

St. Aidan's N.S. Monasteraden Enrolment forms for 2018/2019 School Year are now available from the school (0949860924) download under 'Home' tab www.monasteradenns.com

Roscommon Public Participation Network & Roscommon County Council are offering a free community funding information talk in King House, Boyle on Feb 22nd at 7:30pm. Contact Brenda McNicholas 090 6665735 brenda@roscommonppn.ie.

Free Irish Classes in St. Aidan's N.S. Monasteraden for Adults, commencing Wednesday Feb. 28th 2-3p.m for thirteen weeks.

Frenchpark & Districts Childcare Ltd., Full training and work experience provided to become a qualified Early Years Educator. Contact Kara or Linda on 094 9870111 or 0876486457

Mayo Stroke Support Group meeting on **Feb. 22nd** from 11.30am-1pm in Macalla Hall, Lough Lannagh Holiday Village, Castlebar. **Topic:** 'Understanding your Stroke Medications' Contact Ailish 094-9049172 or Barbara on 096-80451.

Woodwork Course starting on Feb. 20th from 2-4.30pm. Contact Stephanie 090-6634189 or attend on the night at VTOS, Patrick Street, Castlereah.

Windmill Players will perform the play "Tom, Dick & Harry" in the Art Deco Theatre, Ballymote on Feb. 23/24th with Friday night's show in aid of St. Joseph's School, Ballytivnan. Tickets in Lavins Ballymote - 071 9183354 / 087 7908173. Tickets also on the door.

Ballaghaderreen Healthy Ireland at Your Library: A talk will be given by Aine McDermott on "How to Boost your Health & Wellbeing" in the Library on March 1st at 6.30pm. Contact 094 98770444 (opening hours) for further information.

GAA News & Lotto: . Lotto draw in The Old Forge Inn this **Sunday Feb. 18th** €2,200. **2018 Registration Day** takes place on Feb.25th in the Clubhouse from 12-2pm for members and new members.

GAA Annual Quiz in Durkin's on March 29th. More details later.

An annual lotto ticket gives entry into every draw in the year. Tickets on sale in shops & pubs throughout the town or from any club member/online locallotto.ie http://www.klubfunder.com/Clubs/BALLAGHADERREEN_GAA/lotto

Soccer Club 50/50 draw in Clarkes on Tuesday Feb. 20th

North Connaught College Tubbercurry Open Evening on Thursday March 1st, from 3-6pm for PLC and VTOS courses. www.northconnaughtcollege.net www.facebook.com/northconnaughtcollege contact (071) 9185035.

Brusna Development Association will hold an information (public) meeting in the Brusna Inn on Feb. 24th at 7pm to discuss recent developments in relation to a Community Park.

Community Games will hold the local U-14 Quiz competition on Feb. 22nd at 7pm in Durkin's (open to all U-14 children in the area) Teams will be selected to go forward to the County Finals.

Make-A-Wish Ireland Volunteers are needed for WISH DAY, our annual fundraising day, on Friday 9th March. Visit www.makeawish.ie to register online at one of the collection points, or contact Emma Horgan emma@makeawish.ie or call 01 2052011 for more details.

Coleman Music Centre Donal O'Connor in concert on Saturday 24th Feb. at 8.30pm. For bookings, contact 071 9182599 or www.colemanirishmusic.com



Mass Times

Cathedral:

Daily: 8am & 10am

Sat 10am & 8pm

Sun, 8am, 10am & 12.00

Other Churches: (Sun)

Brusna9am

Derrinacantha ... 10am

Monasteraden ...11am

Confessions

Saturday mornings after 10am Mass, or by request at the Presbytery

Parish Clergy

Fr. Joseph Gavigan

Fr. Paul Kivlehan

Emergency Calls

086-085 8889

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Parish and Diocesan Safeguarding Policy

www.achonrydiocese.org

Castlemore-Kilcolman Parish Newsletter

Lent

Each year Lent is our opportunity to receive God's grace afresh and to respond to it. The work of Lent is well summed up in the three practices: prayer, fasting and almsgiving.

This week we take guidance from St. Ignatius of Loyola. He was a professional soldier who became a soldier for Christ. We seek his encouragement and intercession. From him we learn how to find God in all things, not least in the events of our daily lives. This is so important, because, as St. Ignatius said, we human beings are created to praise, reverence and love God, and by doing so save our souls. When we learn to recognise and cherish the constant presence of God in our lives then we are moved to praise and thank Him.

