

BALLA & BELCARRA NEWSLETTER

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SAT. 4th Sept **2pm** Belcarra First Communion

SUNDAY 5th Sept. 11am •Nellie & Joe McNicholas & DFM

•Michael, Celia & Sheila Halligan

•Dolly & P.J.McEllin & DFM

•Rena & Kevin Moloney & deceased of Moloney & McLoughlin families.

MONDAY 6th Sept. 10am Private Intention

TUESDAY 7th Sept. 10am James & Nellie Dempsey, their son Peter & DFM

THURS. 9th Sept 12 noon Wedding Mass

SAT. 11th Sept 10.30am First Communion Mass (Balla)

SAT. 11th Sept **1pm** First Communion Mass (Balla and Manulla)

SUNDAY 12th Sept 11am •Donal McEllin & DFM

•Mary & Pat McDonagh & son Padraig

•Peter & Delia Browne & daughter Chris Reilly

All Masses can be viewed on churchtv.ie/ Balla

ST ANNE'S MASS TIMES AND INTENTIONS

FRIDAY 3rd Sept. 7.30pm Michael Flatley

SAT. 4th Sept. 8pm •Mary Garry, her son Tom & DFM

•Dora Parkinson

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

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

•Marian Roche

•Private Intention

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

BEST WISHES To all Leaving Cert students receiving their results this weekend. May the Holy Spirit guide and support you as you move on to the next stage of life's journey





DEATH Pray for SEAN McDONNELL, Ballyheane, brother of Mary Ansbro, Knockmore, Manulla MAY HE REST IN PEACE

BAPTISMS: We welcome into the Christian community
AIDAN CHRISTOPHER McDONAGH, Drum, Clogher, CON PATRICK MURPHY,
Ashling Manor, Balla Congratulations to their parents and families

ATTENDANCE AT CHURCH CEREMPONIES from MONDAY 6th

SEPTEMBER: Following on from the Government announcement on easing covid restrictions the numbers allowed to attend church ceremonies has increased to 50% of the capacity of the church. This means that every second seat in the church can now be used. You are encouraged to keep some distance between you and the person/family beside you. Face masks **must** be worn within the church by all adults and everyone must sanitize on the way in.

In Balla and Mayo Abbey churches the distribution of Communion will return to its proper place during the Mass. Stewards will still be on duty at Masses but their workload will gradually decrease. As Covid numbers are still very high (with a number of cases locally) we all need to stay alert to the dangers that it can cause. The Pandemic is not over. The rules ease but personal responsibility increases.

FIRST COMMUNION: for the children from Belcarra school takes place this Saturday and for the children of Balla and Manulla next Saturday. We wish them, their parents and teachers well and ask God to pour down his blessings on them.

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 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)

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.

STOMA SUPPORT GROUP meeting takes place in the Ellison Hotel, Castlebar on Thurs 9th September 2021 from 7 – 9pm. contact 087 2300580