

Parish of Gallen and Rynagh

St. Mary's, Cloghan & St. Rynagh's, Banagher Patrick Kiernan P.P. 057 9151338



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Readings: SS Peter & Paul, Apostles/ 29th June 2025

Cloghan SVP 087 9272877

Mass Times & Anniversaries			
Sat. 28 th	6.30 p.m.	St. Rynagh's	Kieran Hanniffy Jnr., Lusmagh (6 th Anniv.) Jim & Marie McMenamin, Birr. Des & Kathleen McGlynn, Monaghan. Janina Ciechlak – 1 st Anniv. (mother of Jerzy Orlowski)
Sat. 28 th	8 p.m.	St. Mary's	Jimmy Doyle and daughter Mary O'Rourke. Intentions of all Parishioners and Friends of the Parish.
Sun. 29 th	9.30 a.m.	St. Mary's	Seamus Kenny, Killourney (Month's Memory) John Doyle and deceased members of the family. Leonard and Fahey families, Galross.
Sun. 29 th	11 a.m.	St. Rynagh's	Angela Millard, Curraghavarna (Month's Memory) Rose Corcoran, Cuba Avenue (1st Anniv.) Paul Murphy, Westport (requested by M.R.)
Mon. 30th	9.30 a.m.	St. Rynagh's	Mary Bridget Hogan, Manchester & Curraghavarna.
Tues. 1st	9.30 a.m.	St. Mary's	Pat Noone, Baylin (requested by G. & A.)
Wed. 2 nd	9.30 a.m.	St. Rynagh's	Pat Temple, Lusmagh.
Thurs. 3 rd	9.30 a.m.	St. Mary's	Brian Martin, Killogeenaghan (requested by G. & A.) Paddy & M.B. Kennedy & son Tom, Lisballyard, Rathcabbin.
Fri. 4 th First Friday	9.30 a.m.	St. Rynagh's	Sally Whelan née Cummins, Dublin & Birr Road. Special Intention (J. & B)
	7 p.m.	St. Mary's	Margaret McAndrew née O'Brien, Crosssmolina (requested by G. & A.)
Sat. 5 th	6.30 p.m.	St. Rynagh's	Frances Hernon, Church View (Month's Memory) Mai, Tom, Tommy & Mary Devery, Cuba Avenue. Michael Behan, Shinrone (1 st Anniv.)
Sat. 5 th	8 p.m.	St. Mary's	Brendan Meleady, Banagher Street. Mary Shaughnessy, Hill Road (4 th Anniv.) Phil Clavin (6 th Anniv.) & husband Pat (6 th Anniv.) Paddy & Frances Gilligan, Lumcloon.
Sun. 6 th	9.30 a.m.	St. Mary's	Maureen & Michael Beirne & deceased Beirne & Devine Families. Peter Kelly, The Grove (3 rd Anniv.) Special Intention (Tom & Mena)
Sun. 6 th	11 a.m.	St. Rynagh's	Edward & Mary Dolan, Cushcallow and deceased Dolan family. George Ledwith and deceased members of the family.





Please pray for the repose of the soul of Pat Temple, Ballinasragh, Lusmagh; Pat Monahan, Loughrea, Co. Galway, brother of Mary Reynolds, Kylebeg. May they rest in peace.

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 IBAN: IE23 BOFI90165034757730. BIC: BOFIIE2D Details also on website. Offertory Collections: Banagher €860. Cloghan €555. Shrine: Banagher €320.

Most Precious Blood of Jesus Prayer Centre, Coolfin: Adoration of the Most Blessed Sacrament every Tues. at 7.30 p.m. Holy Mass & Rosary. All most welcome. For more info. contact Aodh & Carmel Horan 087 2072996. Come and See Day - Knock House Hotel, F12 R6Y5 on Sunday 13th July 11 a.m. - 4.30 p.m. (including Eucharist). A day to explore priesthood, talks, time for prayer, answering your questions, discerning a vocation. Booking only through Vocations.ie Participants must be over 18 years of age. The cost of the day per person is €20. For more information contact: carol.king@vocations.ie

Feast of St. Peter and St. Paul celebrated this Sunday 29th June.

