



## Parish of Gallen and Rynagh

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

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Notices to be in before 6 p.m. on Thursdays.

Parish Secretary: Tracy Dolan - Monday or Friday

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Readings: 17<sup>th</sup> Sunday in ordinary time.

Cloghan SVP 087 9272877

### Mass Times & Anniversaries

Sat. 29 <sup>th</sup>	6.30 p.m.	St. Rynagh's	Jim Geoghegan (4 <sup>th</sup> Anniv.) Peter Hothersall, Banagher & Lusmagh. Intentions of all Parishioners & Friends of the Parish.
Sat. 29 <sup>th</sup>	8 p.m.	St. Mary's	Paddy Gilligan, Lumcloon (Month's Memory) Peter & Rose Loonam. Tommy & Mary Ellen Loonam, Hill Road. Martin Hanamy, Blackmills.
Sun. 30 <sup>th</sup>	9.30 a.m.	St. Mary's	Jody Troy, Kilcormac. Michael Feighery, Tonelemon (Month's Memory) James & Annie Killian, Moystown & deceased family. James & Rose Colgan, Cornamona & deceased family. John Joe Sheridan, Wales & Ballysheil (Month's Memory)
Sun. 30 <sup>th</sup>	11 a.m.	St. Rynagh's	Ian Coughlan, Ballyeighter. Sean Davis, late husband of Lily Russell.
Mon. 31 <sup>st</sup>	9.30 a.m.	St. Rynagh's	Marie O'Brien, Ard Abhainn (requested by J. & B.) Isabel McKelvey, Belfast (requested by M.K.)
Tues. 1 <sup>st</sup>	9.30 a.m.	St. Mary's	John Heneghan, Roscommon (requested by R. & M.) Special Intention – Peter
Wed. 2 <sup>nd</sup>	9.30 a.m.	St. Rynagh's	Michael O'Connell, Kerry (requested by M.D.)
Thurs. 3 <sup>rd</sup>	9.30 a.m.	St. Mary's	Paddy Gavin (8 <sup>th</sup> Anniv.) & deceased Gavin & Carroll Families.
Fri. 4 <sup>th</sup>	9.30 a.m.	St. Rynagh's	Verona Greene née Mulvey (requested by M. & B.)
First Friday	7 p.m.	St. Mary's	Paddy Gilligan, Lumcloon (requested by J. F.) Tom Gray (Colreavy) and brother-in-law Andy Brady
Sat. 5 <sup>th</sup>	6.30 p.m.	St. Rynagh's	Des & Anna Maloney, Birr Road. Mary Geoghegan, Manchester.
Sat. 5 <sup>th</sup>	8 p.m.	St. Mary's	Teresa Egan née Murray, Ballinahown. Intentions of all Parishioners & Friends of the Parish.
Sun. 6 <sup>th</sup>	9.30 a.m.	St. Mary's	Noel Rosney, baby Kate, Joseph & Bridget Tierney. Rita (Margaret) McCormack née Davis & John Davis, Mullingar & Caltra
Sun. 6 <sup>th</sup>	11 a.m.	St. Rynagh's	Mary Gilmore, Cuba Avenue (2 <sup>nd</sup> Anniv.) Tommy Olorenshaw. Catherine Lavery née Dolan, England and Banagher. Special Intention (Aidan) Josephine Scully, Garraí Ard (2 <sup>nd</sup> Anniv.)

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



Please Pray for the repose of the souls of Rosie Horan, Ballycumber; Carl O'Shea, Cuba Cottages; Eamon Dempsey, Ferbane, father of Lisa Healy, Gallen; Tom Gray, Colreavy, Longford; Eileen Grennan, Drumcondra, Dublin and formerly Fenagh, Co. Leitrim, sister of Margaret O'Connor, Castle Street, Cloghan; Mary (May) Dolan née Mulvey, Ballydoogan; Isabel McKelvey, Belfast, aunt of Amanda Kenny, Main Street; Josephine Lynch, Meelick. May they rest in peace.

**Offertory Collections:** Banagher €1,023. Cloghan €1,070 **Shrine:** Banagher €575. Cloghan €480. **Counters:** Team D  
**Donations to the Parish:** If you wish to offer financial support to the Church by electronic transfer our bank details are Banagher Parochial Account **BIC:** BOFIE2D **IBAN:** IE23 BOFI90165034757730. Thank you.

**Feast of St. Ignatius of Loyola**, priest 1491-1556. Celebrated on Mon. 31<sup>st</sup> July. Founder of the Jesuits.

The experience of his conversion led to his writing of the Spiritual Exercises.

