



BALLA & BELCARRA NEWSLETTER

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MASS TIMES AND INTENTIONS

SAT. 8th Jan 10am T.J.Gilligan (Month's Mind)

SUNDAY 9th Jan 11am
•Pat & Bridgie McGreal and Breda Broderick
•Lil, Seamus, David & Tommy Wilson
•Tom Connolly (Month's Mind), Pat Durkan,
Dave Madden & deceased of Connolly
and Durkan families

MONDAY 10th Jan 10am

TUESDAY 11th Jan 10am People of Balla & Mayo Abbey parishes

SAT. 15th Jan 10am Marie Ralph (Month's Mind) and her son William
& DFM

SUNDAY 16th Jan 11am
•Thomas Flanagan
•Joe & Nellie McNicholas & deceased of
McNicholas & Lyons families
•Charles & Muriel Hennelly

ST ANNE'S MASS TIMES AND INTENTIONS

FRIDAY 7th Jan 7.30pm Tom Jennings
Sarah & Paddy Fahey

SAT. 8th Jan 8pm
•Jimmy Moran & DFM
•Jim & Bridie Tuffey & DFM
•Philomena Walsh (1st Anniversary)
•Christopher Gilligan (1st Anniversary)
his wife Noreen and daughter Patricia

FRIDAY 14th Jan 7.30pm
•Patrick & Marjorie McGowan
•Tommy Cunnane, his parents Tom & Bridie
and his sister Geraldine
•Margaret McDonnell (Month's Mind) her husband
Richard, son Emmett and deceased of Charles &
McDonnell families.

SAT. 15th Jan 8pm
•Frank Ralph
•Catherine Keane & her parents Mick & Kathleen Costello
•Agnes Prendergast (Month's Mind) her husband Paddy
and grandson Paul.

DEATHS Pray for
NANCY CONCANNON, Carramore, Clogher
PETER MURPHY, Castlebar, father of Frank Murphy and brother of
 Jimmy Murphy, Clogher
DAVID HENNING, Killawalla, brother of Brett Henning, Prizon.
 MAY THEY REST IN PEACE

ARCHBISHOP FRANCIS DUFFY will be installed as Archbishop of Tuam at a ceremony in Tuam Cathedral this Sunday January 9th at 2.30pm Those wishing to watch the livestream may do so by using this link <https://www.tuamparish.com/web-cam>. The ceremony will be broadcast on Mid West Radio at the later time of 6pm. Because of the ongoing situation regarding Covid only a small number of priests and people can attend the ceremony. Archbishop Francis is a native of Co. Cavan and for the last eight years was Bishop of Ardagh and Clonmacnois based in Longford. As he begins his role as Archbishop, we ask the Lord to bless him and his ministry. We look forward to him visiting our parish when Covid restrictions permit.

PRIESTS CHRISTMAS COLLECTION Thanks to all who made contributions during the week. It is much appreciated.

PARISH STATISTICS FOR 2021

	BALLA	BELCARRA
BAPTISMS	36	19
MARRIAGES	7	1
FUNERALS	22	12
COMMUNIONS	25	15*

*Because of covid the Belcarra First Communion took place in Balla

ST VINCENT De PAUL SOCIETY wishes to thank everyone who contributed to their recent collection. Your support is very much appreciated by them and will enable them to continue to respond to the needs of families and individuals in the Balla, Belcarra Mayo Abbey areas. A particular word of thanks to the students of Balla Secondary School and Mayo Abbey Foroige Cub for the fundraising events they organised. Anyone in need can contact a member of the Society or Fr Denis.

BALLA CRD continues to run Balla Bingo every Sunday night at 8pm and the prize fund is €10,000.

Balla CRD is running a Photography Competition and taking entries until February, so get those cameras out. In any weather or season we have such beautiful scenery here in Balla.€25 One4All voucher for the winner.

BELCARRA LOTTO: takes place every Sunday night, go to belcarra.ie/lotto to play online, tickets also on sale in local outlets