



Parish of Gallen and Rynagh

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

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Readings:

17th Sunday of Ordinary Time

Birr SVP 085 8804028

Mass Times & Anniversaries

Sat. 24 th	6.30 p.m.	St. Rynagh's	Valerie Donohoe, West End and Dublin. John & Agnes Kelly, Ferbane Street & Claire Wenger (1 st Anniv.)
Sat. 24 th	8 p.m.	St. Mary's	Kathleen, Michael & Mary Camon. Sr. Josie Comber, L.S.U. (requested by T. & H.) Kathy Farrell née McCormack, Bethlehem (2 nd Anniv.).
Sun. 25 th	9.30 a.m.	St. Mary's	Mary Moran (3 rd Anniv.) Sean McIntyre, Melbourne & formerly Carrick. (requested by A.Mc.) Special Intention (Yvonne Smyth)
Sun. 25 th	11 a.m.	St. Rynagh's	Sean Davis late husband of Elizabeth Russell. John Joe Flannery, Cuba Avenue (25 th Anniv.) & deceased family. Mass in Thanksgiving (requested by Angela Millard)
Mon. 26 th	9.30 a.m.	St. Rynagh's	Michael Connolly, Killaloe (requested by B & J) Special Intention for Claire
Tues. 27 th	9.30 a.m.	St. Mary's	Joe Anderson, Florida and formerly Gallen. Special Intention (requested by M.Mc) Special Intention (Yvonne Smyth)
Wed. 28 th	9.30 a.m.	St. Rynagh's	NO MASS
Thurs. 29 th	9.30 a.m.	St. Mary's	NO MASS
Sat. 31 st	6.30 p.m.	St. Rynagh's	Michael & Terry Keenaghan, Curraghavarra. Anna & Des Maloney, Birr Road. Agnes & Joe Kennedy, Feighs and deceased family.
Sat. 31 st	8 p.m.	St. Mary's	Michael Barrett, Lumcloon. Mary Shaughnessy, Hill Road (Month's Memory).
Sun. 1 st	9.30 a.m.	St. Mary's	Martin Hanamy, Blackmills.
Sun. 1 st	11 a.m.	St. Rynagh's	Rosemarie Martin, Garrycastle (Month's Memory), her husband Kevin & Tommy Olorenshaw. Mary & William Mahony, Queen Street. Special Intention (Yvonne Smyth)

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



Please pray for the repose of the souls of Eddie Connaughton, Lisduff, Belmont, brother of Séan Connaughton, Lumcloon: Brendan Óg Dufaigh, Monaghan. May they rest in peace.

Offertory Collections: Banagher €661. Cloghan €480.

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.

Thank you to Banagher Post Office and Cloghan Post Office and staff for kindly facilitating the collection of the envelopes.

Banagher: Readers: July 6.30 p.m. Maria Curley 11 a.m. Cormac Butler **Collectors** Team D
Eucharistic Ministers: July 6.30 p.m. David Nagle and Paul Kelly. 11 a.m. Mary McKeon

PRAYER FOR THE FIRST WORLD DAY FOR GRANDPARENTS AND THE ELDERLY

I thank You, Lord, for the comfort of Your presence: even in times of loneliness, You are my hope and my confidence, You have been my rock and my fortress since my youth! I thank You for having given me a family and for having blessed me with a long life. I thank You for moments of joy and difficulty, for the dreams that have already come true in my life and for those that are still ahead of me. I thank You for this time of renewed fruitfulness to which You call me. Increase, O Lord, my faith, make me a channel of your peace, teach me to embrace those who suffer more than me, to never stop dreaming and to tell of your wonders to new generations. Protect and guide Pope Francis and the Church, that the light of the Gospel might reach the ends of the earth. Send Your Spirit, O Lord, to renew the world, that the storm of the pandemic might be calmed, the poor consoled and wars ended. Sustain me in weakness and help me to live life to the full in each moment that you give me, in the certainty that you are with me every day, even until the end of the age. Amen.

Plant a Tree in their Memory: The Catholic Grandparents Association is inviting families and parishes to 'Plant a Tree in their Memory'. By planting this tree families have a chance to remember all those grandparents, elderly people including elderly priests and religious, who have passed away after a lifetime of dedication, love and service to their families and parishes.

No elderly person should be like an "exile" in our families.
The elderly are a treasure for our society. *Pope Francis*

St. Mary's & St. Rynagh's: Sincere thanks to everyone who volunteers to help out in the parish. Your support and help is very valued and appreciated. Thank you.

Live Streaming: Masses in both Churches are recorded and are available for 30 days.

Schedule for Masses in Cloghan & Banagher week commencing Mon. 26th July.

St. Rynagh's	Monday 26 th	Wednesday 28 th	Saturday 31 st	Sunday 1 st
	9.30 a.m.	NO MASS	6.30 p.m.	11 a.m.
St. Mary's	Tuesday 27 th	Thursday 29 th	Saturday 31 st	Sunday 1 st
	9.30 a.m.	NO MASS	8 p.m.	9.30 a.m.

Banagher Library News – Summer Stars Giveaway: There are lots of rewards for primary school aged children who read either 4 or 8 books this summer. Call in to Banagher Library on Tuesday 10-1 & 2-5; Thursday 10-1, 2-5 & 6-8 or Saturday 10-1 to sign up for your Summer Stars reading adventure! (The library will be closed on Bank Holiday Saturday).

Laois & Offaly ETB in the Literacy Service are currently holding free taster courses for 6/8 weeks on Healthcare/horticulture/computer skills and various other courses. If you need literacy support or would be interested in any of our courses please feel free to contact Adrian on 087 7408553 or to call into the LOETB Centre Main Street Banagher 057 9513734 or email banagherfet@loetb.ie

FOR SALE - Busy lizzies, Begonias and Petunias. Basket plants and baskets filled and healthy tomato plants ready for planting at "Sleepy Hollow", Taylor's Cross 057 9151273 and also at Paul Flynn's Shop.

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

Banagher Cemetery Maintenance: Please support our fundraising to maintain our cemetery. Donations can be handed into Cloghan or Banagher Post offices, put in an envelope and left into the Church Banagher or donate on the Go Fund Me page – Maintenance Banagher Cemetery. Your support would be very much appreciated.

St. Rynagh's Clubs online Bingo 8 p.m. every Monday. Website and Facebook pages for details. To support this fundraiser, books can be purchased online, Feeney's, Banagher, Healy's, Cloghan and The Post Office. It is not necessary to actually play the bingo as winners who don't play will still be paid their winnings.