Feast of St. Oliver Plunkett, Bishop and Martyr celebrated on Tues. 1st July. He was canonised by Pope John Paul VI on 12th October 1975. He is buried at Downside Abbey, England, his head is venerated in St. Peter's Church, Drogheda.

Feast of St. Thomas, Apostle celebrated on Thurs. 3rd July. The faith that led St. Thomas to know Christ in his wounds also sent him to the farthest places to preach the good news.

First Friday celebrated on Friday 4th July. Communion Calls: Wed. 2nd July – Cloghan/Banagher area. Thurs. 3rd July – Cloghan area. Fri. 4th July - Banagher area.

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

BENEMERENTI MEDAL: Congratulations to Jim Windsor McGlynn and Josephine Martin who have been awarded the 'Benemerenti Medal'. The awards will be presented on Sat. 28th June in St. Rynagh's Church at 6.30 p.m. All parishioners, friends, families and neighbours of Josephine and Jim are welcome to attend. We express our gratitude to them for their wonderful service to the

Retirement: Congratulations and best wishes to Fr. Michael Kennedy, P.P., Lusmagh who is retiring from his role as Parish Priest. We express our gratitude to Fr. Michael for his help and support in St. Rynagh's Church. May God bless him with health and happiness to enjoy the next chapter in his life. Ad multos annos!

Thank You to all who donated to the recent Killourney Cemetery Collection which amounted to €1,785. ALERT! La Sainte Union Sisters will celebrate the Bicentenary of their Congregation beginning this year. September 14th is the date set aside. More Information later. Do you have any memory to share? We would love to hear from you. L.S.U. Sisters, "Debrabant House", Cuba Avenue, Banagher.

Sleepy Hollow Flowers: Taking orders for hanging baskets and pots. Wide variety of bedding available also at Paul and Mary Flynn's. Instagram: @sleepy.hollow.flowers 057 9151273.

Belmont and District Fishing Club Open Fishing Competition this Sunday 29th June match stretch Grand Canal, Shannon Harbour. Meeting up at 12.30 for registration and draw fishing 2 until 6 p.m. Entry fee is €10 and €5 for juniors. If attending please visit Belmont Anglers Facebook page to register. Booking is essential. All are welcome to participate and prizes on the day.

ATU St. Angelas is inviting applications for the following programme beginning Autumn 2025 - Part-Time Certificate in Religious Education for Primary School with Online Delivery. The programme is open to: Qualified primary school teachers, Qualified post-primary school teachers who wish to transfer to primary school teaching. Parents, sacramental preparation teams and parish catechists who have a specific interest in the area of primary religious education may also apply. Closing date for Applications is Friday 15th August 2025. For further information contact Mary Kearns, Senior Administrator, School of Education, ATU St. Angelas, Lough Gill, Sligo. Email mary.kearns@atu.ie or visit Website: www.atu.ie

The Healthy Age Friendly Homes Programme aims to support older people to live in their own home with dignity and independence, for as long as possible. This is a free service to people aged 65 years or older. The 'Healthy Age Friendly Homes' programme is available in every Local Authority Area. If you would like to arrange a visit from your local coordinator please contact our national office. National Office 046 924 8899 healthyagefriendlyhomes@meathcoco.ie / www.agefriendlyireland.ie

Prayer to St. Oliver Plunkett

"Glorious Martyr, Oliver, who willingly gave your life for your faith, help us also to be strong in faith. May we be loyal like you to the See of Peter. By your intercession and example may all hatred and bitterness be banished from the hearts of Irish men and women.

May the peace of Christ reign in our hearts, as it did in your heart, even at the moment of your death. Pray for us and for Ireland. Amen".

Consistency

An elderly woman died recently. Having never married, she requested that her coffin should be carried by women, not men. In her handwritten instructions for her funeral, she wrote: "they wouldn't take me out while I was alive, so I certainly don't want them to take me out when I'm dead."