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THE 7 S's

- **Signage** – Look out for signs and take time to read
- **Sanitisation**- Sanitisers are in appointed places in church and please use
- **Stewards**- Follow their guidance, they are there to help you
- **Support**– Support your church and maybe select a day to spread the Sunday congregation during the week, Make a contribution to your church as you enter the church or as you leave it.
- **Social Distance**-2metres apart, no shaking hands, no sign of peace. Respect those in front of you and behind you particularly when you are approaching the sanctuary at Holy Communion. Be mindful of your place in the queue.
- **Seating**-We all have our favourite seat but we all have to sacrifice it now as seats will be clearly designated with signs.
- **Symptoms**-If you have any symptoms at all, Stay At Home, the obligation to attend Mass has been removed for everyone for the time being.

Church Collections Huge Thanks to the many parishioners who have dropped in donations. We are extremely grateful. In response to the many queries we have received about Church collections we are listing the parish account details below. If you are making a donation directly to the parish through the Bank please put your name and address in the reference box. While Mass attendance has partly resumed we won't be having an Offertory Collection. If you wish you may leave a donation as you leave the church in the baskets dotted around the church.

Bank Name and Address:
Bank Of Ireland, Main Street,
Bagenalstown, Carlow
Name of Account: Bagenalstown Parish.
BIC: BOFIE2D
IBAN: IE35BOFI90649410971660
Your support for the Parish is greatly appreciated

The Irish Catholic Paper is available from church.

COVID-19 Support Line for Older People ALONE manage a national support line and additional supports for older people who have concerns or are facing difficulties relating to the outbreak of COVID-19 Professional staff are available to answer queries and give advice and reassurance where necessary. The support line is open seven days a week, 8am - 8pm, by calling 0818 222 024.

BAGENALSTOWN - NEWTOWN-BALLINKILLEN 'CHURCH NOTICES'

25th Sunday of Year 20th September, 2020

PRAY FOR

Shane Nolan, Ashfield whose funeral took place on Friday followed by cremation in Mount Jerome.

MONTHS MIND

Theresa Ryan, Augha. Mass on Sunday 20th September at 9:00am in Newtown Church.

Monsignor Todd O'Leary, Tuscon, Arizona. Mass on Sunday 20th September at 11:30am in Parish Church.

Michael Somers, Cloonmullin, Eastwood. Mass on Saturday 19th September at 6:00pm in Parish Church.

First Friday 2nd October

Mass in Newtown Church at 7:00pm

Mass in Ballinkillen Church at 8:00pm

The Hook of Faith Zoom Conference



The team at 'The Hook of Faith' (www.thehookoffaith.com) are pleased to announce a Zoom Conference for the month of October that focuses on '**EVANGELISING IRISH CULTURE TODAY**'. Each session will be led by an expert speaker followed by 10 mins of Q and A. Each session will begin at 8pm. We hope that as many as possible participate in this event for the missionary month of October.

Congratulations to all the boys and girls of Garryhill N.S. who received their First Holy Communion last Sunday.

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ANNIVERSARIES

John Whelan, St. Brigids Crescent
Tom & Alice Reddy, Eastwood
Kathleen Fenelon, Curracruit
Charles Hayhoe, Kings Grove, Athy
Paddy & Brenda Kennedy,
Birmingham & 17 St. Brigids Crescent
Peter Barron, 67 St. Brigids Crescent
Johanna Farrell, Heath, Corries
Thomas Doyle, 40 Pairc Mhuire
Laureen Coffey, Royal Oak Road
Martin Mullins, Jnr, Harrow Cross
Lisa Doyle, 14 Eastwood
Larry & Bernie Doyle, 14 Eastwood
Anastasia Salter, 49 St. Brigids
Crescent
Francis Kelly, 24 Conway Park
Mary Ann & Patrick McGrath, 14
Acres, Kilcarrig
Michael Hickey, 60 Pairc Mhuire
*These Anniversaries will be prayed
for on Friday 25th & Saturday 26th
September at 10:00am Mass in
Parish Church.*

Your life was a blessing, your memory
a treasure. You are loved beyond words
and missed beyond measure

Online Donations

The Diocesan website kandle.ie now
offers a donate facility that allows
parishioners to donate to individual
parishes such as our own. If you
would like to make a donation to the
parish online then please go to
www.kandle.ie and choose
Muinebheag/Bagenalstown Parish.

