

### Baltinglass GAA Club.

Last Weeks Winning .

Numbers: 19,21,26,27

**Jackpot winner: No winner.**

**This Week's Jackpot** €3,800

**Match three winners:** €150 each.

Alice McLoughlin, Newtown & Helen Farrell, Englishtown, Kiltegan.

**Next Draw** on in Harbourne's Pub, Main Street, Baltinglasson Tuesday 2nd August 2011. Tickets €2.

**Play online** [www.localotto.ie](http://www.localotto.ie)



### Stratford/Grangecon

#### GAA Lotto Results.

Last Weeks Winning

Numbers: 08, 16, 23, 24.

**Jackpot winner: No winner**

**This Week's Jackpot** €8,500.

**Match three winners:** €75 each.

Ned O'Keeffe & Eamon Reynolds.

**Sellers Prize:** Burke's Newsagents.

Next draw in Stratford Arm's Pub, on Tuesday, 2nd August. Lotto results can be viewed on-line [stratford.wicklow.gaa.ie](http://stratford.wicklow.gaa.ie)



### Family Fun Day

In aid of Baltinglass Town Boys' Soccer Club, on Sunday 31st July, in The Park. Lots of activity for all the family. All are welcome.

### A golf classic

In aid of Children's Hospital, Crumlin, will be held on August 5th at Killerig Golf Club. Excellent prizes, nearest the pin on all par 3's. Longest drive for Ladies & Gents. €160 per team of 4 including meal. Please support this very worthy cause. For tee times please contact: Ger Gethings on 086 3233099, Peg Malone 087 6166131 or Pam Nolan 087 6320202.

### Change of venue for

Active Retired Coffee Morning. August Coffee morning will be held in Germaines, starting on August 5th.

### Supervisory Management For Healthcare Managers

**An Bord Altranais Category 1 Approved.**

The course aims to support the current HIQA philosophy that "A Manager of a residential service is the person with responsibility for the day-to-day running of the centre. This person needs to be an appropriately skilled member of staff suitable to the responsibilities of the role". **Units covered will include:** Supervisory Management, Operational Planning, Team Leadership and Organisational Skills. **Venue: Lyrath Hotel, Kilkenny.**

Dates: Oct 22nd 29th Nov 12th 19th 26th

**Time: 9.30 am to 4.30 am. Cost: €595.**

Lunch and Refreshments provided. Learners will achieve a FETAC Level 6 Certificate in Supervisory Management on completion and submission of assignments. Barrow Training and Consultancy, Bagenalstown,

T: 059 9721416

### Danny's Corner.

We raised a total of €1,200 from the Head shave on the 8th July in Grangecon. This money was shared with Holy Angels Play School, Carlow & was presented to them last Wednesday by Myles Keogh. We hope to send a photo of this to the Wicklow people & Carlow Nationalist for next week.

### Very Reliable Student seeking work

for the month of August. Anything considered. House Work, Babysitting, etc. Please phone or text 085 15 41 922.

### NEWSLETTER.

Items for inclusion in the newsletter must be received **BEFORE 12 NOON ON THURS-DAYS.** Items may be phoned, faxed or emailed to the Parish Office. Please include your name & contact details. **The Parish Office Opening hours are: Monday to Friday: 9.30a.m — 1.00pm & 1.30pm — 2.30pm.**

Newsletter



*Baltinglass, Bigstone,  
Stratford & Grangecon*

18th Sunday in Ordinary Time.

31st July 2011.

'The breaking of loaves.' Today's Gospel.

I love going to the bakery section in the supermarket to look at the variety of breads on offer, firstly greeted by the fantastic smell and then by the feast of creativity on display.

Bail ó Dhia ar an obair.

Well, today's gospel is about "the breaking of loaves". This is a story symbolic of how Jesus himself is broken and shared among us - a broken humanity. We celebrate this when we attend the Eucharist as we relive the gospel story over and over. Yes, it's going on continually Jesus — our Bread, our spiritual food is continually dying and resurrecting in us. He is brought to us in a special way as we share communion together, yes, we are all on the common ground of God's love.

We live this Eucharist or continue living this Eucharist as we meet other people and connect with them, maybe sharing stories, a greeting, a wave, a smile, reaching out to those in need, our sharing - listening and compassion, creating a sacred space with others.

We too, like Jesus need to withdraw to a 'lonely' place to reflect compose and centre ourselves, to meditate. The more people that meditate the better our society will become. Just imagine we can help raise the level of consciousness on the planet..... and just now I here the donkey braying... Bail ó Dhia ar an obair. -

### Baptisms -Baltinglass Church 2011.

Sunday 7th August @ 11.45.a.m.

Sunday 4th September @ 11.45a.m.

