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### Anniversary Masses:

This weekend:

**Baltinglass: 7.30pm:**

**Months Mind Mass of:**

*Joe Murphy, Almerstown / Irongrange*

**Anniversaries:**

*Patsy Burke, Belan St.*

*William Quinn, Main St.*

*Ann Kinsella, Tankardstown*

*Mary Hyland, Rathmoon*

*Noel Phelan, England and formerly of Rathmoon.*

*Johnny Donohoe, Tinoran*

*Eilzabeth Bollard, Lathaleer, formerly of Bawnogues*

*Elizabeth & Gerard Curry, Bawnogues*

*Josie Byrne, Main St*

*Elizabeth & Joe Byrne, Carrigeen*

*Pat O'Reilly, Bracknagh*

*Lily Hunt Cedron and Weaver Sq*

*Thomas Fogarty, 2 Parkmore also his brother*

*Patrick Fogarty and the deceased members of the Fogarty Family and Kathleen Gahan,*

*Weaver Sq*

*Matt O'Brien, Irongrange*

*Jim Byrne Weaver Sq*

*Matt O'Brien Irongrange*

*Julia O'Neill, Mountkelly/Lathaleer*

*John Byrne, Tuckmil and deceased members of the Byrne Family*

*Patrick Fleming, Shrughaun*

**Stratford: 6pm: (Sat)**

*Patsy Burke, Belan St.*

*William Dwyer, Gibraltar*

**Grangecon: 9.30am:**

*Johnny Donohoe, Tinoran*

### Weekend Mass Times

**Stratford: Saturday 6pm**

**Baltinglass: Saturday 7.30pm**

**Sunday 11am**

**Grangecon: Sunday 9.30am**

**Weekday Mass Times**

**Daily 10am: St. Paul's Oratory,**

**The Parish Centre, Baltinglass.**

**Confessions in St. Joseph's**

**Church after 10am**

**Saturday Mass.**

### Summer Collection for the Priest of the Parish

Please note that this envelope is in your box of envelopes now and can be dropped into the collection bags when you wish

**Thanks for your constant support**

We pray for

**Mary Brooker (nee Nolan)**

Tallaght and late of Lowtown, Grangecon who died during the week

**May she rest in peace Amen.**



**Sunday 4th July 2010.**

**Stratford: 6pm (Sat)**

**Baltinglass: 7.30pm (Sat)**

**11am (Sun)**

**Grangecon 9.30am (Sun)**

**Readers:**

Carmel Doyle

Michael Lawlor

Chris Murray

Margaret Kealy



**Eucharistic Ministers**

Jim Fanning

Bernie Doogue/Seamus Kelly

Catherine O'Neill/Fintan Doyle

Kay Moore



CEMETERY MASSES 2010:

**Rathbrann Cemetery Mass**

takes Place on Sunday 27th June @ 12pm.

**Knockpatrick Cemetery Mass**

takes place on Sunday 11th July @ 7pm.

**Baltinglass Cemetery Mass**

takes place in Baltinglass Cemetery on Sunday 1st August @ 7pm.

Those who live in The L ord never see each other for the last time.



Collectors in Baltinglass Church for Month of July 2010.

**Saturdays @ the 7.30pm Masses.**

**Main Aisle:** Matt O'Brien/Sean O'Reilly

**Lalor Centre Aisle:** Martin Donegan

**Convent Aisle:** Hugh Coogan

**Sundays @ 11am Masses.**

**Main Aisle:** Donal Kavanagh/Kevin O'Neill

**Lalor Centre Aisle:** Joey Fagan

**Convent Aisle:** John Burke

**Collectors in Grangecon Church for the month of July 2010**

Pat and Mary Nolan

**A Summary Report of Diocesan meetings in Response to the Papal Letter**

is on the noticeboard in all Churches in the Parish and can also be viewed on [www.kandle.ie](http://www.kandle.ie)

St. Anne's College of Further Education. Tullow Community School.

Enrolments are now taking place for the following day courses. One year advanced Business & Information Technology Course (Fetac Levels 5 & 6) One Year Business & Computer Retraining Course. Suitable for adults interested in learning or improving their knowledge of computers. VTOs Scheme & Maintenance Grants available for those who are eligible. Application forms & further information from school office on 059 91 51473.

Congratulations to **Tara Ovington & Stephen Robinson** whose marriage took place in **St. Joseph's Church, Baltinglass** on **Saturday 19th June 2010.**



**NEXT DATE FOR CLEANING BALTINGLASS CHURCH**  
**FRI DAY 2ND JULY 2010**

Baltinglass Lion's Club Adult Dance  
Takes place in Inis Fail on Friday 2nd July.  
Music by Brendan Lee Band. Admission \*8.

