



St Cronan's Church

BALLA & BELCARRA NEWSLETTER

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ST CRONAN'S MASS TIMES AND INTENTIONS

SUNDAY	1 st May	11am	†Maura, Liam & Sean Tiernan †Pat & Bernie Costello ***
MONDAY	2 nd May	10am	†John Tonra Private Intention ***
TUESDAY	3 rd May	10am	People of Balla and Mayo Abbey parishes ***
WED.	4 th May	10am	Liturgy of the Word with Holy Communion ***
FRIDAY	6 th May	3pm	Community Centre ***
SUNDAY	8 th May	11am	



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FRIDAY	29 th April	7.30pm	†Willie & Teresa Gallagher & deceased of Gavin family ***
SAT	30 th April	8pm	†Nora & Joesph Coleman †Mary & Frank Lavelle & deceased of Brewster & Lavelle families †John & Agnes Kilgallon and son Tony ***
FRIDAY	6 th May	7.30pm	†Patrick Moylette & DFM ***
SAT.	7 th May	8pm	†Patrick & Ann Canavan & DFM †Sean & Una Cunningham & DFM †Deceased of Malone family †Deceased of Roche family †Myles McDonnell, his parents Katie & John and siblings, Michael James, Kathleen, Richie, Sean, William and Maureen ***

TRÔCAIRE BOXES should be returned to the church by May 15th please. This will enable the parish contributions to be forwarded to Trôcaire in a timely fashion.

DEATHS Pray for Kathleen Nally, Waterford, mother of John Nally, Logaphuill Helen Forde-McEvoy Malahide, sister of Ann Nestor, Belcarra. Lucy Gill, Canterbury UK and formerly Breaffy. May they rest in peace

MARRIAGE Congratulations to Katie Loftus and Darren Reilly who celebrated the sacrament of marriage in St Cronan's last weekend.

PRIESTS EASTER COLLECTION Fr Denis thanks most sincerely all who have contributed to the Priests Easter collection over the last two weekends. Your continued support is much appreciated. Thank you.

TUAM DIOCESAN PILGRIMAGE TO KNOCK takes place this Sunday May 1st. Ceremonies begin at 2.30pm with Mass at 3pm.

BALLA CRD: To celebrate Mayo Day in Balla, on Saturday April 30th we are inviting everyone in the community to come join the celebrations. We will be planting trees in the community garden, there will also be a nature walk and litter pick as well as a Children's Art Competition. contact info@balla.ie **Balla Active Retirement Association** meet Fridays at 3pm. **Balla Bingo** has a prize fund of €11,000 every week at 8pm www.balla.ie **25 Card Drive** every Saturday night

BELCARRA LOTTO takes place every Sunday. [play online at belcarra.ie](http://playonlineatbelcarra.ie) Tickets on sale in local businesses

FLOURISH If you feel you would benefit from meeting new people and taking time out to discover how new interests, hobbies and social opportunities can enhance your health and wellbeing. We are hosting two information sessions in Castlebar and Claremorris where you can meet the flourish team. Flourish at Curam Family Centre, Claremorris on Monday 9th May 2.30-3.30pm Flourish at the Family Centre Castlebar on Wednesday 11th May at 11.30am-12.30pm. To book a place phone 094 9025900.

Third Age charity's 'Failte Isteach' service is now available in most counties te in order to facilitate, in an informal setting, improved English language skills for refugees. This service is free and run by local volunteers. In order to locate the nearest English language class in your location, please see <https://www.thirdageireland.ie/failte-isteach/locations>

LOUGH DERG Three Day Pilgrimage: 1st June - 15th August. Booking advised. Concessions available for students, seniors and groups. One Day Retreats and guided Pilgrim Path experience: dates in May and late August through September. Booking essential. at www.loughderg.org, email info@loughderg.org or 71 9861518.

New Croí 'My Blood Pressure' Programme members of the public found to have high blood pressure will be offered information and advice, as well as the opportunity to take part in a free Croí blood pressure management programme delivered by the Croí multi-disciplinary health team From May 3rd – 31st, over 30 pharmacies across Mayo will be participating in this initiative. Visit one of the participating 'Own it, Check it, Sort it!'. For the latest list of participating pharmacies, please visit www.croi.ie/third-age-mayo-bp