

BALLA & BELCARRA NEWSLETTER

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MASS TIMES AND INTENTIONS

SUNDAY 12th Sept 11am •Donal McEllin & DFM

•Mary & Pat McDonagh & son Padraig

•Peter & Delia Browne & daughter Chris Reilly

MONDAY 13th Sept. 10am People of Balla and Mayo Abbey parishes

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TUESDAY 14th Sept. 10am Catherine Vaughan & DFM

FRIDAY 17th Sept 12.30pm Wedding Mass

SUNDAY 19th Sept 11am Brod & Delia Vahey & DFM



'But who do you say that I am?'

All Masses can be viewed on churchtv.ie/ Balla

ST ANNE'S MASS TIMES AND INTENTIONS

FRIDAY 10th Sept 7.30pm Pat Cunningham (1st anniversary)

SAT. 11th Sept. 8pm •Bridie & Patrick Solan & DFM

•Marian Roche

•Private Intention

FRIDAY 17th Sept 7.30pm Baby Anna Eileen Ward and her grandmother

Eileen Ward

SAT. 18th Sept 8pm Annie & John Flannery & deceased of Walsh

& Flannery families

FIRST COMMUNION: Congratulations to the children from Belcarra N.S. Who celebrated their first Communion last Saturday. Thanks to Mr Byrne, Ms Noone and Mrs Goggins for all their work preparing the children. This weekend it is the turn of the children from Balla & Manulla schools to celebrate the sacrament. We ask the Lord to pour down his blessings on them, their families, and teachers.

ST VINCENT dePAUL: A meeting of the Society will be held at Belcarra Community Centre on Tuesday 14th September at 7pm.

BELCARRA PARENT & TODDLER GROUP Will return on Wed. Sept.22nd 11am-12.30pm. Meet at Community Centre. If weather is good we will go over to the playground. Contact Deirdre 087 6292972

DEATHS Pray for **OLIVE DUGGAN**, Mayo Abbey sister of Maureen Cunnane, Balla. **MAY KEARNS**, Manchester, sister of Tommy Kearns, Tavanagh MAY THEY REST IN PEACE

CHURCH ATTENDANCE: Numbers allowed to attend Mass (including funerals) is now 50% of church capacity. Standing at the back of the church is not permitted under the guidelines. Every second seat is now closed off and people can choose their own place to sit. It is important that some distance is kept between you and another individual or family. Use your judgement. A small number of stewards will be present at the door to ensure that everyone sanitizes and that all adults wear face masks. Communion will take place in all churches during the Mass and guidance will be given on this. As you leave the church after Mass you are asked not to congregate near the door so that others can move freely. These guidelines remain in place until October 22nd after which please God there will be no restrictions on numbers. Thank you for ongoing cooperation.

BALLA CRD ONLINE BINGO continues on Sunday nights at 8pm .Go to **www.balla.ie** to join before 12 noon. Balla Drive In Bingo runs in conjunction with the On Line Bingo. Car places are limited and must be booked by **5pm** on Thursday at 087 0975802

BELCARRA LOTTO: takes place every Sunday night, draw posted on the Belcarra Ireland Facebook page. Google 'Clubforce Belcarra Lotto' to find link

BELCARRA FORŌIGE CLUB New members who were in 6th class in Belcarra School **ONLY** can email <u>belcarraforoige2017@gmail.com</u> to register by 17th September. Please provide your child's full name, age and your mobile number in email. Numbers are limited this year. We will need parents to become leaders from this group in order for it to run. Contact Walburg 0871821017 for further information.

WESTERN CARE ASSOCIATION Annual Door To Door Collection is now taking place during the month of September. To donate, find us on Facebook "Western Care Association" or on www.idonate.ie/wcadoor link on our (www.westerncare.com) Please contact Teresa Ward on 094 90 29174 or 087 246 7857 or email: tward@westerncare.com) by QQI Level 5: E-mail:pauladonnellan@msletb.ie for further information

BEREAVEMENT SUPPORT GROUP- Knock Shrine: meets every Wednesday at 11am at the Family Centre, Knock. All are welcome. Contact Monica Morley Knock Shrine, 094-9375320.

MAYO FOR SAM! Please God the long wait for Mayo to win the Sam Maguire will come to an end this Saturday. Best of luck to the panel and management including Fergal Boland from the staff of Balla Secondary School. Please God we be celebrating this weekend.

NOTICES for NEWSLETTER: All notices must be in 12 noon on Thursday. by phone 094 9365025 or Email stcronansballa@eircom.net