

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 26th Nov – Sun 03rd Dec)

Sat 25 th	- Margaret Deffely (5 th Anniv). - Tom McGowan & DFM. - Fr. Jackie Conroy, former CC Glenisland.
Sun 26 th	- Henry & Eithne Kenny, Derrycoosh & DM of Kenny & McGinley F. - Willie & Betty Feeney Graffymore & sons Bill & Tom. - Pat & Annie Dillon, son John, daughter in law Nancy & Bridie Dillon. - Paddy & Mena Bourke, Cornanool. - Patrick, Virginia & David Corocoran, Slinaun & DM of Corcoran & Neary Family. - Marie Morley (30 th Anniv) - Mick & Kitty Horan, Kilbree (Anniv). - John O'Malley, Keelagues (1 st Anniv). - Michael & Nora Murray, Leitir. - Dan & Mary O'Malley, Fairhill & DM of O'Malley & Gannon Family.
Mon 27 th	- No Mass Intentions.
Tues 28 th	- No Mass Intentions.
Wed 29 th	- No Mass Intentions.
Thurs 30 th	- No Mass Intentions.
Fri 01 st	- No Mass Intentions.
Sat 02 nd	- Josephine Fahey, Kilgarve (22 nd Anniv). - Thomas McGowan, Thownyena. - Eanna & Fiachra Basquill. - John & Nora Ryan.
Sun 03 rd	- Patricia Geraghty, Cogaula (1 st Anniv). - Michael Fahey & DFM. - Mary & Michael McLoughlin, Nora & Thomas Gravin, Mena & Paddy Bourke, Mavis & John Davitt, Tony & John Davitt.

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People of God ministering / helping in CHURCH next Week: Sat/Sun 02nd /03rd Dec

Ministry:	Glenisland:	Islandeady:
Music:	Anne & Choir.	Choir.
Readers:	Jackie Deffely.	Robert O'Reilly (Pg. 84) 1 st Sun of Advent.
Ministers of Eucharist:	John Ruane.	S. Morris, M. Moylette, R. Moylette.

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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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A 30 day **Novena Booklet** for the **Holy Souls**. Contact Michael Dooley on (087) 2202 157.

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

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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.

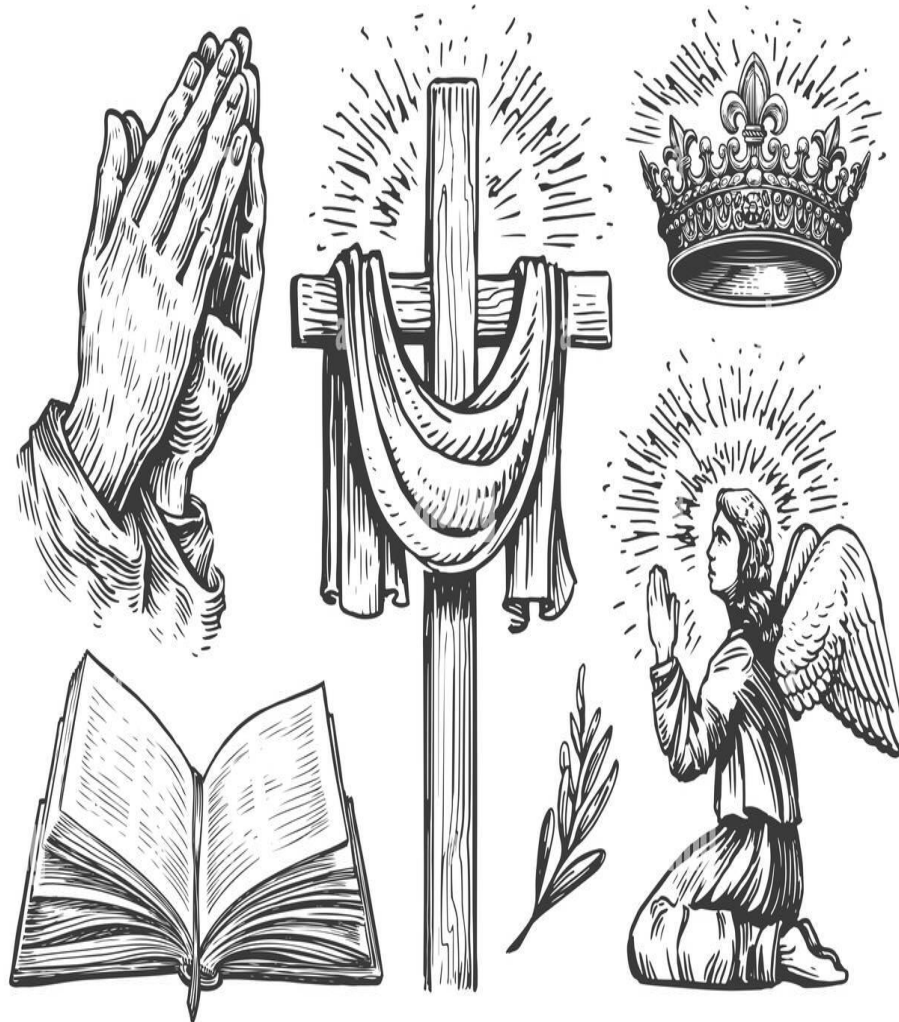
➤ You can **email** Liam at islandeadyadm@gmail.com

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 26th Nov 2023 – **Christ the King**



*“He will take his seat on the throne of glory,
and he will separate men from one another.”*

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 readings we are told that at the end of our earthly life we will be judged on how we lived and acted. The Kingdom of God is established through the saving work of Christ and the Shepherd King will come to judge how we have loved and welcomed Christ into our lives.