**Feast of St. John Vianney**, priest 1786-1859. Celebrated on Friday 4<sup>th</sup> Aug. Patron saint of all priests.

**World Youth Day** takes place 1<sup>st</sup> – 6<sup>th</sup> Aug. 2023 in Lisbon, Portugal.

**Annual Pilgrimage to Croagh Patrick** takes place this Sunday 30<sup>th</sup> July.

**First Friday** celebrated on Friday 4<sup>th</sup> August. **Communion Calls:** Wed. 2<sup>nd</sup> Aug. – Banagher/Cloghan Area. Thurs. 3<sup>rd</sup> August – Cloghan Area and Friday 4<sup>th</sup> August – Banagher Area.

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

**The Bell in St. Rynagh's Church:** To supply and install the new digital bell system with four loudspeakers, new clock motor to drive existing clock faces and new relay panel to ring existing bell amounted to €6,583. including vat. This has been paid from the building fund. Thank you for your contributions.

**Clonfert Cemetery Mass** will be celebrated this Friday 4<sup>th</sup> August at 7 p.m.

**Banagher Library** will be having a **Summer Stars Story Time every Wednesday** at 3 p.m. This event is for 3-7 years old. This is a free event. All welcome to enjoy an exciting story time.

**Summer Camp 1<sup>st</sup> to 3<sup>rd</sup> Aug.** ages 9 – 13 in **The Community Centre, Banagher** 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. each day. Sports, arts and crafts, water sports, party and many more fun activities. For more info and registration please contact Elaine on 087 7422953 or by email [emcdonnell@offalyldc.ie](mailto:emcdonnell@offalyldc.ie)

**Trócaire's One Day Campaign:** Over the past few weeks, you might have seen Trócaire's ad on tv about the One Day Campaign. For over fifty years, Trócaire have been working with supporters, Irish Aid, partners, and communities to create positive and lasting change. Our One Day campaign highlights the profound impact of these collective efforts, working together for a just world. To parishes across the island of Ireland, Trócaire would like to say 'thank you' for making "One Days" happen. To learn more, go to [www.trocaire.org/oneday/](http://www.trocaire.org/oneday/)

**Triduum at St. Francis Church, Meelick** H53 H728 from Monday 31<sup>st</sup> July to Wed. 2<sup>nd</sup> Aug. Mass on Monday 31<sup>st</sup> July at 7 p.m. to include Meelick Cemetery Mass. Mass on Tuesday 1<sup>st</sup> Aug. at 7 p.m. Mass on Wed. 2<sup>nd</sup> of Aug. at 7 p.m. with confessions prior to Mass this evening. A member of the Franciscan Order will attend.

**Many Thanks** to all who participated in last weeks That Beats Banagher & Bronte Events. There was excellent attendance. Special thanks to Barbara Coakley for her 2 window displays "Hunts & Corrigan's Pub". Thanks also to Joe Kennedy for his voluntary painting of the commemorative plaques on the bridge.

**Sincere Thanks** to all who donated to the recent **Offaly Hospice Foundation Banagher Church Gate** Collection. Total collected €550. Your continued support for this worthy cause is very much appreciated.

**The Alzheimer Cafe** takes place on Wed. 9<sup>th</sup> Aug. at the Villa Rose Hotel from 11.30 a.m. to 1 p.m.

Our guest speaker is Mairead Cranley from Donegal County Council who will give a talk about the Age Friendly Programme. Everyone is welcome and hope to see you there.

**Lough Derg One-Day Retreat** 2023 Season. August 19th, 22nd & 27th. September 2nd, 6th, 9th 12th 16th 17th 23rd & 24th. Admission €45. Booking 071 9861518.

### A prayer to Saint John Vianney

Lord Jesus, who in Saint John Vianney desired to give to the Church a touching image of your pastoral charity, grant that, in his company and supported by his example, we may fully live this Year for Priests. Grant that, like him, pausing before the Eucharist, we may learn how simple is your Word that forms us daily; how tender is the love with which you welcome penitent sinners; how consoling is the confident trust in your Immaculate Mother.

O Lord Jesus, grant that through the intercession of the holy Curé of Ars, Christian families may become 'little churches' in which all the vocations and charisms given by your Holy Spirit may be welcomed and valued. Amen.

*Taken and translated from a prayer recited by Pope Benedict XVI before the relics of St John Vianney on 19 June 2009 in St Peter's Basilica at the opening of the Year for Priests.*