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BALTINGLASS - BIGSTONE - GRANGECON - STRATFORD

PARISH NEWSLETTER

FOURTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME 9TH JULY 2023



MASSES
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 by
12 noon on Thursdays.

PARISH OFFICE OPENING HOURS

Mon. Wed. & Fri. 9.30am - 1.00pm
Tues. & Thurs. 9.30am - 1.00pm
1.30pm - 2.30pm

VISIT BALTINGLASS PARISH WEBSITE

For Weekly Newsletter, Information,
to make a donation etc.
www.baltinglassparish.ie

SUNDAY MASSES

	<u>GRANGECON</u>	<u>STRATFORD</u>
July:	23	16/30
August:	6/20	13/27

WE REMEMBER

RECENT DEATH

Patrick O'Reilly, formerly Bramble Court

MONTHS MIND

Trevor O'Hanlon, Newtown Saunders
Ann Nolan, Moneymore, Grangecon

ANNIVERSARIES

Anthony Foster, 1 Parkmore
Denis, Teresa & Rose Hayden and the deceased
members of the Hayden Family
Julia Smyth, Ballyraggan
Marcella Murray, Main Street, Baltinglass
Paschal and Marie Dunne, Belan Street
James Moore, Coolinarrig, Tuckmill
David Deans, Carrigeen
Des Doyle, 26 Parkmore
Lorcan O'Brien, Carrigeen
Pat Fitzgerald, 47 Parkmore
Mary F Heffernan, Eadestown
Rita Dunne, Belan Street

Grangecon Sunday 9.30am

Months Mind

Ann Nolan, Moneymore, Grangecon

Anniversaries

Ita Germaine Mills, Perth, Australia & Grangecon
Annie Harte, Barronstown

*Rest in
Peace*

Today is my gift to you! Celebrate you!

You are worth celebrating. You are worth everything.

You are unique. In the whole world there is only one you.

There is only one person with your talents,
with your experience and with your gifts.

No one can take your place.

God created only one you & you are precious in God's sight.

You have immense potential to love, to care, to create,
to grow, if you believe in yourself.

It doesn't matter what you have been, the wrong you've
done, the mistakes you've made, the people you've hurt.

You are forgiven. You are accepted. You are okay.

You are loved in spite of everything.

So love yourself and nourish the seeds within you.

Celebrate you. Begin now. Start now.

Today is the most important day.

You are you and that is all you need to be.

Today is a gift given freely.

That is the miracle called God who loves you.

So celebrate the miracle and celebrate you!

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CEMETERY MASSES 2023

Baltinglass Cemetery
Sunday 6th August 3pm
Grotto/Nuns' Cemetery



UPKEEP OF CEMETERY

People are encouraged to tend to their graves in preparation for these Masses. We appreciate the work of CE participants. It is important that we all make an effort at having the cemetery looking good and respectful of our deceased.

PETER'S PENCE COLLECTION

Peter's Pence Collection is a papal fund that supports the Pope's charity and the activity of the universal Church. Contributions may be made at this time.
ENVELOPES IN YOUR BOX FOR THIS



BALTINGLASS & DISTRICT ACTIVE RETIREMENT

Weekly Coffee Morning on Fridays at 11am in the following venues:-

July: Horans
August: Golf Club
Sept: Bia Blasta
October: Germaines



On Wednesday 26th July at 3pm, weather permitting, members are invited to gather for a **Picnic** in Tearmann Gardens. You are requested to kindly bring along your own basket of goodies, eats, drinks and mugs.

STRATFORD/GRANGECON GAA

LOTTO



Winning Numbers
01, 05, 19, 26
No Jackpot Winner



3 Match 3 Winners €70 each
John Bollard, Patti Hegarty, Pamela Barrett
Sellers Prize: Brian Byrne
This week's Jackpot: €5,100

BALTINGLASS GAA LOTTO



Winning Numbers
02, 09, 12, 21
No Jackpot Winner



6 Match 3 Winners €50 each
Fiona Keogh, Mary Anne Fleming,
Assumpta O'Neill, Maria Walsh,
Sean Buggy, Madge Tyrrell

This week's Jackpot: € 9,200



**UNDER MARY'S
MANTLE**

Young Adult Conference



BUY TICKETS

ALL HALLOWS COLLEGE, DCU D09 N920

Join us for talks, workshops, mass, guided holy hours, and great socialising!

BUY TICKETS ON EVENTBRITE.

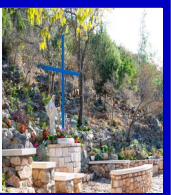
TWO DAY RATE €60, SATURDAY RATE €40, SUNDAY RATE €30.

OVERNIGHT RATES AVAILABLE, CALL 085 144 2423.

PARISH PILGRIMAGE TO MEDJUGORJE

Wednesday 30th Aug to 6th Sept. 2023

Dublin to Medjugorje return. Half Board. Cost: €795
For information contact: Parish Office 059 64 81 254,
Fr. Ger 087 629 8881, Andy Murphy 087 09 00 819



Pioneer Pilgrimage to Knock

Sunday 16th July

Mass at 3pm with Anointing of the Sick beforehand at 2:30pm.
Newsletters & Emblems available at PTA stand in St John's Rest & Care Centre or via www.pioneers.ie

WICKLOW & KILDARE MENTAL HEALTH SERVICE

Counselling & Psychotherapy.

For bookings contact: Luba O Neill

Phone: 089 2744920 or Email:

info@wicklowandkildarementalhealth.ie
Aran Centre, Blessington, Co. Wicklow.



TEARMANN COMMUNITY GARDEN

Sales in the Garden

Monday to Friday:
8 to 11.30am.

Four types of Lettuce, Scallions, Shallots, Radish, Rhubarb, Herbs, Eggs and some strawberries. All Organic.

Garden open daily during daylight hours on-

DANNY'S CORNER

Huge congratulations to Eoin O'Malley, Artist. One of his paintings has been selected to be displayed in the Mermaid Art Centre, Wicklow. The exhibition is called "Mermaid is 21" and will be well worth a visit as there will be up to eighty other artist's pieces on display also.



RETRACING THE FOOTSTEPS OF ST BRIGID AND ST CONLETH

An 8km walk on the Curragh Plains led by Bishop Nulty on Saturday 29th July.

The walk begins at St Anne's School, The Curragh at 12noon and concludes with a Prayer Service in St Brigid's Church, Kildare at 4pm. Refreshments will be available.

To register for the walk please contact Aras Bhríde on 045-521352 or email kildareparish@gmail.com

World Day for Grandparents & Elderly

Sunday 23rd July

The National Grandparents Pilgrimage celebrating this day in Knock Shrine will be led by Bishop Nulty. The Anointing of the Sick is at 2.30pm with Mass at 3pm.
Families from the diocese are encouraged to travel.



"Our insistence that each human being is an image of God should not make us overlook the fact that each creature has its own purpose. None is superfluous. The entire material universe speaks of God's love, his boundless affection for us. Soil, water, mountains: everything is, as it were, a caress of God." #84