We pray as St. Ignatius prayed:

O my God, teach me to be generous, to serve you as you deserve to be served to give without counting the costs, to fight without fear of being wounded, to work without seeking rest, and to spend myself without expecting any reward, but the knowledge that I am doing your holy will. Amen



Mass Intentions This Week

St. Nathy's College Chapel

Sat 8pm Colette Moran RIP (Month's Mind) Convent Road

Sun 8am Feb 18th *Mass for the people*
Sun 10am Feb 18th *Mass for the people*
Sun 12 noon Feb 18th *Mass for the people*

Mon 8am
Mon 10am Annie Morrisroe RIP Tondragee & deceased family members RIP

Tue 8am
Tue 10am

Wed 8am
Wed 10am

Thurs 8am Michael Towey RIP
Thurs 10am Kathleen & Patrick Cassidy RIP Boughtiduff

Fri 8am Michael & Kathleen Regan RIP Castlemore
Fri 10am

Sat 10am Tom & Josie Creaton RIP
Sat 8pm Martin & Mary Sharkey RIP their son Eddie RIP Coolathane
"Do this in Memory Programme"

Sun 8am Feb 25th *Mass for the people*
Sun 10am Feb 25th *Mass for the people*
Sun 12 noon Feb 25th *Mass for the people*

BRUSNA

Sat Feb 18th 9am
Sun Feb 25th 9am

DERRINACARThA

Sun Feb 18th 10am Johnny Phillips RIP his son Martin John RIP & deceased family members RIP Tavnaghbeg
Sun Feb 25th 10am Thomas & Bridget Phillips RIP Kilgarraff West

MONASTERADEN

Sun Feb 18th 11am John Downes RIP & deceased members of the Quinn & Downes families RIP
Sun Feb 25th 11am Mary & Billy Corcoran RIP their son Phillip RIP Lumcloon



We pray for **Vincent Moran RIP** Snr. Augherine & Dalton Terrace, **Joe Regan RIP** Main Street **Maureen Pounder RIP** (nee Taylor) and all who died recently, and all whose anniversaries occur around this time. May they rest in peace.

Fr. Dermot Meehan

We wish Fr. Dermot God's abundance graces and blessings in his new role as Diocesan Administrator. We remember him in our prayers and Masses at this time.

Lenten Prayer

We invite you all to join us for the Stations of the Cross in St. Nathy's College Chapel on **Sunday evenings** at 7pm. Lent is a time of special renewal, a time for us to all pray together.

Towards Peace

Towards Peace is a spiritual support service designed for those who have experienced sexual, emotional or spiritual abuse by Catholic Church personnel in Ireland. Support is also available for family members of abuse survivors. The vision of "Towards Peace" is to provide a safe supportive space, where people who have been affected by abuse in a Church context can be accompanied as they seek their own experience of spiritual peace, one step at a time. Towards Peace provides spiritual support through one-to-one spiritual direction sessions, with a qualified spiritual companion. Up to nine sessions are offered and there is no cost. Contacts: Telephone **01 5053028**, visit www.towardspeace.ie OR e mail towardspeace@iecon.ie

A.A. Meetings

Meetings take place every Tuesday and Friday evenings at 8.30pm in the Ozanam Centre, (at the rear of the Cathedral)

Hospital Visits

If you wish any of the priests to visit a family member in hospital, contact the Presbytery 094 9860011

Ministers of the Word

Cathedral

Vigil "Do this in Memory Programme"

8am S. Dillon
10am Jean Towey
12noon M. Cunningham

Brusna

9am

Derrinacartha

10am P. Deignan

Monasteraden

11am F. Lennon

Ministers of the Eucharist

Vigil P. Naughton, J. Regan
8am P.O'Flaherty, M. Walsh
10am G. Carmody, M. Kilcullen
12noon E. Keegan, B. Caron

Weekdays N. Dolan (Feb. 19th)

Offertory collectors for February 2018

8pm N. Frain, C. McCann
8am J. Kilgallon, C. Towey
10am T. Cahill, M. Towey
12noon U. McWalter, G. Corrigan

Station Mass

If anybody wishes to have a Station Mass in their home, please contact the Presbytery 094 98 60011