

Weekday Mass Times: Glenisland Church at **7pm** & Islandeady Church at **8pm**.
Weekend Mass Times: Glenisland Church **SAT 7pm** & Islandeady Church **SUN 11am**.

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Remembering in our Masses this week: (Sun 24th Sept – Sun 01st Oct)

Sat 23 rd	- Patrick Murray (5 th Anniv), Claggan, & DM of Murray & Moran F. - Thomas & Mary Walsh, Derryharriff, son in law Tommy Carey & DFM.
Sun 24 th	- Hugh Gallagher, Cashel (4 th Anniv), wife Catherine, brother Joe & DFM. - Pat Moylette (19 th Anniv), parents Pat & Ellen, grandson Patrick & niece Elaine Quinn. - Tom & Margaret Stephens, Cornagushlaun & Sarah McAndrew. - Sean & Marie Sweeney, Derrycoosh.
Mon 25 th	- No Mass Intentions.
Tues 26 th	- No Mass Intentions.
Wed 27 th	- No Mass Intentions.
Thurs 28 th	- No Mass Intentions.
Fri 29 th	- No Mass Intentions.
Sat 30 th	- Baby Tom Charles Healy (7 th Anniv). - David Barrett (Anniv) & DM of Barrett Family.
Sun 01 st	- For All the People of the Parish/Pro Populo.

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People of God ministering / helping in CHURCH next Week: Sat/Sun 30th /01st Oct

Ministry:	Glenisland:	Islandeady:
Music:	Anne & Choir.	Choir.
Readers:	Bernie Flannery	Noreen Coyne (Pg. 368)
Ministers of Eucharist:	Breege Carney	E. ennings, L. Keaveney, Á. McAlpine.

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- Monday:** Feast of St. Finbarr, Bishop.
Tuesday: Feast of St. Cosmas & St. Damian, Martyrs.
Wednesday: Feast of St. Vincent De Paul, Priest.
Thursday: Feast of St. Wenceslaus, Patron of Brewers.
Friday: Feast of St. Gabriel, Raphael & Micheal, Archangels.
Saturday: Feast of St. Jerome, Priest.
Sunday: Twenty Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time.

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To book a **Mass** in Islandeady or Glenisland, please **text** Fr Chris at (087) 1962 674 **OR** you can **email** him at the following email address parishig2017@gmail.com

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The much needed **Renovation Work** at Islandeady Community Centre will be happening over the **next few weeks**. The work is being carried out by **'Moran Bros Builders'** from **Islandeady** & funding was obtained through the **Community Centre Investment Fund**. Work will be ongoing for most of Sept.

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First Holy Communion on **Sat 11th May 2024** at **12 noon** for the **3 primary schools**.

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Adoration Times: **Sunday** 7-8pm / **Monday** 7-8pm / **Thursday** 8-9pm. **All Welcome.**

The **Deadline** for items for inclusion in the Parish Newsletter is **12 noon** each Friday.
 ➤ **Phone** or send a **text message** or leave a **voicemail** to Liam on (087) 1361 895.
 ➤ You can **email** Liam at islandeadyadm@gmail.com

Islandeady-Glenisland Parish Newsletter

St Patrick's Church, Islandeady and the **Holy Rosary Church, Glenisland**.
Websites: islandeady.ie / glenislandnewsflash.ie / mayo.ie / tuamarchdiocese.org

Sunday 24th Sept 2023 – 25th Sunday in Ordinary Time



*“Thus the last will be first,
and the first, last.”*

Priest: Fr Chris Brennan **Mob** (087) 1962 674 **Email:** parishig2017@gmail.com
Newsletter: Liam Keaveney **Mob** (087) 1361 895 **Email:** islandeadyadm@gmail.com

In today's Gospel from St. Matthew we hear about God's thoughts of justice and witness that his mercy cannot be measured. As Christ came to call sinners, so the church must accept them. No one can be content with his own state of sanctity and despise or judge others. God's judgement may be quite different.



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Pastoral visits to the **sick** and **housebound** are an important part of parish life. Anyone who would like to receive a pastoral visit by Fr. Chris to receive the **Sacraments** again needs to contact the Priest by **phone** or **email** & make the necessary arrangements.

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Looking to **keep fit** this Autumn while having a bit of fun? **Move it Or Lose it** exercise classes will run for **6 weeks** in Islandeady Community Centre every **Tues morning at 10am**. 1 hour classes combine aerobics to great music, balance, strength & flexibility. Cost is **€8 per class** & pay as you go. Call Kate on (085) 755 8361 or come along on the day!

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Please **remember** in **prayer** all from the **Parish** who are in hospital at this time of year, those waiting for test results, those waiting for operations & procedures. Remember those in Nursing Homes or living alone in their own homes and all those who selflessly care for them.

