

KILLASSER/CALLOW

PARISH NEWSLETTER

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The Assumption of The Blessed Virgin Mary 15th August 2021

**MASS INTENTION FOR THE NEXT 4 MONTHS**

Sat 7th Killasser 7pm **Molly, Jim, J.P. & Pat Heaney**, Derreen

Sun 8th Callow 10am People of the Parish

Wed 11th Killaser 10am Morning Mass

Thurs 12th Killasser 7pm **Maggie Ellen & Martin Loftus & Seamus & Nuala,** Gurteen

Friday 13th Killasser 7.01pm Evening Mass

Sat 14th Killasser 7pm **Katie & Martin Quinn,** Anniv, Drumada-Joice

Sun 15th Callow 10am **Tom & Delia Gallagher, Joe Gallagher.** Anniv

Sun 15th Killasser 11.30am **Val Hyland,** Carramore-Moy, 1st Anniv

Sat 21st Killasser 7pm **Bridget & Michael Walsh**, Craggaballagh, daughter **Maureen Gallagher**, grandson **Michael Walsh** & Walsh & McGeever families

Sun 22nd Callow 10am People of the Parish

Sat 28th Killasser 7pm **P.J Rowley**, died in Manchester, brother of **Marty Rowley** Carraweena

Sun 29th Callow 10am People of the Parish

Sat 4th Sept Killasser 7pm **Bridget Fitzmaurice,** Creggane

Sun 5th Callow 10am People of the Parish

Sat 11th Killasser 7pm **Fr. Jimmy O’Grady**, Carraweena & Los Angeles

Sun 12th Callow 10am People of the Parish

Sat 18th Killasser 7pm **Kathleen Ruddy**, Cloonfinish

Sun 19th Callow 10am People of the Parish

Sat 25th Killasser 7pm **Martin Joe Hegarty**, parents **Margaret & Frank Hegarty**, Carrowliambeg

Sun 26th Callow 10am People of the Parish

Sat 2nd Oct Killasser 7pm **Mary Filan**, Anniv, Dunmaynor

Sat 9th Killasser 7pm **Tara Hussey**, Drumada Gore, 4th Anniv

Sat 16th Killasser 7pm **Thomas & Bridget Kavanagh**, Carramore & Kilbride & Kavanagh deceased.

Sat 23rd Killasser 7pm **Michael Mc Nulty**, Carrowneden

Sat 30th Killasser 7pm **Stephen Dunleavy**, granddaughter **Lily**, **Patty Dunleavy & Johnny Dunleavy,** Carrowliambeg

Sat 6th Nov Killasser 7pm **Tom & Bridie Greally**, Ballyhaunis, daughter **Joan**, Featherstone & grandson **Martin Brehony**

Sat 13th Killasser 7pm Mass still available

Sat 20th Killasser 7pm **John Maloney,** 1st Anniv, Tirninny

Sat 27th Killasser 7pm **Martin and Mary O’Neill**, Creggaun and Kelly and O’Neill deceased.

Sat 4th Dec Killasser 7pm **Kathleen Adams**, Cloonfinish

 **Willie O’Neill,** Creggaun

**PRAY FOR**

**Margaret Gavigan,** Knocks

**Patrick Carr**, who died in Chicago, formally of Graffy, Killasser

**Bridie Pascuzzo,** Long Island, NY, aunt of Bridie Rowley, Balinacurra.

**PJ Rowley,** Formerly Carraweena, who died in Manchester, brother of the late Marty Rowley.

**Eileen Clarke,** Foxford, aunt of Ian Clarke, Oulogue & Mairead Brady, Cloonygowan

**Baptised In Christ**

Congrats to Coby William Filan, who was baptized recently In Killasser Church and to his parents Liam and Michelle.

**NATURE MATTERS**

Nature Matters is  group of parishioners who have come together to improve awareness of our environment and the importance of biodiversity

I see his face in every flower;

The thunder and the singing of the birds

Are but his voice-and, carven by his power

Rocks are his written  word.

         Joseph M. Plunkett

**KCC-AUGUST 50/50 DRAW & ANNUAL SUBSCRIPTION**

The committee have agreed that the minimum jackpot for the August 50/50 will be €1,000. The draw will take place in the Turf Shed at 9pm on Saturday 7th August. This jackpot is to acknowledge the support of the parish over the last 6 years which has seen the draw raise €100,000. Half of the money raised went to the various winners while the remaining €50,000 went to the centre to sustain its continued maintenance and improvements.

For most people who have purchased an annual subscription it is due before the August draw. Committee members will contact you privately to see if you would be interested in subscribing for another year. The yearly subscription is €60. If you would like to purchase an annual subscription please contact any committee member or Paul Hyland at 087 610 9192.

**KCC- KILLASSER VILLAGE IMPROVEMENTS**

Phase 1 of the village’s enhancement works concluded in June 2021. The improvement works concentrated on improving the national school road, the church field, the Dereen Road and the main road beside the football pitch. The works included the widening of existing grass margins to accommodate widened roads with parallel parking, drainage works, new footpaths, kerbing, regularization of junctions, fencing, landscaping, signage and street lighting which we hope has enhanced the villages attractiveness. The surfacing of the village road with lining will conclude the works later this year.

The cost of this work was €112,376 with €80,000 provided by the Department of Rural & Community Development. The remaining €32,376 was raised by Killasser Community Centre (combination of own funds, fundraising and grants) with supplementary contributions from Killasser Church, Killasser National School and Killasser Heritage Society which we are very grateful for.

Finally, on behalf of the committee, I would like to thank you all for your support and good wishes throughout the last year, it means a lot.

Paul

**Vhi Mini Marathon for The Butterfly Garden, Swinford**

#Team Butterfly Garden are taking part in this year's Vhi Virtual Women's Mini Marathon - getting fit while raising much-needed funds for our community project remembering all the little lives taken too soon. Whether walking, jogging or running it for this Virtual event whic takes place from 17th-19th Sept - we would love for you to join us. Get in touch with us at The Butterfly Garden on Facebook or call/message Natasha on 086 3622522 for more info.