

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 13th Mar – Sun 20th March)

Sat 12 th	- Frank & Annie Moran & DFM. - Jack Fahey (6 th Anniv). - Johnny O'Donnell, his sister Maureen, her husband Glynn & daughter in law Emer.
Sun 13 th	- Sarah Murrighy (1 st Anniv) & her husband Bill (8 th Anniv), Cloggernough & C'Bar.
Mon 14 th	- No Mass Intentions.
Tues 15 th	- No Mass Intentions.
Wed 16 th	- 12 Noon Islandeady Community Centre: Mass. - 7pm Glenisland: Vigil Mass for the Feast of St. Patrick.
Thurs 17 th	- 11am Islandeady: Mass for the Feast of St. Patrick. Also remembering Kathleen, Mike & Mary Philbin, Pdraig, Nellie & Maureen O'Shea, Kevin & Tom Basquille.
Fri 18 th	- No Mass Intentions.
Sat 19 th	- Martin & Kathleen McGowan
Sun 20 th	- Patrick, Annie, Martin, Micheal & Brian Lally.

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People of God ministering / helping in CHURCH next Week: Sat / Sun 19th / 20th Mar

Ministry:	Glenisland:	Islandeady:
Mass Servers:	Team 1.	Team 1.
Music:	Anne & Choir.	Nora & Choir.
Readers:	Micheal McCormack	Breege Joyce
Ministers of Eucharist:	Teresa Walsh	Esther McDonagh & Mary Moylette

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Monday: Feast of St. Matilde.
Tuesday: Feast of St. Louise de Marillac.
Wednesday: Feast of St. Finnian.
Thursday: Feast of St. Patrick, Bishop & Patron Saint of Ireland.
Friday: Feast of St. Cyril (315 – 386), Bishop of Jerusalem.
Saturday: Feast of St. Joseph, husband of the Blessed Virgin Mary.
Sunday: Third Sunday of Lent.

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Islandeady GAA registration is now open for all club members using **Foireann.ie**
 To register online, log into Foireann.ie, use last years details to login. Choose your Membership and follow the online instructions.

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Since Feb 28th the **wearing of masks** became **optional**. However, those who wish to wear masks in our churches **are welcome to do so!** Sanitizers will remain in place for a while. We look forward to **welcoming** back more of our parishioners over the coming weeks.

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To book an **Anniversary Mass** please **email** Fr Chris at parishig2017@gmail.com or contact him at (087) 1962 674. Please also provide your name and phone number.

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If you would like to take **Communion** home to a family member or a neighbour, please let Fr. Chris know so arrangements can be made to safely distribute Communion.

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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

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Sunday 13th Mar 2022 – 2nd Sunday of Lent



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*And a voice came from the cloud saying:
 "This is my Son,
 the chosen one.
 Listen to 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 today's readings, the vision of Christ transfigured in glory is given to the three apostles, who will see him suffering in the Garden. The vision is also for our encouragement at the beginning of Lent. Through suffering & the cross we come to the crown of glory in heaven. A Lent well spent will bring us to a joyful celebration of Easter.



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Pastoral visits to the **sick** and **housebound** are an important part of Parish life. Anyone who was receiving a pastoral visit by Fr. Chris before the virus & would like to receive the **Sacraments** again need to contact the Priest & make the necessary arrangements.

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- **First Holy Communion** for the children of the parish will be held on **Sat 7th May 2022** in St. Patrick's Church, Islandeady at **11am & 2pm**.
- **Confirmation** for the children of the parish will be held on **Sat 14th May 2022** in St. Patrick's Church, Islandeady at **11am & 2pm**.

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The **1st Spring Community Cleanup** will take place during the long weekend in March over the following dates: **17th / 18th / 19th / 20th March**. Everyone is asked if they can spare **an hour or two** over any of those days & gather any Litter in their respective areas and leave the bags at a drop off point to be collected by Mayo Co. Co. Let's all help to keep Islandeady '**clean & green**'!

