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## MASS

St. Joseph's Church  
Tues. - Fri. 10am  
Sat. 6pm / Sun. 11am  
Available on Webcam  
& Radio 100.2fm

### CHURCHES OPEN FOR MASS COVID-19 REGULATIONS APPLY

**MAXIMUM PEOPLE  
ALLOWED IN CHURCH**

Baltinglass 80  
Grangecon 50 — Stratford 35

MAN MASTER SIMON  
ASCENDING HOLY WAY  
ACCEPT MANY  
SPIRIT BELIEVE  
PETER SON  
**MESSAGE**  
BETRAY TWELVE SPIRIT  
SPOKEN RESULT FATHER LEAVE  
GOD ACCOMPANIED  
CONVINCED

### WE REMEMBER

#### RECENT DEATHS

Dinah Bradley, Edward Street

#### MONTHS MIND

Kathleen Duffy Higgins, Mill Street & London

#### ANNIVERSARIES

Bertie McDermott, Frankstown, Dunshaughlin  
Michael (Mick) Kavanagh, Carrigeen  
Margaret Lalor, Swords & Irongrange & all  
deceased members of the Lalor & Doyle Families  
Maggie Murphy, Seskin, Donard  
Joe Whelan, Holdenstown  
John, P.J. & Roy Fox  
Agnes Gorman, Holdenstown  
Patrick & Annie Humphries, Shroughaun  
Michael & Eileen O'Brien, Tuckmill  
Patrick & Bridie Cullen, Raheen  
Patricia Cullen, Castledermot Road, & Raheen  
Anthony & Josephine Twyford, Rathmoon  
Molly Burke, Carrigeen  
Mary Finegan, Dublin & Baltinglass

#### Grangecon: Sunday 9.30am

Noel Moore, Grangecon  
John McGeer, Knockrigg, Grangecon  
Tony Harte, Barronstown & Dublin  
Emma Kehoe, Barronstown

