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*Parish Newsletter*



Church of St. John the Baptist, Knock

St. Anne's Church, Shanvaghera

NEWSLETTER SUNDAY 4TH OCTOBER 2020. 27TH SUNDAY YEAR A

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## Mass Intentions for the Week

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<b>Saturday 3 October:</b>	7.30pm	Eileen Muldoon, Coogue. Month's Mind.
<b>Sunday 4 October:</b>	12noon	Nan McLoughlin, Ballindorris. 1st Anniv.
	7.30pm	Marese Dowdall, Carrowmore Meadows. Month's Mind.
<b>Monday 5 October:</b>	12noon	Murray Family. Anniv.
<b>Tuesday 6 October:</b>	7.30pm	Sr. Eileen O'Callaghan, Daughters of Charity. Anniv.
<b>Wed. 7 October:</b>	12noon	Austin and Mae Fleming, Cloonterriff.
<b>Thurs. 8 October:</b>	12noon	Martin Kelly, Cloonternane.
	7.30pm	James Cullinane, Churchfield. Anniv.
<b>Friday 9 October:</b>	12noon	Michael and Nora Biesty, Adrigoole. Anniv.
	7.30pm	Nancy Flatley, Carramore. Anniv.
<b>Sat. 10 October:</b>	12noon	Joan McLoughlin 1st Anniv and Tom McLoughlin 30th Anniv.
	12noon	Kathleen and Michael McLoughlin. Anniv.
	7.30pm	Tom Egan, Wingfield, Anniv. and his parents John and Bridget Egan, Cloonterriff.
<b>Sun. 11 October:</b>	12noon	Mass for Prisoners and their families.
<b>Shanvaghera:</b>		
<b>Sunday 4 October:</b>	10.00am	Ned, Nora and John Campbell.

## Saints celebrating their Feast Days during the coming week

<b>Tuesday 6 October:</b>	St. Bruno
<b>Friday 9 October:</b>	St. Denis, St. John Leonardi and St. John Henry Newman

## Family Rosary Crusade

- 1) Archbishop Eamonn Martin is asking families to pray the Rosary together for the month of October in what is called the Family Rosary Crusade.
- 2) On Saturday October 10th, the Hail Holy Queen Conference will be Live & Exclusive on Radio Maria Ireland, beginning with the Rosary from 12.30pm. Guest speakers include Dana, Marino Restrepo, Fr Damian Polly, Fr Ruairi O'Domhnaill, Fr Marius O'Reilly and more.
- 3) On Sunday October 11th the Rosary on the Coast for Life & Faith in Ireland will take place. This year we will again join in with many other countries from around the world. We will gather on our coasts, at our grottos, our churches, our river banks, our homes, or wherever we can..... to pray the Rosary safely together, at 2.30pm. Please do remember to observe Covid 19 guidelines. See [www.coastalrosaryireland.ie](http://www.coastalrosaryireland.ie) to see locations near you or to register a location.

## Eucharistic Ministers for October

Saturday 7.30 pm Sally Kelly, Bernie Byrne.  
Sunday 12noon Anne Byrne, Breda Johnston.  
7.30pm Yvonne Duffy, Ann Walsh.

## Glór 2020

Work is underway on the 2020 issue of Glór Achadh Mór magazine, the 32nd edition and as usual articles, photographs, memorabilia and ideas etc are all welcome. Please forward material to Joe Byrne Achadh Mór, Ballyhaunis or email [joebyrneaghamore2@gmail.com](mailto:joebyrneaghamore2@gmail.com). Once again October 31st is the deadline for submissions.

## NEW! - Knock Historical Group

If you are interested in localness, exploring our Parish townlands & villages in terms of who lived there in years gone by, local stories & happenings and explorations of the meaning of place names, you may have an interest in being part of this new group. For more information, contact Breda 086 3226494

## COVID-19 Support Line for Older People

ALONE manage a national support line and additional supports for older people who have concerns or are facing difficulties relating to the outbreak of COVID-19 (Coronavirus). Professional staff are available to answer queries and give advice and reassurance where necessary. The support line is open seven days a week, 8am - 8pm, by calling 0818 222 024.

## Certificate in Christian Leadership

The programme will introduce students to key ideas, concepts and principles that underpin the characteristic spirit or ethos of faith-based education. Among the topics to be included are the following: Jesus the Teacher; Nurturing Personal Faith and Spirituality; The Catholic School and Contemporary Culture; Leading and Managing a Catholic School in Ireland Today. The Certificate in Christian Leadership in Education will be taught in part-time mode, normally on Saturdays and is open to all involved in primary and second level education, especially teachers and others aspiring to roles of leadership or management in education. The next offering of this programme will commence on Saturday, February 6th, 2021. Info from: Dr. Eugene Duffy, Course Coordinator: [Eugene.duffy@mic.ul.ie](mailto:Eugene.duffy@mic.ul.ie)

## Across Ireland

there is a shortage of foster carers and loving homes for children and young people in care. We are looking to hear from you if you have a spare bedroom, are over 25 years of age and have lots of love and energy to help shape a young person's future and give them the stability that they need. We offer 24/7 support, a dedicated link worker to each family, a multidisciplinary team and all the training required. Please contact [www.orchardfostering.ie](http://www.orchardfostering.ie) or contact 01 6275713.

## Autumn 2020

Night Classes Westport College of Further Education'Classes commence on the week of the 5th October for both Certified and Hobby courses. Detailed information on [www.westportce.ie](http://www.westportce.ie) in the night class section or please call 098 50800.

## Outdoor Exercise Class for Seniors

on **Wednesdays, 11am-12noon, Riverside Drive, Knock**. Classes given by Mayo Sports Partnership using Activator Poles, and aims to support strengthening balance, mobility & loosening up the joints. In addition, a great opportunity to get out and meet others in a safe environment & to get some exercise. Gov Guidelines for Covid adhere to. More info, Contact Breda 086 3226494

## Develop your Computer Skills ...

enrol on a computer Information Technology & Office Skills course with Ability Enterprises, Ballindine. Applications are welcomed from

- unemployed persons in receipt of UA/UB and
- persons with a physical or sensory disability.

No computer experience necessary.

No Fees (must be registered with Dept. of Social Prot.). All courses are funded by the ETB. Students may be entitled to an ETB training allowance with the support of N.D.P. For information, please contact: 09493 64054 09493 85005; Email: [ability@iol.ie](mailto:ability@iol.ie)