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- **Yoga for Adults** takes place every **Mon night at 7pm** in the Community Centre.
- **Yoga & Pilates for Children** every **Tues night at 6pm** in the Community Centre.
- **Islandeady Ladies' Club** meets every **Tues night at 8pm** in the Community Centre.
- **The Rambling House** meets every **Tues night at 7:30pm** in the Community Centre.
- **Wednesday Get-together** meets every **Wed from 11:30am** in the Community Centre.
- **Islandeady Foróige** continues every **Wed & Fri night** in the Community Centre.

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You can now play the **Islandeady GAA Lotto Online...!!** Go to: <https://smartlotto.ie/islandeady-gaa/> **No Winner** from the last online draw. The next Draw takes place next **Sun 20th Mar**. The Jackpot will be **€7,200**. **The Lucky Dip Prize winners:** Katie Prendergast & Peter Gordon.



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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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The Accord Centre in Castlebar offers a professional & confidential counselling service, facilitating couples & individuals to explore, reflect upon & resolve difficulties in their marriage & relationship. Tel. (094) 90 22214 for further details.

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We **Welcome** into the Christian community of Islandeady/Glenisland:
- Baby **Liam Joseph Higgins**, son of Mariam & Joe.
Congrats to the Parents, Grandparents, Godparents & both families.

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Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament will take place in **both Churches** of the parish on **Sunday 13th March** from **7pm – 8pm**. All are welcome.

The "**OurKidsCode**" is a 4 week programme for parents and their primary school. This pilot programme will start on **Monday 21st March** from **6pm – 8pm**. There have been 6 families selected to participate. Apologies to those who applied & didn't get selected, but your name will go on a waiting list as we hope to run another programme soon. This is run in conjunction with Trinity College Dublin, Mayo Co. Co. & Islandeady Community Council.

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The deferred Islandeady Community Council Race Night will now take place on **Easter Sunday Night, 17th April** in the Aughagower Country Lodge Hotel. Doors open from 8pm & 1st Race starts at 9pm. This is one of many important Fundraisers to help with the starting & completing the development of much needed community facilities such as a new community centre & playground. Make it a great night out with a bit of fun after Covid restrictions. All welcome

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Tuam Diocesan Pilgrimage to Knock takes place on **Sun May 1st** starting at **2:30pm**.

Islandeady **Community Council** meeting **this Monday 14th March** at **8:30pm** in the Community Centre. All members are kindly asked to attend.

St. Patrick's Day Mass times in our Parish:

Glenisland: Wednesday 16th March at 7pm / **Islandeady:** Thursday 17th March at 11am.
Glenisland (Reader) Michelle to co-ordinate / **(Min. Of Euch)** Michelle to co-ordinate.
Islandeady (Reader) Noreen Coyne / **(Min. Of Euch)** L. Keaveney & Á. McAlpine.

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The **Wednesday Get-together's Annual Church Gate Collection** will take place **this Weekend 12th March** in **Glenisland** & 13th March in **Islandeady**. Sadly no card machines available! Old fashioned cash is still gratefully acceptable. Please contribute generously to our collection.

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As we watch the appalling events taking place in **Ukraine**, the killing, injury & the destruction of lives & buildings, many people are asking what can we do? The **Candle of Grace Charity** operating out of the former Leitir School are taking practical measures to assist. They are collecting blankets, clothing and medicine and are sending trucks to refugees & displaced people in the region. They also need money. Over the next number of weeks people are invited to contribute whatever way they can. Simply put the amount into a white or brown envelope and write **UKRAINE** on the envelope & put it into the church collection. They also need help in sorting & repacking the items they are receiving, so if you have an hour or two to spare go there & offer to help. The **three pillars** of Lent are: **Prayer, Self denial & Charity**. What better way to fulfil the spirit of Lent this year.

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Bingo Night – Islandeady Community Centre – **Thurs Mar 24th at 8pm**
Organised by Islandeady Senior **Foróige**; Single books €10. All welcome



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Thought for the Week

Yes, Fuel Prices are HIGH!

*We can choose to travel LESS, We can choose to CARPOOL,
We can choose to use our BICYCLE, We can choose to WALK,
We can choose to use PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION...
BUT UKRAINE CANNOT...!!
And there, but for grace, go we!*