# Church of the Immaculate Heart of Mary

Bonniconlon, Ballina, Co. Mayo

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## **Mass Intentions**

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| Saturday            | 8.00pm  | Michael Foy, Carrareagh – 6th Anniversary   |
| Sunday              | 10.30am | Mai & John Igoe, Kilbride.  |
| Monday              | 9.30am  | No Morning Mass.  |
| Tuesday             | 9.30am  | Michael Houlihan, Dingle. Month's Mind.   |
| Wednesday           | 9.30am  | Morning Mass  |
| Thursday            | 9.30am  | Paddy, Mary & Teresa Greavy, Kilgarvin.   |
|                     | 7.00pm  | Jimmy Glacken, Carracrum, Month's Mind.   |
| Friday              | 4.00pm  | Christmas Eve Mass - Special Intention.   |
|                     | 8.00pm  | Christmas Eve Mass.   |
| Saturday            | 8.00am  | Christmas Day Mass.   |
|                     | 10.00am | Christmas Day Mass. John & Annie Molloy and deceased of the Molloy & Weir families. |
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# **Covid Guidelines:**

- 1: Stewards will continue to take you to your seats.
- 2: Face masks are required as well as hand sanitizing...
- 3: Only 50% of seating capacity now usable. No standing allowed in the porch or within the church.
- 4: Parish Newsletters will be only available at both exits of the Church.
- 5: Holy Communion will be distributed after mass as people proceed to the exit doors.
- **6:** People who have attended mass outside of the Church may enter the Church to receive Holy Communion at the end of Mass.
- 7: From Sundays to Thursdays the Church will be closed at 4pm.
- **8**: For the duration of the Covid-19 pandemic, please do not leave books or prayer leaflets in the church as they will be removed.

**Recent Death:** Your prayers are requested for the happy repose of the soul of Lillie Hennessy, nee Kavanagh, Toronto and formerly of Saltfield, Bonniconlon who was laid to rest during the week. May her soul rest in peace.

# Fourth Sunday Of Advent / C

19th December, 2021

Fourth Week of Advent

4th Candle - White -

"Christ Candle"

# **Bonniconlon Lotto Results**

Fr. John Geelan PP.

M. R. CHONTIN

12th December 2021

Numbers Drawn

7 13 21 34

No Jackpot Winner

New Jackpot € 17,600

5 x €40 prize winners were as follows:

- 1. Nora Conlon, Ellaghmore.
- 2. Peter Boyd, Knockroe.
- 3. Donal Tuohy, Bonniconlon.
- 4. Patricia Meer, Bofield. (on line)
- **5.** Josephine Devers..

Next draw the 18th December 2021.

Play on line: Visit www.bonniconlongaa.com

**Christmas Greetings:** 

Another Christmas and another greeting, just the old wish that many are repeating; though old, no new wish half as much can say, as these few words .....

Jesus is the spotless lamb of God, sent to

wash away our sins! His birth was for his death; his death was for our birth!

Bright be your Christmas Day.

**CE Vacancies:** Vacancies has arisen on the Bofield/Bonniconlon Community Employment Scheme for *General Operatives*, Ref: 2202450. DSP criteria applies. To check eligibility contact Intreo Office, Ballina.

**Bonniconlon Show Calendars:** Calendars on sale in local shops at €5 or contact Gerry at 087 637 0070 or John at 087 294 2949.

## Thank You:

Sincere thanks to everybody who made envelope contributions to our church throughout the year. Our weekly income is one third of what it was pre-covid, I encourage everybody to use their contribution envelopes for 2022. Sincere thanks too, to our church stewards who have managed the seating requirements for our congregations during this pandemic. Their role is to protect all of us according to government guidelines during this difficult time.

**Western Care Association:** The Castlebar Rotary Club Christmas Tree of Remembrance will run online again this year throughout the month of December in partnership with Western Care Association, you can access the Tree of Remembrance her https://visufund.com/2021 - mayo - tree - of - remembrance.

## A Spiritual Thought

During this Christmas season, may you be blessed with the spirit of the season which is peace;

the gladness of the season which is hope; and the heart of the season which is love.