**Coach Tour to Scotland**  
**7th Sep. - 13th Sep**  
**contact Duffys 0596471681/ 0872543235**

The West Wicklow Historical Society. The next gathering will be an evening visit to Glendalough on Tues. 29 June. Summer evening excursions like this are usually informal and relaxed. This is more of a leisurely stroll, taking in the atmosphere of the monastic site. Peadar Cullen, WWHS committee member, will be on hand to point out some of the distinctive gravestones crafted by local stonemasons. Non-members and prospective members are very welcome to come along. The meeting place is the car park adjacent to the hotel @ 7pm.

### Baltinglass GAA Club.

Last Weeks Winning Numbers: 17,18,20,27



**Jackpot winner:** No Winner.

This week's Jackpot •**6,100**

**Match three winners:** Share • 300

**No Winners**

**Tickets •2 each.**

**Next draw in Judges Inn, Main St. on Monday 28th June**

An Naíonra

(Pre- School through Irish).

Chapel Hill, Baltinglass. Free Pre-School places available. Contact Maisie Farrell on 059 6481199 or Patricia Norton on 059/6481326.

Scoil Chonglais, Baltinglass Book Shop Opening Times 2010.

#### **First Year Students:**

Monday 28th June from 10am—2pm.

#### **Second Year Students:**

Tuesday 29th June from 10am—2pm.

#### **Third & Fifth Year Students:**

Wednesday 30th June from 10am—2pm.

**Rathvilly Ladies Football Team** would like to thank all the following businesses who supported them by donating a prize towards their raffle on Friday night. Table Quiz was a big success. Thank You to ; Kevin Corcoran, Flemings, Centra, Quinns, McGraths, Bia Blasta, Horans, O'Reillys and Treasa Kearney

Think Globally & Buy Locally. Vegetables for sale in the Tearmann Community Garden after Mass @ 10.30am on Tuesdays.

The Annual Review Magazine. The Communications Group are currently looking for articles to include in the 2010 edition of their magazine. If you have any articles or photographs which might be of interest to them, drop them into the Parish Office. Alternatively you can email them to the Parish Office on admin@baltinglassparish.ie or Fax articles to 059/ 6451529. As part of the Review Magazine, photographs of Weddings that have taken place during the past year are included. If there are any parishioners whose wedding took place outside the Parish, e.g. abroad or in another Parish during the year & they would like their photograph included please send a very good quality photo to the Parish Office by email or directly to the Parish Office.

Baltinglass Town Boy's Soccer Club AGM

Will take place on Monday 28th June @ 8pm in the Parish Centre, Baltinglass. All are welcome.

Music and Barbecue in Moor's Pub, Grangecon on Sat 3rd July 7pm - 9pm

#### Music By Sean Mullins

The recent Book Sale which was held upstairs at Quinns Main St., realised •533. A cheque for this amount has been presented to The Patients Comfort Fund at Baltinglass Hospital

#### NEWSLETTER

Items of information for the newsletter may be phoned, faxed or emailed to the Parish Office on (059/ 6481254) Fax: 059/ 6451529 admin@baltinglassparish.ie before 12 noon on Thursdays

#### OPENING HOURS

Monday - Friday 9.30am -1.00pm  
1.30pm - 2.30pm

# Baltinglass Grangecon Stratford & Bigstone Newsletter

13th Sunday in Ordinary Time

27th June 2010

**'Your duty is to go and spread the news of the Kingdom of God' The Gospel**

This is the time of year for holidays and so many people want to get away from the usual daily routine and familiar surroundings.

Almost every day someone asks me where am I going. The truth is I don't want to go anywhere.

Today's Gospel tells us our duty is 'to go and spread the news of the Kingdom of God'. This kingdom--the way of God-- is a journey, growing a bit each day towards wholeness in ourselves, which is the fullness of the Kingdom of God. Jesus was a Whole Person. We spread this news by living from our being, from that place in us which is all good and wholesome.

I need to take time each day to recollect myself, to gather all the fragments, to return to my own centre. This is easier and more natural for some people than for others... and just now I hear the church bell ringing... calling each of us to recollection, prayer and silence, a quietness of mind , a stillness of the body, a prayerful silence.

Many of us can spread the good news not by words but by being a quiet presence wherever we go. Sometimes that's all another person needs - someone to sit with them saying little or nothing - the communication may be deeper than many words we think are necessary. Indeed it is wonderful to take a few minutes holiday every now and again wherever you are 'Thy Kingdom come..!'

A.S.

#### DATES FOR YOUR DIARY 2010.

#### BAPTISMS:

St Joseph's Church, Baltinglass:  
Sunday 4th July @ 11.45.  
Sunday 1st August @ 11.45.  
Sunday 5th Sept @ 11.45

