



Parish of Gallen and Rynagh

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

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Readings:

Third Sunday of Ordinary Time

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SVP 085 8804028

Mass Times & Anniversaries

Sat. 22 nd	6.30 p.m.	St. Rynagh's	Michael Egan, Curraghavarna. (7 th Anniv.) Paulin Horan, Main Street. (Month's Memory) Mary McNally, Queen Street. (1 st Anniv.) Denis Lynch, Harbour Road (23 rd Anniv.) Leo Mullins, Main Street (20 th Anniv.) Bridget Young, Ballivor. (Month's Memory)
Sat. 22 nd	8 p.m.	St. Mary's	Florence Keating, Castle Street. (Month's Memory) Deceased members of the King & Delaney Families.
Sun. 23 rd	9.30 a.m.	St. Mary's	Patty O'Rourke & husband Peter, Drumanny. Deceased members of the Malone & Shaw Families.
Sun. 23 rd	11 a.m.	St. Rynagh's	Keith Lyons, Church Street (requested by T.M.) Fr. Frank Kelly. Sheila Kavanagh, Rhode. Josie Dooley.
Mon. 24 th	9.30 a.m.	St. Rynagh's	Tomo Kelly, Feighs, Middle Road (requested by M. & B.) Mel Flynn, Main Street (46 th Anniv.) Special Intention (requested by C.D.)
Tues. 25 th	9.30 a.m.	St. Mary's	Deceased members of the Donohoe & Naughton Families.
Wed. 26 th	9.30 a.m.	St. Rynagh's	Paddy Ganly, Tang (requested by L.D.) Special Intention (requested by T.M.)
Thurs. 27 th	9.30 a.m.	St. Mary's	Peter Guinan, Ballyclare. Special Intention (requested by G. & A.)
Sat. 29 th	6.30 a.m.	St. Rynagh's	Margaret Dooley, Killyon, Birr. Sheila Butler, Kilkenny (requested by L.D.)
Sat. 29 th	8 p.m.	St. Mary's	Kathy McDermott, husband Jimmy & daughter-in-law Mary. Shane Banks. The Coughlan Family, Banagher Street. Aidan Quigley, Banagher Street.
Sun. 30 th	9.30 a.m.	St. Mary's	Margaret McCabe née Murray, Corlespratten. Mary McGowan, Clondra.
Sun. 30 th	11 a.m.	St. Rynagh's	Patsy Gibson (requested by J. & B.) Paula Solley, New Jersey.

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



Please pray for the repose of the souls of Kieran Butler, Coolfin; Kathleen Kearns née Mullins, Athlone and formerly Shannon Harbour; Bro. Gerard Cahill, Marist Brothers, Athlone and formerly Corrandulla, Co. Galway, brother of Sr. Philomena Cahill, L.S.U. Sister, Banagher; Eugene Sheehy, Kilbrittain, Co. Cork, father of Derry Sheehy, Kylebeg. May they rest in peace.

Banagher Readers: Jan. 6.30 p.m. Sheila Flynn

11 a.m. Ursula Finnegan

Eucharistic Ministers: Jan. 6.30 p.m. Ann Gallagher & Pat McKeon

11 a.m. Elizabeth Madden & Carmel O'Sullivan

Offertory Collections: Banagher €1,005 Cloghan €695

Counters: Team E

Catholic Schools Week commences this week. The theme for Catholic School's Week is "Living Life to the Full".

Sunday of the word of God celebrated on Sunday 23rd January, the 3rd Sunday in Ordinary Time. We ask the Holy Spirit to open our minds to understand the scriptures and come to know Jesus. As St. Jerome said "Ignorance of the scriptures is ignorance of Christ".

Diocesan Administrator: Fr. Tom Healy, Parish Priest in Edgeworthstown and Diocesan Secretary has been elected Diocesan Administrator. He will act in this role until a new bishop is appointed. We wish Fr. Tom every blessing as he undertakes this new responsibility.

Enrolment for Junior Infants for September 2022 in St. Rynagh's N.S. has commenced. Enrolment Forms can be downloaded from our website www.strynaghsns.com. The form can be dropped into the school's post box. If anyone cannot download the form they can telephone the school at 057 9151419 or email strynaghs@strynaghsns.com with their details and we will post a form to you.

Cystic Fibrosis Church Gate Collection this weekend 22/23rd Jan. 2022. You can also support the collection by placing your donation in an envelope and mark Cystic Fibrosis and return with your collection envelopes. Your support would be greatly appreciated. Thank you.

New Construction Studies Programme will be commencing at Banagher FET Centre on the 14th of February 2022. Modules include: Renewable Energy Systems, Concreting, Floor and Wall, Tiling MIG Welding and NZEB Awareness, Thermal Insulation, Installation and Safe Pass Training. A training allowance is payable where applicable. For further details you can contact: 085 8016195 085 8051912 email traineeship@loetb.ie

Cloghan Community Survey: Are you living in the Cloghan area? If so, then we need your help to identify the direction that our community should take. Over the last week hundreds of household surveys were distributed by members of the Cloghan Community Planning Steering Group, in an effort to get insight into Cloghan, as a place to live, a place to work and a place to grow. If you haven't yet completed your survey, please do! The deadline for submission of surveys is February 18th. If you haven't received a survey then contact Louise, at Offaly Local Development Company, on 087 692 5276, or log on to <https://forms.gle/L9tKK8b2y43k1mfWA> to complete the survey online.

Annual Mass of Remembrance will be held on Sunday, 6th February 2022 at 10:30 a.m. in St. Paul's Church, Delvin Road, Mullingar, in memory of deceased patients and staff and people buried in St. Loman's Hospital Cemetery from 1907 to 1970. Mass will be livestreamed on www.mullingarparish.ie

Donations to the Parish: We very much appreciate your continued generosity at this difficult time. 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 BOFI90165034757730. Details also on website.

Diary 2022: To book an Anniversary Mass email: newsletterstrynaghs@gmail.com or contact The Secretary Monday or Friday 10.30 to 12.30 p.m.

A big thanks to all who donated night wear both male and female to me since my ad this time last year. On your behalf I was able to distribute over 200 items to patients in need of night wear in Tullamore Hospital. The need is ongoing and if anyone got a new nightdress or pyjamas for Christmas and would like to donate the old ones for patients in need, any size would be appreciated and second hand t-shirts come in useful also. Thanks also for those who donated a sum of cash for me to buy some pyjamas, very much appreciated. Please drop to Paul Flynn, Main Street, Banagher or contact me Maria Curley 087 1241295

A Prayer of St. Paul

Be happy at all times; Pray constantly;
For all things give thanks to God...
Treat everyone with equal kindness...
God loves a cheerful giver...
Do not give up if trials come...;
God has called you, He will not fail you.

A Prayer of St. Francis de Sales.

Do everything calmly and peacefully.
Do as much as you can as well as you can.
Strive to see God in all things without exception.
Consent to His will joyously.
Do everything for God, uniting yourself to Him
In word and deed.
Walk very simply with the Cross of the Lord.
Be at peace with yourself.