy Ryan, Cloghan Hill.
Sun. 19 <sup>th</sup>	9.30 a.m.	St. Mary's	Chris & Jimmy Gilligan, Lumcloon. Willie O'Beirne, Whiterock.
Sun. 19 <sup>th</sup>	11 a.m.	St. Rynagh's	John Hough, Main Street. Brendan Smyth, The Marina (Month's Memory) Patty Hayes, Main Street. Intentions of all Parishioners and Friends of the Parish.
Mon. 20 <sup>th</sup>	9.30 a.m.	St. Rynagh's	Colman Murphy, Ballyegan, Birr. Manus Duff & mother Bridget, Dublin (requested by M.R.) Francis & Mollie Mulligan & deceased Mulligan & Reilly families
Tues. 21 <sup>st</sup>	9.30 a.m.	St. Mary's	Phyllis Carroll & her husband Jimmy. Special Intention (get well baby Niall) (requested by J.L.)
Wed. 22 <sup>nd</sup>	9.30 a.m.	St. Rynagh's	Tom Ivory, Main Street & deceased members of the Ivory family. Tom Higgins, Harbour Cross.
Thurs. 23 <sup>rd</sup>	9.30 a.m.	St. Mary's	John Connell (16 <sup>th</sup> Anniv.) and deceased members of the family.
Sat. 25 <sup>th</sup>	6.30 p.m.	St. Rynagh's	Frank Whelahan, Coolfin & deceased Whelahan family. Nora Egan, Ballivor & deceased Egan Family.
Sat. 25 <sup>th</sup>	8 p.m.	St. Mary's	Mark & Margaret Cooney & deceased Cooney & Gallagher Families. Margaret & John Houlihan, Ballysheil & deceased Houlihan & Lynn families.
Sun. 26 <sup>th</sup>	9.30 a.m.	St. Mary's	Michael, Rose & Rosaleen McIntyre & Mary Creigan, Ballingown. Myra Dolan née Hunt, Furnace. Anthony Horan late of Corbane, Ferbane & formerly Ballivor (requested by T. & H.)
Sun. 26 <sup>th</sup>	11 a.m.	St. Rynagh's	Michael Moran, Manchester & formerly Queen St. by T. & H.) Padraig Malynn, Coolatore (requested by G.G.)



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



Please pray for the repose of the souls of Anthony Horan, Canada late of Corbane, Ferbane & formerly Ballivor; Bro. John McAteer, Donegal; Sean Moran, Drumriggeran; Michael McCormack, Laragh. May they rest in peace.

**Offertory Collections:** Banagher €1,042. Cloghan €466. **Thank you** to Banagher Post Office and Cloghan Post Office and staff for kindly facilitating the collection of the envelopes.

**Collectors** Team B **Cloghan Readers:** Saturday: David Daly

Sunday: Greg Gilligan

**Banagher Readers:** Sept. 6.30 p.m. Clodna Kelleher

11 a.m. Toni Banahan

**Eucharistic Ministers:** Sept. 6.30 p.m. Maria Donohoe & Donal Moran

11 a.m. Siobhan Regan and Frank Kelly

## Opening of the Year School Masses:

St. Rynagh's N.S. – Monday 20<sup>th</sup> Sept. at 9.30 a.m. Cloghan N.S. – Tuesday 21<sup>st</sup> Sept. at 9.30 a.m.

Lumcloon N.S. – Thursday 23<sup>rd</sup> Sept. at 9.30 a.m.

The Masses will be live-streamed to each classroom in the schools. We ask God Our Father to bless and to protect everyone during the new academic year.

