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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****James M Cribben, Geesala (087) 64 69 016****14th Aug 2022**[**www.ballycroyparish.ie**](http://www.ballycroyparish.ie) |

**Mass at 11am 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*

**Covid 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**

**20th Sunday in Ordinary Time**

**Sat 8pm Seamus Murray (22nd Ann), Nancy (Doona)**

**Sun 11am 1. Rosie Conway (2nd Ann) and Pakie (Fahy)**

 **2. Joe McHugh (d. 2020) Dublin/Knockmoyleen**

**Sun 12.15pm Bangor Church**

**Sun 12.50pm Baptism Bangor Church**

**The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary**

**\*\*Mon 12noon Eileen O’Boyle (25th Ann) Michael, Rita (Ballyveeney)\*\***

**Tue 10am Mass All Welcome**

**Wed 10am Mass All Welcome**

**Thur 10am Tilly Ovens, Eunice Heneghan**

**Fri 10am Mass All Welcome**

**21st Sunday in Ordinary Time**

**Sat 8pm Seamus Conway (Month’s Mind Mass)**

**Sun 11am People of the Parish**

**Priests Summer Collection:** Sincere Thanks for the Priests Summer Collection last week. Please hand in your Green Envelope this week

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| **Altar Society Schedule**: Sincere thanks to is Bernie S: M Cafferkey, M 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 14th Aug | Kathleen R: A McManamon, J. Keane, G Grealis G3 |
| Week to 21st Aug | Christina T: M Keane, M. Conway, K ‘or’ N Campbell G4 |
| **Readers Schedule** | **Readers** | **Eucharistic Ministers** |
| Sat 13th August 8pm | Family | N. Grealis |
| Sun 14st August 11am | Family | M. Sweeney |
| Sat 20th August 8pm | Family | C. Togher |
| Sun 21st August 11am | Family | P. Ginty |

**Altar Society More Help Needed**: We are looking for more volunteers. Please Call Fr. Chris.

**Trocaire: The Ballycroy Parish Collection this year is E1,250.** This money was sent to Trocaire last week. Sincere thanks to all who contributed.

**Baptism**: We welcome into our Christian Community Baby Ciara Ginty , Baptised in our Parish Church on the 6th August 2022. May the Lord accompany you on your earthly journey...... Congratulations to the Parents, Eamon and Christina.

**Wedding Bells:** Congratulations and Best Wishes to Donna Keane and Dan Goldberg who recently married in our Parish Church. We wish Donna and Dan every blessing and peace in their new home in Nottingham.

**Important Notice about the Changes in Mass Times**

* **With the great decline in people attending Masses at the Weekends, one Mass will be sufficient from September.**
* **With the decline in the number of Priests in the diocese, it is becoming more difficult to get a replacement Priest for a weekend if Fr. Chris or Fr. Jim are away or ill.**
* **From the Second Weekend in September, the times of the Vigil / Sunday Massess will alternate with Bangor Church – See Timetable below. (Take note, the Sunday Mass will be at 11.30am)**
* **From September, Doohoma and Geesala are also changing their times. They will alternate their Vigil Mass at 7pm with their Sunday Mass at 10:30am.**
* **From Sept, one priest can now cover all the Masses at the Weekend for Doohoma, Geesala, Bangor, Ballycroy and Ballymunnelly.**

**The time of the Vigil/Sunday Masses will now alternate with Bangor Church:**

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| **Saturday 10th Sept** | **Vigil Mass 8pm** | **Bangor** |
| **Sunday 11th Sept** | **Sunday Mass 11.30am** | **Ballycroy** |
| **Saturday 17th Sept** | **Vigil Mass 8pm** | **Ballycroy** |
| **Sunday 18th Sept** | **Sunday Mass 11.30am** | **Bangor** |
| **Saturday 24th Sept** | **Vigil Mass 8pm** | **Bangor** |
| **Sunday 25th Sept** | **Sunday Mass 11.30am** | **Ballycroy** |

**Ballycroy Social Services - Meals price change**:   We regret that due to the increases in fuel, food, gas and van insurance we will have to increase the price of meals. From the 3rd September, the price per meal will change from €5 to €7.   This is the first increase since the service commenced almost 20 years ago.

**Family Fun Day Saturday 20th August 2-5pm @ Áras Inis Gluaire.** Free
entry, join us for music, dancing and lots of fun for all ages.

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

**Jonathon Shevlin Annual Memorial Match** will be held on Wednesday 17th August at St. Brendan’s College at 7.30p.m St. Brendan’s verses Belmullet. All proceeds to the Erris branch of the Irish Wheelchair Association. Refreshment will be served

**Child Protection Refresher Course Training**: Broadhaven Bay Hotel: Refresher course - Wednesday 31st August 2022 - 7-9pm...**Child Protection Training – Newly Trained**:  Newman Institute Ballina:  For those who are being newly trained:  Monday 29th August 2022 6.30-9pm

**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).**