#### MASS INTENTIONS

(Saturday 8<sup>th</sup> to Sunday 16<sup>th</sup> April 2023)

#### MYNA CHURCH

SUN	11.30am.	Mass.
WED	9.30am.	Mass.
FRI	8.00pm.	Mass.

SUN 11.30am. Mike Bourke (A) and deceased family members, Drunnagh.

Jim and Mary Moran, Roscahill and deceased family members.

Sally Brady (A), Cloonkeen and deceased members of Brady and Kearney families.

#### FAHY CHURCH

SAT 7.00pm. Tommie and Maureen O'Boyle and deceased family members, Derryribbeen.

Conal O'Donnell deceased family members, Slingane Mass for the People of the Parish.

TUE8.00pmMass for the People of the Parish.THU9.30am.Mass.SAT7.00pm.Mass.

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#### MINISTERS OF THE WORD:

Myna Church: -Sunday 9th AprilPauline MulroySunday 16th AprilOisin Ryan.Fahy Church: -Descention of the April

Saturday8th AprilRonan HughesSaturday15th AprilAnn Marie Hughes

## **APRIL - CHURCH OFFERTORY COLLECTORS:**

Myna - Derek Walshe and Tom Feehan.

Fahy - John Cusack.

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#### TRÓCAIRE COLLECTION BOXES

Please return your Trócaire Collection to the church next Sunday or as soon as possible. We would be grateful if you could change small coins into notes or large coins.

# KILMEENA – FAHY PARISH

# NEWSLETTER

Sunday 9th April 2023 Easter Sunday



# A Happy and Holy Easter to All.

Fr. Jim Walsh, P.P.

(098-41270)

#### PARISH NEWS

#### EASTER GREETINGS:

Fr. Jim sends Easter Greetings to all parishioners and to all who are on holidays in the parish. May it be a very happy and blessed time for all of you and your families. Fr. Jim and the Pastoral Council wishes to thank all who helped with the Holy Week ceremonies. We thank especially the Ministers of the Word, Ministers of the Eucharist, the Choirs, the Offertory Collectors, those who prepared the Altars, those who set up the Holy Week symbols and presentations, those who cleaned the churches and all who helped in any way. MAY THE RISEN CHRIST BLESS AND REWARD YOU ALL.

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#### **BLESSING OF THE ROADS:**

This blessing of roads will take place in Fahy after the Easter Vigil Mass and in Myna after Mass on Easter Sunday. The community needs to make road safety a personal goal or we will continue to have families suffer the grief associated with loss of life and serious injury.

#### The Motorist Prayer

Lord, grant me a steady hand and a watchful eye

That no person may be hurt when I pass by.

Thou gavest life. I pray no act of mine

May take away or mar that act of Thine. Amen

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#### **DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY:**

Next Sunday, 16<sup>th</sup> April, is Divine Mercy Sunday. This feast was instituted by Pope John Paul II following revelations to Sr. Faustina of Poland. This feast emphasises the infinite mercy of God to all who repent of their sins.

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# EASTER COLLECTION:

The Priests' Easter Collection is one of four collections during the year. The collection at Christmas, Easter, Summer and Autumn are the only collections used to support the priests. Thanks for your generous support. Please use the special envelope in the box of envelopes or any envelope marked "Priests Collection." You can leave your offering in the Letter box at the Parochial House. Should you wish to pay on-line, the Priests' Revenue account - (iban IE95AIBK93716917205014). Please remember to include your name and envelope number.

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# LOUGH DERG PILGRIMAGE SEASON 2023:

2023 Lough Derg Pilgrimage Season begins in May. Details of the Three-day, One -Day and Residential retreats are posted on the church notice board. Full details from 071-9861518

## FIRST HOLY COMMUNION:

First Holy Communion for the pupils of Fahy National School will be on Saturday, 6<sup>th</sup> May 2023 at 12 noon. First Holy Communion for the pupils of Myna and Carrowholly National Schools will be in Myna Church on Saturday, 13<sup>th</sup> May 2023 at 12.00 noon.

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# TUAM DIOCESAN PILGRIMAGE:

The Tuam Diocesan Pilgrimage to Knock, led by Archbishop Francis, will take place on Sunday 7th May. Ceremonies commence at 2.30pm with the Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick.

## DIOCESAN PILGRIMAGE TO LOURDES:

The Tuam Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes, led by Archbishop Francis, from Ireland West Knock Airport, 5 nights, Friday Sept 1st to Wednesday, Sept 6th, 2023. For details and booking, please contact 01-2410800.

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**THE FAMILY CENTRE** - Introduction to Centering Prayer: April 15th, 10.30am-1.30pm. Facilitator: Niamh Brennan. - Loss and Recovery: April 21st, 7pm-9.30pm. Facilitator: Fr. Jim Cogley - Wood you Believe - Getting the Past out of the Present: April 22nd, 10am-4.30pm. Facilitator: Fr. Jim Cogley Full details from tel. 094 9025900 www.thefamilycentre.com

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<u>Age Action</u> - Ireland's leading advocacy organisation for older people and ageing Provides free DIY (installing grab rails, ensuring safety within the home, clearing pathways, moving a bed downstairs etc.) to older people who have recently left hospital or waiting to be discharged from hospital. The Care and Repair service can be contacted on 091 527 831

**The West Mayo Old IRA Brigade Annual Mass** will be held in St Patrick's Church on Easter Monday 10th April at 12 noon. O Haire's courtesy bus will be available after Mass to transport all interested to Aughagowla to the unveiling of plaque in the memory of Patrick Mulchrone. Refreshments will be available afterwards in Hotel Newport.

# EASTER BLESSING

Easter reminds us that hope should never be lost for as dark as the road may seem, there always lies light at the end of it. May all your prayers be fulfilled and may wonderful blessings be upon you and all your loved ones this Easter