

PARISH PRIEST

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Weekly Parish Bulletin – 28th April 2024 LOUGHGILLY PARISH ANNIVERSARIES:

Saturday 27th April - St Malachy's @ 7.00pm Mary & Tommy Mackin Sunday 28th April – St Brigid's @ 10.00am Colm Murphy 1st Anniversary Sunday 5th May - St Brigid's @ 10.00am Kathleen O'Callaghan & DM Sunday 5th May - St Teresa's @ 11.30am Sr Teresa Quinn 1st Anniversary Kathleen Deighan & DM

PARISH OFFICE CHANGES The Parish Office will be closed this coming

Tuesday 30th April.

PARISH COLLECTIONS

21st April – Main Collection 118 Envelopes - £1476.78 Trocaire Total – £2727.99



Mass will take place at 10am in St Brigid's Church this coming Friday Morning. Fr Murphy will visit those on his sick list this coming Tuesday and Wednesday Mornings after Mass.

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION VENUE CHANGE

Due to St Laurence O'Toole's Church being closed, and St Brigid's Church not having sufficient capacity for the 30 Children, due to receive First Holy Communion, the Ceremony will take place in St Malachy's Church Ballymoyer for St Brigid's and St Laurence O'Toole's pupils. Date and time will remain unchanged. St Teresa's and St Malachy's are not affected by this change.

BLESSING OF GRAVES

Saturday 25th May 2024 - St Malachy's Church @ 7.00pm Sunday 26th May 2024 – St Laurence O'Toole's @10.00am Sunday 26th May 2024 - St Teresa's Church @ 11.30am

EMERGENCY SICK CALLS

In the event of an emergency sick call for those living at home, Parishioners should contact the Parochial House. For those who are in hospital, you should ask the Ward Sister to contact the Chaplain. Pastoral Area contact number in case of being unable to contact me are:

> Cullyhanna – Canon Toner – 02830861235 Crossmaglen – Fr Maloney – 02830861208

Parish of Loughgilly

The Mission of Loughgilly Parish Pastoral Council is ... "To be aware of our Parish needs, bringing together God's people to enrich and develop our faith, so that we may reflect the image of a true disciple of Christ".



The Month of May is dedicated to Our Lady. This year the Parish invite families to connect with Mary and honour Her in a special way.



Rosary will take place at Churches every day in May. $1^{st} - 3^{rd}$ May Rosary will be prayed after morning Mass. Sat 4th – Friday 10th at 8pm in St Teresa's Church Tullyherron led by our Lourdes group.

May Altars were a regular place withing all Irish Homes throughout the years and so we invite you to bring back this tradition. Please send us an image of your May Altar and we will share it on our Facebook Page to inspire others to do the same! #mayaltar

Pick Up Locations

(St Killan's, GAC)

Whitecross @ 6.30am

Mullaghbawn 6.45am

(St Mary's Church)

Arriving at Knock at 11.30am

Hotel is £45.

QR code below.

Join the Forkhill and Loughgilly Parish Pilgrimage to Knock Shrine for the **ALL IRELAND Rosary Rally**

Saturday 1st June 2024



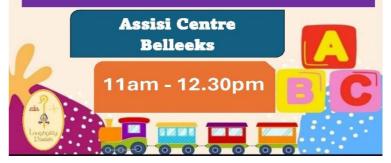
CONFESSIONS: Each Saturday at 6.30pm SATURDAY VIGIL MASS: St Malachy's @ 7.00pm SUNDAY MORNING MASS: St Brigid's @ 10.00am St Teresa's @11.30am

ADORATION: Tuesday 7pm – 9pm in St Brigid's Church. NORMAL WEEKDAY MASS TIMES:

Tuesday: Wednesday: Thursday: First Friday Only: St Brigid's @ 10.00am



EVERY WEDNESDAY





Friday 3rd May

Kids Disco – 6pm – 9pm Belleeks VS Tir Na Og – 7.30pm Trad Session - 9pm Saturday 4th May

Belleeks Game Show "Show Down" Door Open from 6.30pm, Tickets £10 Sunday 5th May

Crazy Bingo Party Doors Open from 6.30pm, Tickets £10

St Brigid's @10.00am St Teresa's @ 10.00am St Malachy's @ 10.00am (In the event of a Funeral, 10am Mass will be cancelled)

BAPTISMS:

1st Saturday of the Month in St Malachy's at 6.00pm. (Book on Parish Website)

PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Tuesday, Wednesday & Thursday 10.30am-2.30pm SVP Helpline: 07561011117



- In this year dedicated to St Brigid, the Parish Council would like to establish a display both in the Church and online.
- We would be grateful if any Parishioner who has any information, documentation, photos etc relating to St Brigid's Church or indeed any of the Churches would share these with the Parish.
- Please either email documents or call to the Parish during office hours and the documents can be copied and returned to you.

We are also about to have our first meeting of the Historical group – It is hoped that this group will bring together details pertaining to the History of the Parish as a whole, so that a publication can be create. If you would be interested in helping with this project or if you would like to supply any information this would be most welcome. Please contact the Parish office.

YOUTH SYNOD GATHERING Youth Synodal Gathering 9 May 2024 @7pm

The Diocesan Pastoral Team would like to extend an invitation to young people between the ages of 18 and **35**, and young families, to a synodal gathering to discuss issues relating to the Church and to faith.

The main question discussed on the night will be: How can you imagine the life of your parish where you as a young person are welcomed and included, and your gifts and talents are appreciated and used?

It will be held in the Confraternity Room in St. Patrick's Church, Dundalk at 7pm on the 9th May. Please note those younger than 18 who wish to come must be accompanied by a parent or guardian.