**St. Mary's Church, Cloghan:** The Rite of Commissioning of all Ministers of the Eucharist who will serve in St. Mary's Church will take place on Fri. 1<sup>st</sup> Oct. during the 7 p.m. Mass. Sincere thanks to everyone who has served and who continue to serve in this ministry and to all who are beginning as Ministers of the Eucharist. "In that little Host is the solution to all the problems of the world" St. John Paul II

**Sr. Helen Ryder, L.S.U:** Sincere thanks to Sr. Helen who spoke at all Masses last weekend about her work in Haiti. If anyone would like to contribute to The Haiti Fund please collect an envelope at the Church porches or online at La Sainte Union Haiti Mission IBAN – IE61BOFI 90165046420035 BIC- BOFIE2DXXX Thank you.

**Wedding:** Congratulations to Brian Slevin, Banagher Street and Michelle Dunne, Belmont who were married in St. Mary's Church last weekend.

**Mountain Bike** found abandoned on Harbour road. Contact 086 2530548.

**Acknowledgement:** The La Sainte Union Sisters wish to thank all those who sent messages of condolence on the recent death of Sr. Josie. Your kind expressions of sympathy and support are greatly appreciated. Mass will be offered in the Convent Chapel for all your intentions during September. God bless you.

**Dancing returns** to St Mary's Hall Cloghan on Monday 4th of October 8 p.m. to 10 p.m. For more information please contact Gerry on 087 4373365.

**The Sunday Morning Litter-pick** is finished until next Spring. Many thanks to those who took part also to those who picked litter around town in their own time and the CE workers who do such a good job.

**Coffee Day for Offaly Hospice** on Thursday 23<sup>rd</sup> of September from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. at Padraig and Carmel Finneran's, Castle Street. Your support would be greatly appreciated. Thank you.

**St Patrick's College, Maynooth** - have CAO Available Places for Leaving Certificate students in 2021 for our BATH degree. It is never too late to find the right programme! Our **BATH Arts & Theology Degree** is the perfect gateway to a variety of careers, such as teaching, business, finance, journalism and many more! Other parishioners may be interested in our blended learning **Higher Diploma in Theological Studies** as it offers students the flexibility to balance their learning with other life commitments. Learning is mostly online with some campus attendance. This Higher Diploma appeals to those looking for an introduction to Theology or a start on the journey to a master's degree in Theology or Pastoral Ministry. It also provides teachers with a qualification to teach Religious Education.

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**Interested in working in Retail, Tourism or the Hospitality sector?** Then this is the course for you! Retail Sales & Skills course commencing Sept. 27<sup>th</sup> in Banagher Further Education & Training Centre. For further info. contact Linda Hogan or Aoife Kelly phone 087 7385989 or [lhogan@offalyldc.ie](mailto:lhogan@offalyldc.ie) [akelly@offalyldc.ie](mailto:akelly@offalyldc.ie)

**Foot Care:** Mobile Foot Health Practitioner - house calls available daytime and evening. Contact Maura at 086 8053671 to arrange an appointment.

**Feast of Padre Pio, priest:** St. Pius of Pietrelcina, Capuchin Friar, Stigmatist, Confessor and Friend of all who suffer, celebrated on Thursday 23<sup>rd</sup> Sept.

### Prayer to Padre Pio

Dear God, You generously blessed Your servant, St. Padre Pio of Pietrelcina, with the gifts of the Spirit. You marked his body with the five wounds of Christ Crucified, as a powerful witness to the saving Passion and death of Your Son. Endowed with the gift of discernment, St. Padre Pio labored endlessly in the confessional for the salvation of souls. With reverence and intense devotion in the celebration of Mass, he invited countless men and women to a greater union with Jesus Christ in the Sacrament of the Holy Eucharist. Through the intercession of St. Padre Pio of Pietrelcina, I confidently beseech You to grant me the grace of (here state your petition). Glory be to the Father... (three times). Amen.

### Someone's Watching

Someone sees and someone cares, someone listens, someone shares, someone knows the pain you feel and sends their love to soothe and heal. Someone sees the path you tread, someone smooths the way ahead, someone always understands and holds you gently in His hands. No matter what you say or do someone's watching over you!

*Iris Hesselden*