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|  | **Church of the Holy Family, Ballycroy**  **Mass Centre - National School – Innisbiggle**  **Christopher J. Ginnelly**  **(098) 49 134 (086) 89 33 278**  [**ballycroyparish@gmail.com**](mailto:ballycroyparish@gmail.com)  **James M Cribben, Geesala (087) 64 69 016**  **9th Oct 2022**  [**www.ballycroyparish.ie**](http://www.ballycroyparish.ie) |

**Mass at 11.30am will be Broadcast on our Facebook Page**. *The outside speaker will be in operation if you wish to listen to the mass on the grounds. Special Thanks to Cathy / Nora for operating the live broadcast on Facebook and to Shelly for the beautiful selection of music and hymns.*

**Booking a Mass***: If you wish to book a Mass, please ring Fr. Chris on his mobile 086-893-3278*

**Coved 19: Covid is making an appearance again in the community. It is advisable to wear a mask and sanitise your hands when in the Church. Many Thanks**

**28th Sunday in Ordinary Time**

**Sat 3pm Island Mass – People of the Parish**

**Sat 7pm Geesala Church**

**Sat 8pm Bangor Church**

**Sun 11.30am Ballycroy Church -**

**1. David Gildea (8th Ann) Newport**

**2. Pat, Nora, Terry, Paddy McGinty, Kathleen Curran (Dooreil)**

**3. Florence Doona (nee Conway), (New York – Shranamonragh)**

**Dec’d Family (req' M M)**

**4. Kathleen McGowan (Ann’) Kildun**

**Tue 10am Kathleen, James McAndrew (Gorthbreac)**

**Wed 10am Bangor Church**

**Thur 10am Mass – All welcome**

**29th Sunday in Ordinary Time**

**Sat 8pm Ballycroy Church –**

1. **Rita O’Boyle, Michael, Eileen, Dec’d Family (Claggan Mt’n)**
2. **James, Maureen Grealis (Ballygaravaun)**
3. **John McGowan (Ann’ Mass) Kildun**

**Sun 11.30am Bangor Church**

**Harvest Collection:** Sincere Thanks for your continued support. Please hand in your Green Envelope for the Priest’s Harvest Collection.

**Baptism**: We welcome into our Christian Community Baby Katie Rose McManamon, Baptised in our Parish Church on the 2nd Oct 2022. May the Lord accompany you on your earthly journey...... Congratulations to the parents, Paul and Sinéad.

**Confirmation**: Sunday 12th March 2023, 11.30am

**First Holy Communion**: Saturday 6th May 2023, 12 Noon

**Choir Meeting** 12th Oct, 8pm. If you are interested in reviving the parish choir again (after Covid), please come to a meeting in the church on **Wed Week**, 12th Oct @ 8pm.

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| **Readers Schedule** | **Readers** | **Eucharistic Ministers** |
| Sun 9st Oct 11.30am | Family | B. Shanahan |
| Sat 15st Oct 8pm | Family | M. Masterson |
| Sun 23rd Oct 11.30am | Family | B. Hough |
| Sat 29th Oct 8pm | Family | N. Grealis |

**Altar Society Volunteers invitation**: We a looking for more volunteers. Please Call Fr. Chris.

**Social Services need Volunteers**: Call Noreen 086 6067899/ Peggy 086 1019169.

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| **Altar Society Schedule**: Thanks to Bernie S: M Cafferkey, B McGowan, S Carolan G2: for looking after the church last week. This week is Kathleen R: A McManamon, J. Keane, G Grealis G3 | |
| Week to 16th Oct | Kathleen R: A McManamon, J. Keane, G Grealis G3 |
| Week to 23rd Oct | Christina T: M Keane, M. Conway, K ‘or’ N Campbell G4 |
| Week to 30th Oct | Patricia G: M Sweeney (Tar), M McGowan (C’ann), J Campbell G1 |
| Week to 6th Nov | Bernie S: M Cafferkey, B McGowan, S Carolan G2 |

**Day for Safeguarding Children in the Catholic Church**. This Sunday, October 8th/9th, is Safeguarding Sunday in the Diocese of Killala. Foremost in our thoughts and prayers will be the victims of abuse, together with their families. This day will also offer an opportunity for those with concerns to express these to our Designated Liaison Person, Ms Aileen Cawley, through our Confidential phone line;  087-1003554.

**Vineyard.** The next edition of Vineyard is in the course of preparation. If there is anything you would like to see included please note that the deadline is Monday, October 17.

**New Book - On Our Knees: Famine in the Parishes of Killala Diocese (1845-1952)**. Lectures by Fr. Brendan Hoban Thur Oct 6th/13th@8pm, Newman Institute, Book Launch Oct 20th, 8pm.

**Step ‘n Time Fitness Class - Thursday Nights. 29th September 8:30pm** - Community Centre. **The London-Ballycroy 50th Reunion Dinner & Dance is 7pm 26th November** in The Crown Cricklewood. Contact Brighde Barnes (Doona) for tickets +447739350880

**Toddler & Baby group has moved to the new times of 9:30 – 11am** in the community hall

**Ballycroy Community Council are developing a new website** Contact us to submit content [ballycroycommunitycouncil@gmail.com](mailto:ballycroycommunitycouncil@gmail.com) or phone/text 0879406445

**Achill VTOS Tour Guiding Courses**: Few places available - Tour Guiding Courses at Achill VTOS Hub, Currane, contact: [thereseruane@msletb.ie](mailto:thereseruane@msletb.ie) / 086 7036033 / [www.mayocollege.ie](http://www.mayocollege.ie/)

**What are your hopes and aspirations for your Community?** Mayo PPN meeting on making Mayo the best possible place to Live, Work and Invest. Tues 11th October at 7pm in Westport

**The Tumbling Paddies in Kiltane GAA** Complex on Sunday 16th October.  DJ from 9 pm Tickets available from any committee member or on the door on the night.

**Clothes Collection Monday, 7th November** at the Naíonra in Shranamonragh @ 10.a.m.

**HAIL HOLY QUEEN** CONFERENCE 2022 - LIVE ON RADIO MARIA IRELAND, 2PM ON SAT 15TH OCT

**"Calling All Men"Erris Men's Project**- launching Monday night 10th Oct 7.30pm in Áras Inis G’.

**Local Link Bus:** Ballycroy to Castlebar 07:42, 11:52,15:47: toBelmullet 09:50, 14:00, 18:42

**Sunday times** Ballycroy to Castlebar 08:27, 12:27,16:47: to Belmullet 10:21, 14:41, 19:51

**Keeping Children Safe: The Diocese of Killala is fully committed to keeping children safe. If you have any concerns around their safety in any circumstance, please contact; The Diocesan Liaison Person – Confidential No - 087 1003554. (Please see more information on the notice board)**