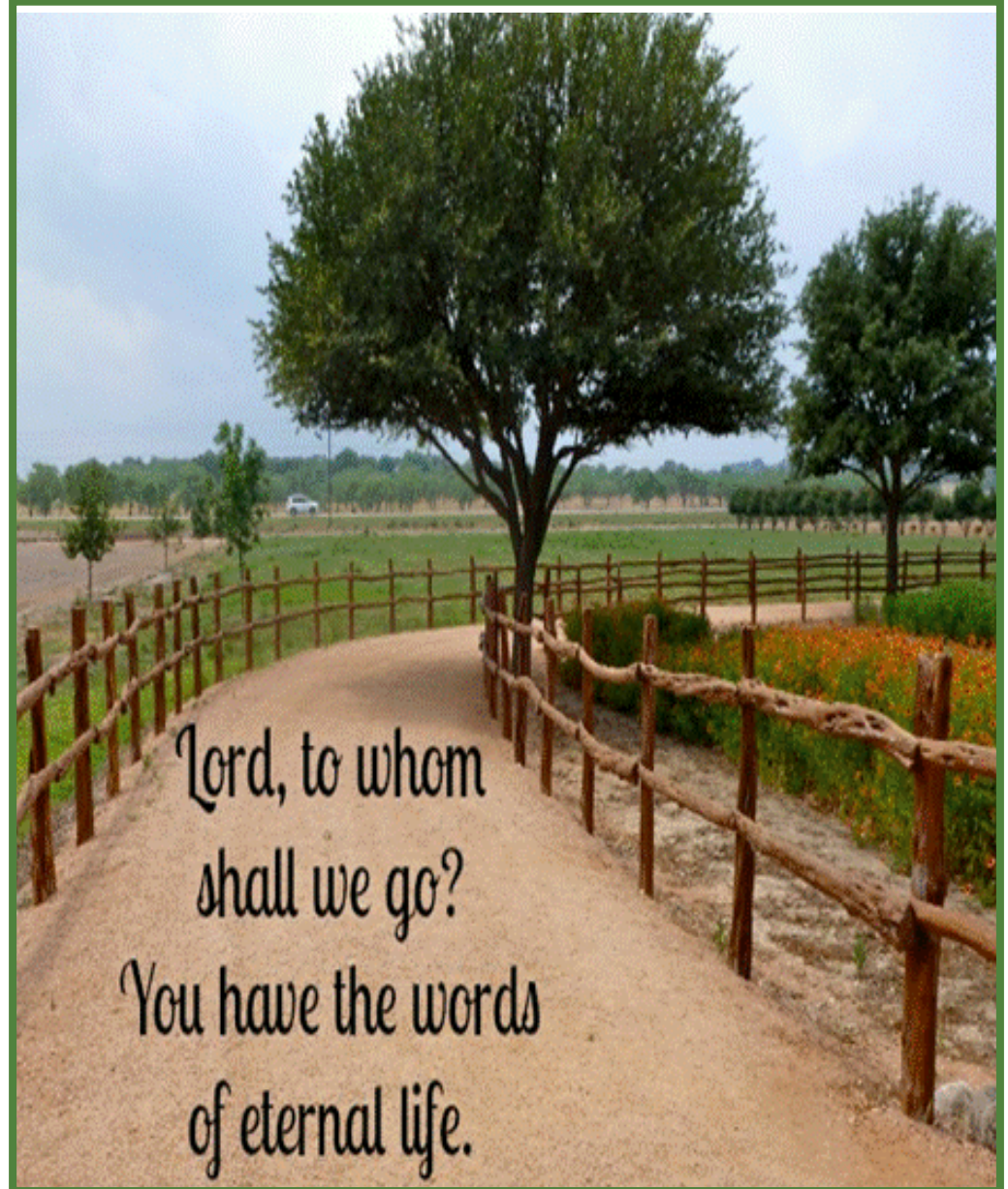
*Rest in  
Peace*

BALTINGLASS - BIGSTONE - GRANGECON - STRATFORD

# PARISH NEWSLETTER

21st Sunday in Ordinary Time

22nd August 2021







## RADIO MARIA IRELAND

Saorview - Channel 210  
Stream on [www.radiomaria.ie](http://www.radiomaria.ie)  
By phone (01) 437 3277 (no extra charges apply)  
FREE APP - "RADIO MARIA IRELAND"

## PARISH OFFICE OPENING HOURS

**Mon. Wed. & Fri.** 9.30am to 1pm  
**Tues. & Thurs.** 9.30am to 1pm  
& 1.30pm to 2.30pm

## MALE ADVICE LINE

The National Male Advice Line offers confidential advice and support to Male victims of domestic violence and abuse over the phone. This Service is also available to family and friends who may have concerns for a loved one and are seeking some guidance on how to help them. Tel: 1800-816 588.



Society of St Vincent de Paul

## BALTINGLASS BRANCH

If you wish to donate to St. Vincent de Paul (Baltinglass) to support families in our community who are in need, please use the following:

### ACCOUNT NUMBER:

8447 8860

### SORT CODE:

90 65 07

### IBAN:

IE24 BOFI 9065 0784 4788 60

## BALTINGLASS GAA LOTTO

Last Week's Winning Numbers  
01, 03, 20, 21

No Jackpot Winner

This week's jackpot: **€5000**

**7 Match 3 Winners share €300**

Liam McLoughlin, Thomas Wafer,  
Derek Nolan, Mark Staines, Aoibhinn  
Mullally, Julia O'Neill & Noreen Cullen

## STRATFORD/GRANGECON

### GAA LOTTO

Last Week's Winning Numbers  
05, 17, 19, 25

No Jackpot Winner

This week's jackpot: **€8,750**

**Match 3 Winner €250**

Biddy Curran

**Sellers Prize:** Colette Bollard

## Invitation to Sign Global Catholic Petition

As one way of marking the Season of Creation 2021, the Vatican Dicastery for Integral Human Development is asking Catholics across the world to sign the 'Healthy Planet Healthy People' petition. This petition comes ahead of the UN conferences taking place this autumn on biodiversity and on climate change. The petition can be signed at [www.thecatholicpetition.org](http://www.thecatholicpetition.org) This link also provides resources to help promote the petition.



## CONGRATULATIONS

To all our candidates on receiving the gift of the Holy Spirit in Confirmation. We pledge our continued support to these young people as they grow in faith.



## PARISH PILGRIMAGE TO MEDJUGORJE

**Wednesday 6th—13th October Cost €765**

**Dublin to Medjugorje return. Half Board.**

**For information contact:**

**Parish Office 059 64 81 254, Fr. Ger 087 629 8881**

**Andy Murphy 087 09 00 819**

## THE LOUGH DERG PILGRIM PATH

on the lough shore is open daily. The full route is a 12km loop, with a shorter 8km option, and several information boards highlight features of particular interest. Leaflets are available at the Visitors Centre. Further dates for these guided walks will follow for late August and early September. For bookings and further information email [info@loughderg.org](mailto:info@loughderg.org) or telephone 0(0353) 71 9861518.  
[www.loughderg.org](http://www.loughderg.org)

## 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. Professional staff are available to answer queries and give advice and reassurance where necessary. Open seven days a week, 8am - 8pm. Phone 0818 222 024.

## TEARMANN COMMUNITY GARDEN

### Vegetables for Sale

Lettuce, onions, shallots,  
cabbage, spinach,

### Herbs in Pots

Mon. to Fri. 9am—12 noon.



## KARE

## PROMOTING INCLUSION

For people with Intellectual Disabilities

### VACANCIES

**KARE Community Employment Programme**

Support Workers required for 19.5 hours  
per week in BALTINGLASS, TINAHELY &  
BLESSINGTON

### No experience necessary.

Accredited training will be provided -  
Funded by DSP. Applicants must be over  
21 and in receipt of a qualifying Irish social  
welfare payment for one year or more.  
A genuine interest in working with adults  
with intellectual disabilities, to work as  
part of a team and motivation to study  
are required. Please contact your local  
DEASP/Intreo office to check eligibility.  
Informal enquiries to **Elaine 045 448700**  
Vacancies on Jobs Ireland.

## COMMUNITY CONNECT

### Is Here To Offer You Some Help

Are you pregnant or recently had a baby?  
Are you struggling to get the essentials for  
your baby? Do you need practical  
assistance: We can help with essential  
things like baby clothes, nappies, blankets  
and even some larger pre-loved items such  
as buggies (if available). If you or some-  
one you know is in need, please contact us:  
by phone 085 875 8366 or Clicking "Access  
Support" at [www.communityconnect.ie](http://www.communityconnect.ie).