

Islandeady-Glenisland Parish Newsletter

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Weekend **Mass Times:** Glenisland Church **SAT 7 pm** & Islandeady Church **SUN 11am**.

Remembering in our Masses this week: (Sun 22nd Oct – Sun 29th Oct)

Sat 21 st	- Agnes & Pat Gibbons, their son Paddy & Nora Mulvaney. - Patrick & Margaret McCormack & DFM of the McCormack Family.
Sun 22 nd	- Phyllis Walsh, Cornanool (1 st Anniv.) - Julie Joyce (née Irwin) Drumgarve & Cashel. Also remembering her brother Peter Irwin, Cashel, sister Mary, nephew Enda & her parents Paddy & Ann.
Sat 28 th	- Sheamus Lally, Drumnaguncan (1 st Anniv.) & his parents Tom & Ellen Lally.
Sun 29 th	- For All the People.

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Baptisms: Cathal Micheál Irwin, son of Paul & Rita, Castlebar.

Ariana Lilly Seraphina Gallagher, Cashel, daughter of Brendan & Siobhan.

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Pobal Dé – People of God ministering / helping in CHURCH next week:

Music in our Churches: **Gl.** – Anne & Choir / **Is.** – Nora & Choir.

Min of Word: (30th SUN of the Yr. **P402**) **Gl.** – Michelle / **Is.** – Caroline Price.

Min of **Euch:** **Gl.** – M. Walsh, Ml. Walsh / **Is.** - J. O'Malley, Jos. O'Malley, M. O'Malley.

Mass **Servers:** **Gl.** - SAT 28th: Team 1. / **Is.** – SUN 29th: Team 3.

Sincere THANKS to all who joined us in the Parish Vigil in **Knock** last TUES night & to Breege for organising for the 16th year in a row. Always a **Prayerful & Reflective** night.

- Islandeady **GAA Lotto** this SUN 22nd Oct at 8:30pm in the Key West. Jackpot is **€2,700**.
- Weekly Card Game this MON Night at 9pm in Islandeady Comm Centre. All Welcome.
- Wednesday Get-together takes place every WED from 11am-3pm. Everybody Welcome!
- Marian Movement praying for Priest's every Sun Night at 7pm in Glenisland Church.
- Folk Group practices every Tues Night at 8pm in Islandeady Church. Everyone Welcome.
- Spinning Classes continue this Tues & Thurs night at 7:30pm in Jacks Cottage.
- Genealogy & Family History course continues Tues night at 7pm in Community Centre.
- Note that **Clocks** fall **back** one hour next SAT night 28th Oct – winter time begins.
- Westport Regional Pioneers Dinner Dance will be held in Westport Woods Hotel on Fri Night Oct 27th. Tickets €25. For more information contact Bernie on 087 9870170.
- **November** Prayers in our Parish **Cemeteries** on SUN 5th November in **Islandeady** Graveyard at **12 noon** and on SUN 19th November in **Glenisland** Graveyard at **12.30 pm**.

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Islandeady & Glenisland Novena Mass times for November:

Mondays & Wednesdays at **7pm** in Islandeady / Tuesdays & Thursdays at **7pm** in Glenisland.

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Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament – (Adoration Times in our Parish)

Glenisland: Monday & Wednesday **7-8pm**

Islandeady: Sunday, Monday & Tuesday **7-8pm** & Thursday **8-9pm**

Official Family Prayer for World Meeting of Families 2018

God, our Father, We are brothers and sisters in Jesus your Son, One family, in the Spirit of your love. Bless us with the joy of love. Make us patient and kind, gentle and generous, welcoming to those in need. Help us to live your forgiveness and peace. Protect all families with your loving care, especially those for whom we now pray; (*we pause and remember family members and others by name*). Increase our faith, strengthen our hope, keep us safe in your love, make us always grateful for the gift of life that we share. This we ask, through Christ our Lord, **Amen**.

Blas agus Bláthanna na Nollag! There will be a series of 6 lessons, in total, on cookery & flower arranging in the former Glenisland School. The lessons will be held every Thursday night, beginning on November 2nd and ending on December 7th. Cost is €30 for 3 sessions / €60 for 6. For further details, contact 094 90 22928. Beidh fáilte roimh chách.

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As part of the Autumn/Winter programme of events at Knock Shrine, there will be a Music Workshop with Liam Lawton (ideal for choirs & all involved in music ministry) this Fri Oct 27th. For more details or to book a place, phone 094 93 75355.

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This Sunday Oct 22nd is Mission Sunday. It is celebrated by every Church worldwide, including the poorest. It provides Catholics the opportunity to unite with their missionary sisters & brothers overseas and to recommit themselves to bringing the Joy of the Gospel to everyone they meet in their daily lives at home and at work. The theme of this year's Mission Sunday is "Reach Out, Spread the Joy".