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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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Memorial Cards can be **left before the Altar** in both churches for the remainder of **November** in memory of our dearly departed family members no longer with us.

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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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Islandeady **Men's Shed** AGM this **Thurs 30th Nov** at **8pm** in the Community Centre.

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There was **No Winner** of the last Islandeady GAA Lotto draw. The next draw takes place **this Sun 26th Nov** in the **Halfway**. The Jackpot will be **€9,400**.

The Lucky Dip Prize winners:

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If anyone has **any tables** or **other items** belonging to the **Community Centre** which may have been used during the year for Communion/Confirmations/Funerals can they please be **returned** to the Community Centre **as soon as possible**. You can contact Liam on (087) 1361 895 to arrange return to the Centre.



Important meeting of the **Parish Pastoral Council** will take place this **Thursday 30th Nov** at **7:30pm** in **St. Aidan's**. All members are kindly asked to attend.

- **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.

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The Parish **Mass Diary** for **2024** is now open for **Mass Intentions** for **next year**.

The **2024** Readers & Minister of the Eucharist List is being organised for Islandeady Church. All current Readers & Min of Eucharist are kindly asked to confirm their availability for next year to Liam by text on (087) 1361 895 by **Nov 30th**. If you would like to join the team as a Reader or Minister of the Eucharist, please contact Liam to be included in next year's rota. The new rota's will be prepared and given to each Reader & Minister of the Eucharist in December to start the **1st weekend in Jan 2024**. Liam will **ALSO** presume that if he doesn't hear from **YOU... that YOU** are **HAPPY** to remain on the **List for 2024...!!**

Outdoor Carol Service at the Presbytery on **Dec 9th** after mass. If you are able to sing, play a musical instrument, hum, whistle or willing to have a go, come along to a rehearsal for a Carol service, **rehearsals** take place on **Wed 29th Nov** in the **Presbytery** at **8pm**.

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Pioneer Calendar is available from Pioneer Centres & from Central Office on (01) 805 4226. The calendar is designed to offer spiritual support to families which are being impacted by alcohol & addiction. Cost is **€5**

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- Please join us for a **Cuppa & Chat** after mass **next Sunday** in **St. Aidan's**. The **Orange Team** is on **Hospitality Duty** next week (**Sephine's Team**).

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The **Irish Folk Music School** Music Appreciation Society will be holding a "**very Best of**" Night on **Sat 02nd Dec** in the **Old School**, Glenisland. Songs from Bob Dylan, Mary Black, Leonard Cohen, Shane McGowan & many more will be played by a host of guest musicians. **Limited Tickets** available from www.theirishfolk.com Doors open at **7:30pm** & show starts at **8pm**. Refreshments served.

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In your **Prayers** you are asked to remember the following who died recently:

- **Fr. Martin O'Keefe**, former CC Glenisland (2006 – 2013).
 - **Nora Joyce (née Duggan)**, Fahy, Keelogues Islandeady & Birmingham, Aunt of Kathleen Keaveney, Sheeane.
- Eternal Rest grant unto them, O Lord, may they Rest in Peace, Amen.

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Islandeady **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 Islandeady 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**.

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- Lists of **Glenisland** Altar Society, Min of Euch & Readers for **Dec** are in the Sacristy.
- **Islandeady Dec** Offertory **Collectors**: Peter Collins, Timmy Davitt, Seamus Moylette.
- **Islandeady Finance** Committee helping for **December**: Team **F**.
- **Islandeady Altar Society** for **December**: **Annagh** and **Drimneen**.

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A **Special Mass** for **Expectant Mothers** in **Knock Shrine** next **Sat 02nd Dec** at **11am**.

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THANKS to the many households who have signed up for the **€5 per week** for the **next 3 years** which will help pave the way to building a modern Community Centre for everybody to enjoy & benefit from. **This Week** is your **last chance** to sign up to join us on this journey to create a modern, inclusive space **FOR ALL Members of OUR Community**.

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Thought of the Week

*Someone **YOU** know is preparing for their **FIRST** Christmas without their **Husband, Wife, Mother, Father, Brother, Sister, Daughter or Son.***

*Others are preparing for their **LAST!***

Regardless of the specifics,

Remember that this season of joy is often at times a season of sorrow for many.

*Be **KIND**, Be **GENEROUS**, Give **LOVE**, Give **HELP**;*

*If nothing else, **DON'T** give people a **HARD TIME...!!***