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Mayo Cancer Support provides **FREE** support services to those affected by **Cancer**. Please call (094) 90 38407 if you need any support or advice.

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There was **No Winner** of the last Islandeady GAA Lotto draw. The next draw takes place **this Sun 01st Oct** in the **Halfway**. The Jackpot will be **€9,200**.
The Lucky Dip Prize winners:



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Mayo Samaritans are recruiting **volunteers** & invite you to a meeting on **Thurs 28th Sept** at **7pm** in Castlebar Samaritans, 21 Upper Thomas St, Castlebar F23 TP89. **All** welcome.

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Islandeady Community Centre will reopen soon for clubs & groups for their activities. All clubs should have an up to date **valid insurance policy/cover**, no group will be allowed access unless they have insurance. **Club fees** to be paid soon towards the **ongoing running costs** of the Centre and a member of the Mgmt group will be in touch with clubs shortly.

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Pilates with Lisa on **Thursday Nights at 7:45pm** in **Islandeady Community Centre**. Some spaces available. If interested please contact Lisa Reilly on (086) 4000056.

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The **Islandeady Development Company CLG** on behalf of Islandeady Community Council, can finally confirm that we have received **official confirmation** in the post from **Mayo Co. Co.** that we have been granted **full planning permission** to build the proposed '**New Community Centre**'. We would like to **THANK** everyone in the community who have engaged with us and been **very supportive** and **encouraging** over the last **3 years** as we reached this point today. This wouldn't have been possible without **YOUR support!**

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Season of Creation continues until 4th Oct (Feast of St. Francis of Assisi). Catholics are invited to pray & care for creation during this time. This year's theme is "Let Justice & Peace Flow". For more info visit www.catholicbishops.ie/laudato-si/season-of-creation-2023

Congratulations to the Islandeady **Wednesday Get-together** who recently celebrated their **10th Anniversary** last **Wed** with a celebratory party in the Community Centre. **THANKS** to '**everyone**' who made the day a memorable one....and **THANKS** to the many **local volunteers** who make this an **enjoyable weekly event** for people in our **Community!**

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Islandeady Foróige is actively looking for **volunteers** to train as '**Leaders**' working with a vibrant group of teenagers on **club nights & events**. Contact (087) 936 1002 for details.

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Beginner Music Lessons in Fiddle, Piano and Tin Whistle now available. If interested please contact Orla at (087) 951 6935 for more details and information.

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Islandeady v Ballinrobe next **Sat 30th Sep** at **4:30pm** in **Mayo Abbey** in the **Quarter-Final** of the Intermediate Championship. **All support** is greatly appreciated.

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You are invited to join the **ECO Congregation** Westport for a "**Blessing of the Pets Service**" next **Sat 30th Sept**. It will be an outdoor ecumenical service at **2pm** in the **car-park** at **Murrisk**. This is for **everyone & their pets** and all are **welcome!**

The **Autumn Collection** for the **Priest** takes place at masses **next Sat & Sun**. Please be as **generous** as you can afford to be & Fr. Chris is **thankful** for your continued support.

Final week of enrolment in **Mayo College of Further Education** for our free Level 4, 5 & 6 courses throughout Mayo. SUSI Grants and Erasmus+ placements available on all courses. Apply now on www.mayocollege.ie

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Anam Cara Mayo will be holding its monthly meeting for **bereaved parents** on **Tues 26th Sept** at **7:15pm** in the TF Hotel, Castlebar. For further details please call (085) 2888 888.

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- **Glenisland Readers**, Min of Eucharist, Offertory Collectors List is available in the sacristy.
- **Islandeady Offertory** Collectors Oct: John Moylette, John Cawley, Martin McManamon Jnr.
- **Islandeady Finance** Committee helping for Oct: **Team D**.
- **Islandeady Altar** Society for Oct: Cortoon/Bohess + C. Devine, N. Cooney, M. Lydon, M. Collum.

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Islandeady **Card games** returns on **Monday Nights**, starting on **Monday 2nd Oct** at **8:30pm** in the **Community Centre**. Everybody welcome.

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- Please join us for a **Cuppa & Chat** immediately after mass **next Sat** in the **Presbytery**. **Group 2** is in charge of **hospitality** next Sat.
- Please join us for a **Cuppa & Chat** immediately after mass **next Sun** in **St. Aidan's**. **Indigo team** (Caroline Price team) is in charge of **hospitality** next Sun.

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The Connaught **PTAA** invite you to a **Mini Vigil** in the Parish Church, Knock on **Friday 29th Sept** from **8:30pm – 12 midnight**, Stations of the Cross, Adoration, Prayer & the Rosary followed by Mass at **11pm** & music by Eoin Kenny, Williamstown. **All welcome.**

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Thought for the Week

*There is No LOVE without FORGIVENESS
And there is NO FORGIVENESS without LOVE!*