

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 14th Jan – Sun 21st Jan)

Sat 13 th	- Frank & Annie Moran & DFM. - John & Nora Ryan & DFM.
Sun 14 th	- Tommy Walsh (4 th Anniv) & his wife Christina (24 th Anniv), Derrycoosh. - Michael & Nora McDonnell, Graffybeg & DFM. - John & Margaret Prendergast, Annagh. - Paddy & Ann Irwin, Cashel, son Peter, daughters Mary & Julia, daughter in law Angela, grandson Enda & DM of Irwin & Joyce Families. - Bea & Austin Gibbons, Cloggernaugh, daughter Mary Smith, son Michael & DM of the Gibbons & O'Grady Family.
Mon 15 th	- No Mass Intentions.
Tues 16 th	- No Mass Intentions.
Wed 17 th	- No Mass Intentions.
Thur 18 th	- No Mass Intentions.
Fri 19 th	- No Mass Intentions.
Sat 20 th	- Tommy McManamon, Knights Park (8 th Anniv), his wife Katie & son John, son in law Gene & grandson Michael.
Sun 21 st	- Mary McLoughlin (6 th Anniv), husband Michael & DM of McLoughlin & Graven Family. - Patrick (20 th Anniv) & Roma O'Flaherty (12 th Anniv), Carrowbeg & C'bar.

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People of God ministering / helping in CHURCH next Week: Sat/Sun 20th /21st Jan

Ministry:	Glenisland:	Islandeady:
Music:	Anne & Choir.	Noreen & Choir.
Readers:	Caroline McLoughlin.	Noreen Coyne (P.165) 3 rd Sun Ord. T
Ministers of Eucharist:	Sean McLoughlin.	M. Brosnihan, P. Brosnihan, P. Browne.

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Monday: Feast of St. Ita, Virgin.
 Tuesday: Feast of St. Fursa, Abbot.
 Wednesday: Feast of St. Anthony, Abbot.
 Thursday: Feast of St. Fabian, Pope.
 Friday: Feast of St. Sebastian, Martyr.
 Saturday: Feast of St. Agnes, Virgin & Martyr.
 Sunday: Third 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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THANKS to the many households who have signed up for the **€5 per week** for the new community centre. If you wish to sign up please call Robert on (087) 614 5439.

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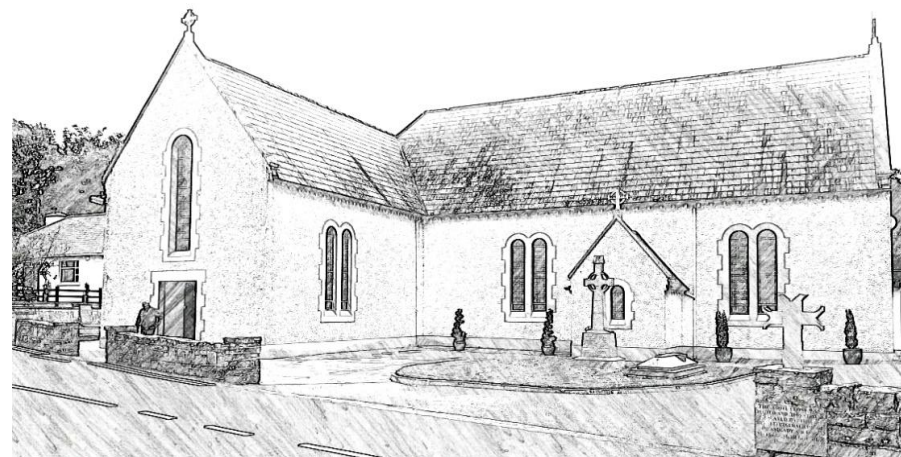
Adoration Times: Sunday 7-8pm / Monday 7-8pm / Thursday 8-9pm. All Welcome.

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

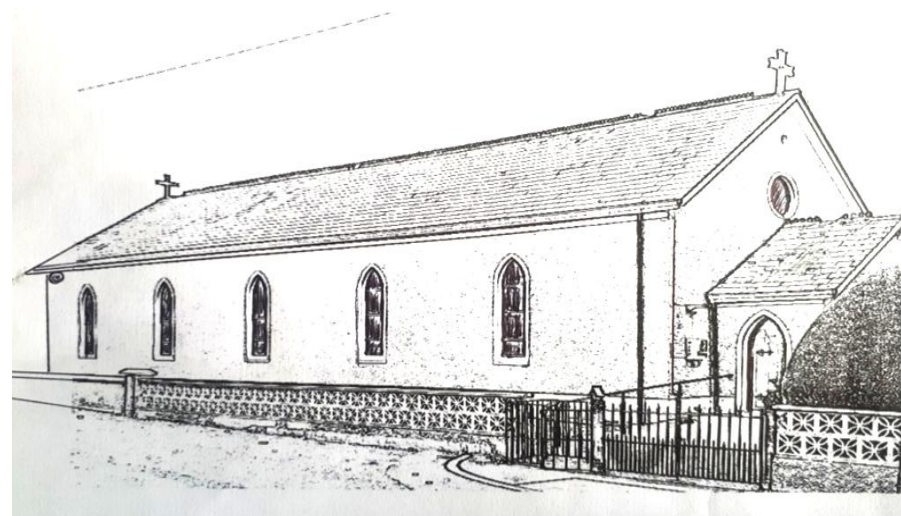
Islandeady-Glenisland Parish Newsletter

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

Sunday 14th Jan 2024 – 2nd Sun in Ordinary Time



St. Patrick's Church, Islandeady



Holy Rosary Church, Glenisland

*They saw where he lived,
and stayed with him.*

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

In the readings this weekend we are informed that we have been called by Christ to become children of God. How we respond is illustrated in the readings. There is a seeking which develops into a search that leads to seeing & believing.



