

Church of the Holy Family, Ballycroy  
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18<sup>th</sup> – 25<sup>th</sup> August 2019.

Reflection –

If we truly accept and embrace God's unconditional love for us we cannot be but changed and see life with a different perspective. The Hebrew word for peace, is Shalom. It is a rich word, abundant with meaning. It focuses on integrity, well-being, harmony and unity. When we wish people 'Shalom' we ask for them a whole way of living at peace with God and with themselves. Sometimes we need to be shaken out of our complacency, sometimes we need to be made aware of the immediate need to start afresh and start loving God truly, wholly and deeply.

The Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Sat 6.45pm – Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament.

7.30pm – Rosary. Please come along and pray for the intentions of our Parish.

Sat 8pm – Eileen, Michael, Rita O'Boyle (Ballyveeny).

Sun 11am – Kathleen, John, Rodger, Thomas & John McGowan (Kildun).

Req by Margaret McGowan Lally US.

Fr. Chris will be away for a few days.

In case of emergency only please contact

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Church Building Fund –

The July draw will be on 25<sup>th</sup> August. Please remember to return the Orange Envelope

The Twenty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time

Sat 6.45pm – Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament.

7.30pm – Rosary. Please come along and pray for the intentions of our Parish.

Sat 8pm – Peter, Annie Gillispie & Dec's Family (Kildun/England)

Sr. Lucyna will speak at Mass. She is a Missionary Sister of  
St. Peter Claver.

Sun 11am – Eamon Sweeney (Westport/Ballyveeny) – Month's Mind Mass.

Priest's Collection Thank you for your support and generosity for the Priest's Collection. Please return your green envelope. Fr. Chris

National Novena in Knock takes place this week from the 14<sup>th</sup> August – 22<sup>nd</sup> Aug.

Two sessions daily, 3pm and 8.30.

On Sale – The Festival Book – “Ballycroy - A Walk Through Time” is available – A.J Keane's Shop, Brogans in Bangor & Fr. Chris.

The 48<sup>th</sup> London Ballycroy Re-Union – Saturday 12<sup>th</sup> October, in the Mazenold Social Club. Music by Johnny McGovern. Tickets €10. Contact Brid Howard 447852167318

**Congratulations and best wishes to all our leaving cert parishioners who received their results last Wednesday. We wish them every success and blessing on their next stage of education.**

**Adult readers – Please collect readings (book) from Fr. Chris for next Sunday.**

	Readers	Eucharistic Ministers	Servers	Checkers
<b>Sat 17<sup>th</sup> August</b>	Mary B Murray	Geraldine Murray Christina Togher	Drumgallagh/Scoil Naomh Bhride	
<b>Sun 18<sup>th</sup> August</b>	McGowan Family	Bernie Hough Marian Masterson	Drumgallagh/Scoil Naomh Bhride	Matt C
<b>Sat 24<sup>th</sup> August</b>	Micheal Cormack	Bernie Hough Marian Masterson	Drumgallagh/Scoil Naomh Bhride	
<b>Sun 25<sup>th</sup> August</b>	Sweeney Family	Mary Sweeney Noreen Grealis	Drumgallagh/Scoil Naomh Bhride	Nora

If you're unable to read your particular Saturday or Sunday please inform Fr. Chris as early as possible or find a replacement. Sincere thanks for your co-operation.

**Charity Family Fun Colour Run/Jog/Walk** will take place on Sunday, August 18th on Erris Park Run starting beside the Lake at 3pm. Sign in starts at 2.30pm €10 per person, students €5, €25 family of 5+ All monies raised will be divided between Laura Lynn Ireland's Children's Hospice and Inis Aoibhinn Cancer Care West two wonderful charities which have helped families in our area. If you could spare an hour and a half of your time it would be greatly appreciated.

**Healing and Anointing Service** – Led by Fr. Bill Keogh in the Church of the Holy Rosary, Castlebar, Sunday 18<sup>th</sup> August, 1.15 – 5.30pm. Contact Carmel 086 3836055.

**Free Pre-College Course!** - Finished School but not feeling quite ready for the next big step. NLN Castlebar can help your confidence, writing & IT Skills, with its 'Pre-College Course' - enrolling now. Call us on 094 902 2770 to find out more.

**Start Your Own Business Training** The course is ideal for those who are currently unemployed and who may be looking to self-employment as a solution. Takes place on Friday 6<sup>th</sup> Sep from 9.30am-5pm in the Mayo North East Office Belmullet.

**Basic Bookkeeping For Your Small Business...** This course is FREE & designed to equip small business owners with a better understanding of what records they need to maintain for Revenue. Takes place Friday 13<sup>th</sup> Sep from 9.30am-4pm in the Mayo North East Office, Belmullet. For either of the 2 courses please contact 097 20828/097 81418 to book. These courses are co funded by Mayo North East SICAP and Údarás na Gaeltachta.

**Kiltane GAA Bingo** – Geesala Community Centre, starting 7pm. Free refreshments. **FREE bus service from outside Centra, Bangor with pickup at 6:30pm.**

**Card game in Cafferkey's every Friday night 9pm. All welcome.**

**Community Centre Lotto Draw** 3-25-27-31. **Winner** – No Winner. **Match 3 Winner** – Clara Gallagher, MI Kilbane, Kathleen Ginty, Grace Grealis. **Lucky Dip Winner**– **Online** – Maura Ginty. **Envelope Winner** – Michael Kilbane. **Next Week's Jackpot - €4,250.00 Ballycroy Bord Na Og Lotto** 9-18-21-28. **Jackpot Winner**; No Winner. **Match 3** – No Winner. **Lucky Dip**; Conal Shanahan, Grace Grealis. **Next Week's Jackpot** - €5,900. **August Checkers:** Marie McGowan & Mary Sweeney.

**Please keep the Cemetery tidy. Avoid dumping old wreaths and flowers in and at the gates of the cemetery.**

**Bequest** – Please remember the Parish in your Will. If you have made your Will or preparing to make your Will, please remember your Parish Church. Your name/soul will be remembered every day in our prayers and masses.

**Religious Catholic TV Channel** – SKY EWTN Channel-589 – Daily Mass, Rosary, Reflections, Meditations. Live coverage of the Pope and his travels.

**St Vincent de Paul** – Tel. **The Help-line 085 1305390. You are not alone in your need for help.**

**Keeping Children Safe** – The Diocese of Killala is fully committed to keeping children safe. If you have any concerns around their safety in any circumstance please contact The Diocesan Liaison Person – Confidential No - 087 1003554. (Please see more information on the notice board).

**Parish Newsletter** – Please hand in all notices by Thursday morning at 11am. All notices must be signed.