

BALLA & BELCARRA NEWSLETTER

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MASS TIMES AND INTENTIONS

SAT.	29 th Jan	10am	Bernie Fallon (Month's Mind) and her husband Tom ***
SUNDAY	30 th Jan	11am	 Walter Ellicott & DFM John Fitzgerald Micheάl McDonnell and his grandson Robbie Horan Parick, Mary, Maura & Tom Keville & DFM Private Intention
MONDAY	31 st . Jan	.10am	 Private Intention Delia Dunne <pre>***</pre>
TUESDAY	1 st Feb.	10am	Private Intention ***
SAT.	5 th Feb	12.30pm	Wedding Mass ***
SUNDAY	6 th Feb	11am	 •Vincent & Kathleen Moran & DFM • Anne McDonnell • Anne & Des Pratt & DFM • Ellen & James Fadden & Nancy Cunningham • Paddy Joyce & Michael & Mary Bourke • John, Brigid & Pake Tonra & DFM

ST ANNE'S MASS TIMES AND INTENTIONS

FRIDAY 28 th Jan 7.30pm	 Fiona Conroy Joe Burke Padraig McGreal and deceased of McGreal ,Wilkinson and Coady families <pre>***</pre>		
SAT. 29 th Jan 8pm	 John Ruane & deceased of Ruane & Duffy families Margaret & Stephen Forde <pre>***</pre> 		
FRIDAY 4 th Feb 7.30pm ***			
SAT 5 th Feb 10am	Nancy Concannon (Month's Mind) ***		
SAT. 5 th Feb 8pm	•Brian O'Toole • Bridie Tuffy ********		

DEATH Pray for TOM MACKIN , Crossboyne, uncle of Mairtin O' Maicin**Rathduff**MAY HE REST IN PEACE

ST BRIGID'S DAY is Tuesday. St Brigid Crosses will be blessed at Mass in Balla on Tuesday and in Belcarra on Friday

FEAST OF THE PRESENTATION OF THE LORD is Wednesday Candles will be blessed at Mass in Balla on Tuesday and in Belcarra on Friday. Candles are **not** needed for the church this year.

FEAST OF ST. BLAISE is celebrated on Thursday. A general blessing of throats will be administered at Mass in Balla on Tuesday and in Belcarra on Friday (because of Covid individual blessings will **not** take place).

CONFIRMATION will take place on Saturday April 2nd. Because of the large number of candidates 55 in Balla / Manulla and 40 in Belcarra / Clogher. Numbers able to attend will be limited . More details later.

FIRST COMMUNION will take place for the children of Belcarra//Clogher in Belcarra on May 14th and Balla / Manulla on May 21st. in Balla. Confessions dates will be arranged later.

BELCARRA N.S. Names are now being taken of Junior Infants starting Belcarra N.S. in September. Enrolment Forms are available on the school website www.belcarrans.ie or by contacting the school 094 9032210 or belcarrans@outlook.com.

BALLA CRD BALLA CRD Balla Bingo on Sunday 30th January at 8pm has a prize fund of \notin 10,000, with \notin 1,000 on the Jackpot game. Online or drive in, go to www.balla.ie to buy your books before noon on Sunday. Balla Bingo is planning on returning indoors on Sunday 6th February. More details to follow next week.

BALLA COMMUNITY WALK taking place every Sunday 30th Jan at midday and Wednesdays at 7.30pm. All our community are invited to come along and walk and talk together. The walk starts at the Square in Balla.

BELCARRA LOTTO: takes place every Sunday night, go to **belcarra.ie/lotto** to play online, tickets also on sale in local outlets

BEREAVEMENT SUPPORT Losing a loved one is always a difficult experience. During Covid many support services were missing but from February 2nd, the weekly bereavement support group will resume every Wednesday morning at 11am in the Family Centre at Knock Shrine. These meetings aim to help those who are grieving to find healing, hope and comfort. All are welcome. Further information from Monica Morley on 094-9375320.

MAYO CANCER SUPPORT offers a range of emotional supports to people with cancer and their families. Call 094 9038407 for information.