St. Patrick's Church, Newtown



Have your say

Is Covid 19 the 'monster' in your life?
Do you see the world in a new light
after lockdown? What are you
missing? Let us hear your story in not
more than 500 words (essay or
poem). Sketches or cartoons welcomed.
A selection will be published in this
year's Yearbook. Please send to
bagenalstownyearbook@gmail.com

Confidential Bereavement

Support offered. If you have been
bereaved and would like someone to
call. You may contact Rita O' Quigley
9131323 or Eleanor in Parish Office
9721154
*Bagenalstown Bereavement Support
Group*

FACE COVERINGS:

It is suggested that all attending
Mass are encouraged to wear a face
mask or a visor

**St. Vincent De Paul
Helpline 086-4042631**

HAVE YOU A BABY FOR BAPTISM?

If you have a baby for Baptism,
please Contact Eleanor in the
Parish Office 9721154



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Getting Back on Track Financially

Most of us have some level of debt, but
when unpaid debt becomes such a burden
that it prevents you from getting out of bed
in the morning, brings a sense of dread
when answering the phone or opening the
post, it is time to take control of the
situation.

The unfortunate reality is that due to the
impact of COVID-19 many more people in
Ireland may be struggling to pay their
debts having recently lost their jobs or
struggling to make ends meet on reduced
incomes.

The effects of problem debt on a person's
wellbeing and mental health can be severe
and can prevent them coming forward for
help but there is a solution to every debt
problem and this is where the Insolvency
Service of Ireland (ISI) can help.

The ISI is the independent government
body with four debt solutions to help
people with all levels of problem debt -
from credit cards to mortgages. It
regulates debt advisors called Personal In-
solvency Practitioners (PIPs). You could
be insolvent if: · You can't pay your bills in
full when they are due

· You're paying a little off each bill
trying to keep creditors at bay

· You've had calls and letters about
missed repayments and threats of
repossession.

If you are insolvent and in arrears on your
home mortgage you could also be eligible
for a free consultation with a PIP under the
State-funded Abhaile Scheme. The purpose
of that Scheme is to help people in serious
arrears to find the best available solutions,
with the help of professional advisors. The
priority will be to find a sustainable
solution that keeps a person in their home,
where possible. For more information
visit www.backontrack.ie or freetext
GETHELP to 50015 for a callback.

INVALIDS

**As soon as is safe to do so
for all concerned we will
resume visits to those
who are sick or house-
bound.**

MASS TIMES

(INCL. EXTRA MASSES)

St. Andrew's Church, Bagenalstown
Saturday at 6:00pm & **7:30pm**
Sunday at 8:00am, **10:00am**, 11:30am
& 7:30pm (extra Masses for the time
being)

St. Patrick's Church, Newtown
Sunday at 9:00am

First Friday of the Month at 7:00pm
St. Lazerian's Church, Ballinkillen

Sunday at 10:00am

First Friday of the Month at 8:00pm
Sunday Obligation

**Your Mass Obligation can be
fulfilled on ANY day of the week.**

Yearbook 2020

Preparation for this year's edition is
already underway. If you would like
to have your story, article, club,
association or school news considered
for inclusion, please email to
bagenalstownyearbook@gmail.com
no later than 1 October 2020.

Photographs should be sent as jpegs.
The yearbook committee would
welcome new members on to the
committee. Just drop them a line on
the above email. **Any queries should
be directed to Ann 9722042 or Mi-
chael 087-2675661.** We look for-
ward to reading and publishing your
stories, articles and news in our 2020
issue.

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