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

NEWSLETTER

Articles for the newsletter must be received before 12 noon on Thursday. Articles can be emailed or left into the Parish Office. They must include your name & contact details.

PARISH OFFICE OPENING HOURS

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

SUNDAY MASS:	GRANGECON	STRATFORD
November:	14/28	7/21
December:	12/26	5/19

WE REMEMBER

<u>RECENT DEATHS</u> Thomas (Thos) O'Hara, Raheen

MONTHS MIND Willie Cullen, Newtown Saunders Joey Fagan, 39 Parkmore

ANNIVERSARIES

Yani Athanasiou, Beirut, Lebanon Fintan Murtagh, Kilcullen Winnie, Dan & Fergus Moore & all deceased members of the Moore family, Woodfield Nora, Mena & Jim Gethings, Parkmore Thomas O'Hara, Raheen James (Jimmy) Doyle, Clough Mae Sleator, Barronstown Bridie & Eamon Doyle, the Rocks & Athlone Harry & Lizzy Barrett, 10 Shrughaun John & Mary Cooney & Bridget Hallissey, Enniscorthy & England Ignatz Graf Von Westerholt, Kilranelagh House Bridie Cullen, Rathbran, Grangecon Annie Byrne, Barronstown Andy Kehoe, Clough Anastasia Doyle, Graney Seán Connors, Shroughaun John Doody, Hartstown Tony Leigh, 1 Allendale James Alcock, Parkmore Stratford 9.30am: Mary Whelan, The Rocks, Grangecon

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PARISH NEWSLETTER

32nd Sunday in Ordinary Time

7th November 2021

A TIME FOR REMEMBERING

This November let us remember those who have lived and loved, those who have left us a blessed heritage: Let us remember the light-filled ones who enkindled our spirits with their influence and the spark of their beliefs. Let us remember **the vulnerable ones** who allowed us to care for them, allowed us to be with them in their time of need. Let us remember the faith-filled ones who led us by word and example into a deeper relationship with God. Let us remember the brave ones who walked through their struggles with hope, who taught us how to trust. Let us remember the great lovers of life whose humour and enthusiasm lifted our spirits and brought us joy. Let us remember the nurturers who gave us birth physically or spiritually, who gave us support by their caring presence.



RADIO MARIA IRELAND

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

SAVE THE DATE!

Baltinglass Fairtrade Group are holding a Fairly Traded Christmas Market on **20th Nov.** from 10am to 3pm in The Courthouse. Fairly traded crafts, demonstrations on wreath making, sustainable gift wrapping and tips to avoid Food waste will be some of the attractions and all served with Free Fairtrade Refreshments! More details to follow!!

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

WEST WICKLOW HISTORICAL SOCIETY

The 11th *Journal* of the West Wicklow Historical Society is bursting at the seams. The place to get it hot off the press is at Baltinglass Golf Club at 8pm on Thursday 11th November. All are welcome, but admission will be in accordance with government and HSE guidelines. Tea/coffee served, while journals will be available to purchase.

STRATFORD/GRANGECON GAA LOTTO

Last Week's Winning Numbers 09, 14, 15, 23 No Jackpot Winner This week's jackpot: €11,500 2 Match 3 Winners - €125 each Ger McGeer & Ann Faulkner Sellers Prize: Maurice Mangan

BALTINGLASS GAA LOTTO

Last Week's Winning Numbers 04, 05, 15, 20 No Jackpot Winner This Week's Jackpot €7,200 6 Match 3 Winners- share €300 Mary Leigh, Paula Doyle, Bridie Doyle, Ben Doran, Jack Tobin & G. Bishop

CAR DRAW

Don't forget to get your ticket for our Development draw to be in with a chance to win a brand new car. Tickets are available from any committee member or in Patterson's shop or via the club website www.baltinglassgaa.wicklow.gaa.ie/ Pages/Car-Draw.aspx



Will speak at all Masses next weekend about their missionary work and will be asking for your financial help.
A collection on the way out from Mass will take place.
Your support would be appreciated.

November is All Souls Month When We Pray for HE FOULD HE

Our Annual Mass of Remembrance, when we remember with love & gratitude all our loved ones, especially those who died in the past year, will be celebrated on Tuesday 23rd November in St. Joseph's Church at 7.30pm.

IN NOVEMBER WE REMEMBER

STRATFORD/GRANGECON DEVELOPMENT

Cafe/Shop Project Fundraiser

Thanks to all who supported and helped at our HALLOWEEN EVENT last Saturday, especially those little ones who dared enter the Haunted Maze! Thanks also to Hangry Hot Dogs, Kelly's Coffee Trailer, Claire Earley's Candy Floss and Popcorn stall and our eerie music provider! All helped to make a magical evening. Thank you all so much. The Project appreciates the very necessary funds raised as I don't have a correct sum just yet. For our next exciting event please watch this space !!!

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.

DONARD GLEN COMMUNITY TALENT SHOW

in Donard Community Hall Saturday 20th November 2021. All proceeds are in aid of Donard Community Hall and Baltinglass Hospital. Tickets €5 at the door. For more details phone Edward on 087 877 7580. **Don't Miss it!**

TRÓCAIRE Emergency appeal



OVER 30 MILLION PEOPLE ACROSS EAST AFRICA ARE STRUGGLING TO SURVIVE A DEVASTATING HUNGER CRISIS

COLLECTION AT MASSES THIS WEEKEND

IF YOU HAVE NOT COME PREPARED TO MAKE A CONTRIBUTION YOU CAN DO SO DURING THE WEEK BY LEAVING A DONATION INTO THE PARISH OFFICE.

YOUR SUPPORT WILL BE APPRECIATED

COVID-19 UPDATE

'Religious services can proceed without capacity limits but with all other protective measures remaining in place.'

At present there is some ambiguity with this statement. For the time being we ask people to continue to sanitise their hands, wear face covering and respect social distancing.



BEST OF LUCK TO BALTINGLASS IN TODAY'S SENIOR FOOTBALL FINAL