



GALLEN & RYNAGH
St. Mary's, Cloghan & St. Rynagh's, Banagher
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Readings: 20th Sunday of Ordinary Time Birr SVP 085 8804028

MASS TIMES		Weekend Anniversaries
Saturday 15 th	6.30 p.m.	Denise Kennedy, Feighs (8 th Anniv.) & deceased family members. Edward Conneely, Main Street Martin & Brigid Larkin. John Kelly, Cornamona. Kay Bell, Hill Street.
Sunday 16 th	9.30 a.m.	Intentions of all Parishioners & Friends of the Parish. Nora Corley (nee Daly), Newcastle. Charlie Wynne, Ferbane. Paddy Turley.
MASS TIMES 9.30 a.m.		Weekday Anniversaries
Monday 17 th	St. Rynagh's	Anna Maloney, Birr Road (requested by The Active Retirement Group).
Tuesday 18 th	St. Mary's	James & Mai Hunt.
Wed. 19 th	St. Rynagh's	Elizabeth & Patrick Higgins, Harbour Cross. Frank O'Connell, Garbally (11 th Anniv.)
Thurs. 20 th	St. Mary's	Bernie & Annie Dolan.
MASS TIMES		Weekend Anniversaries
Saturday 22 nd	6.30 p.m.	Nora Ryan & deceased Ryan Family. Eddie Byrne (10 th Anniv.) & his father Larry & sister-in-law Una. Michael Langtry, Curraghavarna. Johnny Shaughnessy & parents Pat & Mary, Hill Road. Patrick, Miriam & Doris Murray, Cloghan Hill. James (Jimmy) & Christina Coughlan & deceased Coughlan Family.
Sunday 23 rd	9.30 a.m.	Mary Hogan, Banagher Street. Noel Rosney, Hill Road (1 st Anniv.).

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



Please pray for the repose of the souls of Rev. Wayne Carney, Rector of Birr and formerly Rector of Banagher; Anthony Finnerty, Kingston, Galway; May (Mary) Cowen, Clara. May they rest in peace.

Readers (August)

Grainne Malone & Clodna Kelleher.

Readers Cloghan Sunday 16th Aug. 9.30 a.m. Lily Flaherty

Sunday 23rd Aug. 9.30 a.m. David Daly & Ann Daly

Offertory Collection: Banagher €420 Cloghan €431. Shrine €259. Sincere thanks to all those who so kindly continue to contribute to the various Church collections.

Baptism: We welcome into the Christian Community Ruairi Thomas McIntyre, Ballingowan, Belmont, who was baptised recently in St. Mary's Church, Cloghan.



Schedule for Masses in Cloghan & Banagher commencing Sat. 15th Aug.

St. Rynagh's Church	Saturday 15 th 6.30 p.m.	Monday 17 th 9.30 a.m.	Wednesday 19 th 9.30 a.m.	Saturday 21 st 6.30 p.m.
St. Mary's Church	Sunday 16 th 9.30 a.m.	Tuesday 18 th 9.30 a.m.	Thursday 20 th 9.30 a.m.	Sunday 22 nd 9.30 a.m.

Masses are Recorded and are available on the parish website.

St. Mary's Church, Cloghan – Novena to Our Lady of Knock 14th – 22nd August. Parishioners are invited to come and pray at The Grotto in Cloghan during the Novena to Our Lady of Knock.

Sincere Thanks to everyone for their donations towards the repairs at The Grotto.

CHURCH COLLECTIONS – We sincerely thank all those who so kindly continue to contribute to our collection every week. We are extremely grateful and greatly appreciate your generosity in these most difficult times. We will continue to pray with and for you all each day. If anybody wants to offer financial support to our Church you can do so by electronic transfer if it is more convenient to do so. Our bank details are as follows:- Banagher Parochial Church Account BIC BOFIE2D IBAN IE23 BOFI90165034757730 Make sure to put your name and/or your envelope number in the reference section. Your generous contribution enables the parish to meet all ongoing expenses. We pray for the protection and safety of every home and family.

Thank you to Banagher and Cloghan Post Office and staff for continuing to facilitate the collection of the envelopes.

A limited edition booklet on the 'Workhouses of Offaly' has been produced by historian Steve Dolan, with all proceeds going to the Vincent's Shop in Banagher. For more info. email sakdolan@hotmail.com or text 086 4070851.

Gianna Care Offaly have recently formed to support expecting mothers who may be struggling or who have found themselves in a crisis pregnancy. Due to covid-19 people are really struggling and getting basic items together is putting mothers under a lot of pressure. A local collection will take place on Sat. 29th August at Banagher square 2 to 3.30 p.m. Items needed:- Nappies, baby - wipes, cream, lotion, blankets, clothes etc. any queries you can contact Corrinne on 087 3364418 or if you need support email giannacaremidlands@gmail.com Also collecting for the Homeless – water, crisps, chocolate snacks, toiletries. All gratefully accepted.

Sunday Morning Litter Pick on this Sunday meeting at the Library Square at 8 p.m.

Prayer in time of Difficulty

Lord, in every need let me come to You with humble trust saying,

"Jesus, help me."

In my hours of doubts, loneliness,

Perplexities and temptations,

"Jesus, help me."

In the failure of my plans and hopes,

"Jesus, help me."

When others fail me Your grace alone can assist me,

"Jesus, help me."

When my heart is cast down by failure at seeing

no good come from my efforts,

"Jesus, help me."

When I am sick and impatient and my cross furstrates me,

"Jesus, help me."

Lord teach me to understand my suffering as You do.

Calm my fears; increase my trust, help me love you more.

Amen.