Items for Community Council Newsletter to be in by 5pm this Mon Oct 23rd. Email:

Islandeady: islandeadynewsletter@gmail.com / **Glenisland:** glenislandnewsflash@hotmail.com

The Editorial Team of the Islandeady **Christmas Annual** are kindly asking all local clubs, groups, primary schools and organisations, as well as local people for any stories, poems, jokes & any pictures they have for inclusion in this year's magazine. The group are also asking clubs and schools for a report of their activities for 2017. The editorial team is asking for all items to be in with Patricia Rice by Monday 19th November. Email: islandeadynewsletter@gmail.com. If local businesses wish to take out an advert in the magazine, very generous rates are available. Contact Liam on 087 1361895 if interested.

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Islandeady Community Council Annual '**Sale of Work**' takes place on Sunday Nov 12th at 2pm in the Halfway. This Fundraiser ensures the cost of running the Community Centre is met & local groups can use the centre for their activities. All help & support is greatly appreciated. Ticket sellers will be visiting houses in the villages throughout the Parish shortly. Also, if people have items in good condition that they wish to donate, or home produce such as jams or wish to bake cakes, breads etc, all items will be greatly appreciated. If you can **Volunteer** or assist in any way, please contact John Cannon (Chairperson) 087 6390634 or Noreen Sadler (Secretary) 087 2982694.

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NINE masses will be offered in each church during November to remember loved ones who have died. The list of **names** will be placed before the **Altar**. If you would like Family & Friends included please take an envelope (at the church doors) & put the names & an offering for the **nine Masses** into the baskets with the Offertory collection next weekend **28th/29th Oct**.

*Moonlight is the proof that there will **always** be light in the darkness*

Handel's Messiah will be performed at Knock Basilica on Sat 18th Nov at 7:30pm in conjunction with the RTÉ Concert Orchestra. Conducted by Proinnsias Ó Duinn together with Our Lady's Choral Society, Cór Mhaigh Eo & Ballina Chamber Choir.

Tickets available now at www.knockmessiah.com & Downtown Records in Castlebar & Westport.

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Knock Counselling Centre Autumn/Winter Programme of Workshops is now available. Courses include: Relationships/Emotional Wellness/Enneagram Part 1/Anger Management. Booking essential 094 93 75032 or email counsellingteam@knockshrine.ie

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Retrouvaille - A Lifeline for Married Couples: Do you feel lost, alone or bored in your marriage? Are you hurt, frustrated or angry with your spouse? Does talking about it only make it worse? The Retrouvaille programme can help marriages at all stages. Next programme starts 6th – 8th October 2017. For more info contact Tony & Anne (01) 495 3536, Mike & Anne (01) 450 0922, text or call 086 413 5440, or email info@retrouvaille.ie or visit www.retrouvaille.ie.

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Mystics Old & New: Brendan Comerford SJ returns for a new series on the Mystics, taking place over 6 Mondays beginning 18th September at the Galway Bay Hotel, 8pm-9:30pm. Cost €10 per evening/€50 for all 6. Info: jesuitcentregalway@gmail.com, 086 877 6537. Booking advised.

Catholic Family Night- 7-8:30pm on September 8th and on the second Friday of every month in the Church of the Holy Rosary, Castlebar. Our family nights include something for everyone: children's activities designed to pass on Faith, short adult presentations to grow in our own Faith, music and prayer with the Blessed Sacrament with fellowship and food to follow. All families and individuals welcome! More info on Facebook page fb.me/castlebarparish

NEW CATHOLIC TALK-RADIO STATION FOR IRELAND!!

RADIO MARIA IRELAND is an Irish-run Catholic Talk-Radio Station. Established since May 2015 with the aid of the World Family of Radio Maria, our modern studio is situated at the Red Cow Roundabout in Dublin. We have already surpassed 6,000 monthly listeners in Ireland and around the world. Our mission is to help spread the Gospel message of Joy, Hope and Charity with a mixture of Prayer, Catechesis, Uplifting music, Talks, Interviews and Testimonies – all commercial free.

We broadcast 24/7. You might particularly like to join us for live Morning Prayer at 9.15am followed by daily 10am Holy Mass. 11am Catechesis - with Fr. Eamonn McCarthy our full-time Priest Director - Angelus and Midday Prayer. Live Evening Prayer at 5pm is followed by News and the Rosary prayed from the studio at 5.30pm. We are part of a World Family of almost 80 such Catholic radio stations working to help communicate the Good News of Jesus Christ and His Church.

RADIO MARIA IRELAND is available to download FREE by App "RADIO MARIA WORLD FAMILY" on mobile devices, FREE streaming on www.radiomaria.ie by clicking "LISTEN LIVE" or can be listened to on the phone via a live radio feed by calling [+353 \(0\) 1 437 3277](tel:+353014373277).

Like <, Love , Listen O, Share — & Pray with us also on our Facebook Page: 'Radio Maria – Ireland'. Welcome to our Family – tune in, listen and join in the faith conversation!

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A Workshop in Painting Icons will take place from 9th -14th October, in the Alexian Brothers Community, Knock from 9am-6pm. The workshop will be facilitated by Theodoros Papadopoulos, Icon artist based in Larissa, Greece. Course fee is €440 including all materials. A deposit of €190 is required to secure a place. Find out more at www.theodoreicons.com/knock or to book contact Sissel on 085 8006619 or email Theodoros: theodoreicons@gmail.com