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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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Islandeedy **Village Enhancement Group** is looking at getting a **group of volunteers** together, Men, Women, Young & Elderly, Men's Shed & other groups who would be free for 1-2 hours on a Saturday morning to **help** with **Enhancement Projects** around the Islandeedy Village area such as planting shrubs & trees, maintenance work etc. It is hoped to get this group going in early January & we would **appreciate** your **involvement**. You can contact **Breege Joyce** on (087) 288 9264 if you wish to join/find out more.

- **Card Games** every Mon Night in the Community Centre at 8:30pm.
- **Move it or Lose it** exercise classes every Tues at 10am in Comm. Centre.
- **Rambling House** every Tues Night at 7:30pm in the Community Centre.
- **Ladies Club** every Tues Night at 8pm in the Community Centre.
- **Wed Get-together** every Wed in Comm. Centre from 11:30am – All welcome.
- **Pilates** with Lisa every Thurs at 7:45pm in the Comm. Centre – All welcome.
- **Foróige** every Wed & Fri Night from 8pm – 9:30pm in the Community Centre.

Islandeedy Community Council meeting for January is **rescheduled** for this **Tues 16th January** at **8pm** in **St. Aidan's Room**. All members are kindly asked to attend.



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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Being a **single parent** is twice the **Work**, twice the **Stress** and twice the **Tears** but also twice the **Hugs**, twice the **Pride** & twice the **Love**. If you are a single parent & you feel you are due a tax refund you can email info@mytaxrefunds.ie to see if you are eligible for a Tax Refund. Visit www.mytaxrefunds.ie for more details.

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There was **No Winner** of the last Islandeedy GAA Lotto draw. The next draw takes place **next Sun 21st Jan** in the **Key West**. The Jackpot will be **€9,600**. **The Lucky Dip Prize winners:** Colin Moylette & Jacqueline McCormack.



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Islandeedy **Cycling Club** is holding an **“Open Day”** next Sunday **Jan 21st** from **12pm – 3pm**. Why not come along and meet with club members & see the great facilities available in our club house. **All abilities** catered for! There's something to suit everyone. Refreshments served.

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The **25th Pioneer National Ball** takes place on **Sat 6th April** in the Annebrook House Hotel, Mullingar. To book tickets contact Dermot Fagan on (085) 7201 646.

The proceeds from the 15th Jan 2024 **Monday Night Card Game** will be donated to the **Islandeedy Wednesday Get-together**. The group would like to thank the organisers for their generous support. We kindly ask that as many members of our community would support this event by coming along & taking part & having a bit of fun. You don't need to be a **“Card Shark”** to take part. A number of tables will be available in the small room **exclusively** for **amateurs**. Looking forward to seeing you on the night!

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For people who wear **Hearing Aids** please note that there is a **‘Loop System’** in our Church Amplification. When you enter the Church just **switch** the button in your Hearing Aid & the system will **transmit perfectly** to your ear. **Good news** for people who wear Hearing Aids.

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In your **Prayers** you are kindly asked to **Remember** the following who died:
- **Mary Heraty**, Cloonkeen, funeral last Friday in Islandeedy.
- **Ray Cawley**, Doon, 1st cousin to Joe, Seamus & John Moylette, Islandeedy.
- **Trena Kelly**, Sheeane.
Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord, may they Rest in Peace, Amen.

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Annual **Tuam Young Adults Night** will take place on **Friday Feb 2nd** at **Knock Shrine**. Begins with mass at **6pm** in the Apparition Chapel, followed by guest speakers, Q&A session, Pizza & Social. Contact Mark on (087) 1323 296.

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Medjugorje Easter Pilgrimage 2024 from 30th March – 6th April. Cost of trip is **€830**. Deposit of €200 required to book your place. Fr. Brendan Kilcoyne is Spiritual Director. Please contact Carmel on (087) 1339 668 for more info.

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Congratulation to **Mark Quinn** who was ordained to the **Diaconate** last Sunday in Westport by Archbishop Duffy. Mark, originally from Castlebar, will be ordained to the Priesthood in the summer. We wish him well in his vocation of service to God.

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Well done to everyone who organised the recent **Tractor Run** as part of the **Get Me Home Fund for Eileen Gibbons** to bring her back home from Australia. Over 200 tractors, lorries & vintage cars took part in the huge parade around Islandeedy & Castlebar.

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Calling All Ladies – Would you like to join the **Islandeedy LGFA Women's Senior Football Team**? Whether you want to try a new skill, join a new club or just start from where you left off a few years back, don't delay, contact Cormac today on (087) 2453 811.

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In the case of **TWO** intentions for the same Mass – which happens often in **the parish** - the second Offering will be sent to **‘The Missions’** as already happens with money for Mass Cards thus providing badly needed financial support for Priests working there.

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Thought for the Week

After Birth – how long does it take for the eyes to OPEN....?!

Cows – Immediately

Goats – After 2 hours

Cats – After 6 days

Dogs – After 10 days

Humans – After Marriage...!!