

Church of the Immaculate Heart of Mary

Bonniconlon, Ballina, Co. Mayo

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Mass Intentions

8th October: Friday	9.30am	Willie Richards, and the deceased members of the Richards Family, Carra.
	7.00pm	Evening Mass
9th October: Saturday	10.00am	John & Madeline Neary, Carracrum
	8.00pm	Annie & William Maloney and deceased of the Ferguson family.
10th October: Sunday	10.30am	Brigid & Shelia Neary, Somerset-Wells, U.K.
	1.00pm	Sacrament of Confirmation.

Church Re-Opening:

- 1: As you enter the Church you will be met by a steward who will take you to your seat. For the moment you will not be able to automatically go to your usual seat. Please sanitise your hands as you enter the Church.
- 2: The use of face coverings is now mandatory.
- 3: Social Distancing is now reduced to 1 metre within the church, members of the same household can occupy a single seat as before. A maximum of 50 % of church seating capacity may now be used for a mass, a wedding or a funeral.
- 4: Parish Newsletters will be only available at both exits of the Church.
- 5: Holy Communion will be distributed after mass as people proceed to the exit doors.
- 6: Holy Communion can be received in the hands only.
- 7: People who have attended mass outside of the Church may enter the Church to receive Holy Communion at the end of Mass.
- 8: From Sundays to Thursdays the Church will be closed at 7pm.



Recent Baptisms:

We welcome into God's family: **Faye Emily Hardy & Arya Dorothy Mangan** who were baptised in Bonniconlon Church recently. May Angels guide your tiny feet and bring you smiles to wear, and may our Heavenly Father always keep you in his care.

27th Sunday In Ordinary Time/ B

3rd October, 2021

Fr. John Geelan PP.

Envelope Collection Boxes:

The remainder of the boxes of collection envelopes are still available at the church door. If you are unable to collect your collection box, perhaps a neighbour could collect it for you.

A Foundation in Counselling Course which is due to begin Thursday 7th October at 7pm. It is a One-Year Part-time course and is scheduled for 26 Thursday nights until 20th May 2022. There are also two Saturdays from 10am to 5pm to attend. Some people complete the course as a first step to train as a counsellor while others participate for their own self development or to help them to cope better in their workplace or family life. The cost of the course is €1200 which can be paid in instalments. There is a deposit of €100 required to secure a place on the course and this will be deducted from the full price. Please email reception@newman.ie for enquiries or phone 096 72066 for further details.

Bonniconlon Lotto Results

25th September 2021

Numbers Drawn

1 2 15 24

No Jackpot Winner

New Jackpot € 15, 950



5 x €40 prize winners were as follows:

1. Jimmy Foody, Bonniconlon. (on line)
2. John Clarke, Carrareagh
3. Patrick Hennigan. (on line)
4. Teresa Packer. (on line)
5. Nora Conlon Ellaghmore.

Next draw the 2nd October 2021.

Play on line: Visit www.bonniconlongaa.com

North West STOP Ireland: For Mental Health week, North West STOP invites you to 3 events to get this message out: *it's OK not to be OK and it's absolutely OK to ask for help.* ODD SOCKS DAY 7th October (or between 3rd-10th) Last year this raised over €10,500 and paid for our Free Counselling Service during October, November and early December. Join in and share with friends/colleagues to make it a success in 2021. *Annual General Meeting 14th October@7.30pm* in the Glens Centre, New Line, Manorhamilton. Please confirm your attendance by October 7th if you wish to be included in the minutes. Memorial Walk 15th October, 7pm Castle Car park, Manorhamilton. All welcome to join us in remembering members of our community whom we have cherished and lost. Prevailing Covid-19 guidelines apply to all in-person events. Free counselling available : Phone /Text 086777 2009.

CE Vacancies: Vacancies has arisen on the Bofield/Bonniconlon Community Employment Scheme for **General Operatives**, Ref: 2190170. DSP criteria applies. To check eligibility contact Intreo Office, Ballina

Recent Death: Your prayers are requested for the happy repose of the soul of **Agnes Mulhern**, (nee Loftus), Leeds and formerly of Cloontia, sister of Sarah Gallagher, Bonniconlon and John Loftus, Cloontia, who was laid to rest during the week. May her soul rest in peace.

Bonniconlon I.C.A. wish to thank everyone, who helped in any way to make our recent coffee morning and cake sale a huge success. A total of **€1546.30** was raised. All proceeds go to the Mayo/Roscommon Hospice.



A Spiritual Thought

*Keep your life easy and simple,
you are not in this world to live up to the expectations of others.*