**Parish Team:**

Fr. Tommy Dillon 059 - 648 2768, Srs. Brigid & Carmel 059 - 648 1561, Parish Office 059 - 648 1254.  
Fax 059 6481529—Email: admin@baltinglassparish.ie

**Next Weekends Mass Times and Ministers - 6th & 7th August.**

**Ministers of the Word:**

**Baltinglass:** 6pm:(Sat) Nancy Hughes  
11am:(Sun) Chris Murray  
**Stratford:** 9.30am (Sun) Brigid Bollard



**Eucharistic Ministers:**

**Baltinglass:** 6pm (Sat) Phil O'Connor/Mary Leigh/Michael Lennon  
11am: (Sun) Nancy Hughes/Catherine Lord  
**Stratford :** 9.30am (Sun) Kay Halstead



**This Weekend:**

**Baltinglass: 6p.m.**  
**Months Mind Mass**

Elizabeth (Betty) Gorman, Clough  
**Anniversaries:**  
Jack Plant, Parkmore  
James Moore, 4, Manger, Stratford  
Michael & May Lalor, Mill Street &  
their son Dick & their daughter May

Jack Murphy, Carrigeen  
Matthew Dowling, Tuckmill  
Peader & Kitty Farrell, Raheen  
Ann Barry, 5, Parkmore  
Lar Cullen, Rathbran & London  
Annie Barrett, Ballinatone  
Bridget Byrne, Main Street  
Joseph Murphy, Main Street  
Richard O'Neill, Oldtown.  
Mary T. Quinn, Main Street  
Paddy O'Shea, Weaver Square  
**Grangecon: Sun. 9.30a.m.**  
John O'Riordan, Rathtoole  
Eileen Doody, Portersize



**Weekend Mass Times.**

**Baltinglass: Saturday 6pm & Sunday 11am.**  
**Weekly Confessions after 6pm Mass on**  
**Saturday.**

**Stratford & Grange Con**  
**Every Second Sunday @ 9.30am.**  
**Mass in Stratford next weekend.**

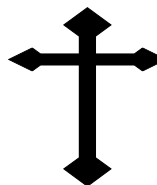
**Weekday Mass Times**  
**Daily 10am in St. Paul's Oratory, the**  
**Parish Centre, Baltinglass.**

**Baltinglass Cemetery Mass**

in Baltinglass Cemetery  
on Sunday 31st July @ 7pm.

**Grotto/Nuns' Cemetery.**

Vigil Mass—Feast of the  
Assumption. 14th August @ 6pm.



Congratulations to

**Pamela Burke, Tuckmill**  
**& Dean Mann, Blackmore,**  
Who were married in  
St. Mary's Church, Stratford  
on **Saturday 23rd July 2011.**



**To all who are sick in the parish at this**  
**time. May God bless them.**

We pray for  
**Owen Byrne,**  
Chelsea in London  
& formerly of Clough,  
who has died recently.  
**May he rest in peace.**



**Newsletter now available on [www.baltinglassparish.ie](http://www.baltinglassparish.ie)**

**Diocesan web site: [www.kandle.ie](http://www.kandle.ie)**

**Summer Collection for our Priest & the**  
**Supply Priests of the Parish.**

Please note that this envelope is in your Box of  
Envelopes now & can be dropped into the col-  
lection bags when you wish. Spare Envelopes  
are available at the back of the three Churches.

**We welcome into our Christian Community**  
**through the Sacrament**  
**of Baptism during the**  
**month of July 2011.**

Noah Frank Doyle  
Niall Aran O'Connell.  
Emma Anna Whittle.  
Alfie Paul Smith.



**Used Stamps.**

Never throw away a used stamp. Save it for  
the Missions. Tear it off with a half inch  
margin around the stamp. It is bulk that  
counts but single stamps make the bulk.  
(St. Patrick's, Kiltegan, Co. Wicklow).  
Please leave your used stamps into the  
Parish Office.

**The Collectors in Baltinglass for August :**  
**Saturdays @ 6p.m.**

**Main Aisle:** Noel Kennedy  
**Main Aisle:** Pat Gahan  
**Convent Aisle:** Seamie Leigh  
**Lalor Aisle:** Charley Shortt

**Sundays @ 11a.m.:**

**Main Aisle:** Seamus O'Reilly  
**Main Aisle:** Brendan O'Neill  
**Convent Aisle:** Kevin Kelly  
**Lalor Aisle:** Joe Kinsella

**Pilgrimage to Medjugorje.**

Departs Dublin on August 20th until 27th. Half  
board €629. Contact Mary Brennan on

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**Baltinglass Classic Car & Motorcycle**

**Run** Organised by West Wicklow Classic &  
Vintage Vehicle Club, takes place on Sunday  
Aug 7th. The run is open to all Classic Cars,  
Motorcycles, Commercial & all interesting,  
unusual or sports vehicles. The event will be  
based in Germaine's, Baltinglass & will cover  
a route of about 40 miles, with a stop off mid-  
way, & return to Germaine's for a meal &  
prize giving etc. There will be something to  
keep the children & passengers amused & a  
free draw for all entrants as well as a thank  
you token for every entry. This event is in aid  
of a very deserving local charity & costs €20  
including meal. We are asking for your sup-  
port. The local business community were  
generous in their sponsorship of last years  
event & again we ask for your valued support.  
For information phone 087 6863602 or email  
[wvcvc@baltinglasstown.com](mailto:wvcvc@baltinglasstown.com)

See our website

**School Uniforms**

Available for Scoil Naomh Iosaf &  
Scoil Chonglais upstairs at Quinn's,  
Main Street, Baltinglass. Special  
Offers.

**Senior Citizens Annual**  
**Summer Party.**

In Baltinglass Golf Club on  
Tuesday 9th August at 5p.m.

**THIS IS YOUR INVITATION**

**REVIEW 2012**

The communications Group would  
like to invite you to search out old  
photos & articles of interest for this  
years **magazine**. You can email them  
or drop them into the Parish Office.  
Many thanks for all your support over  
the past years.

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