

**Recommended guidelines for all those attending Mass**

Please sanitise your hands when entering and leaving church  
The use of **face masks** by those attending Church is **compulsory**  
Maintain **social distance** between yourself and other people  
**Do not shake hands** or make close contact where possible  
Do not come to Mass if you have a **cough/cold or feel unwell.**

**ALONE** is a national organisation that strives to enable older people to age at home, safely and securely, for as long as they wish. We work with all older people, including those who are lonely, isolated, frail or ill, homeless, living in poverty, or are facing other difficulties. *If you are an older person who would like to learn more about this service, please call ALONE's National Support Line on 0818 222 024.* Available seven days a week from 8am – 8pm. *ALONE's Visitation Support & Befriending Service* matches older people who would like additional social contact with volunteer who provide companionship through a weekly visit. We work with a number of older people in the local area who would like for someone to visit them. Are you that someone? If you would like to volunteer with ALONE see the volunteer section of the website  
<https://alone.ie/what-we-do/> or email [emma.heslin@alone.ie](mailto:emma.heslin@alone.ie)

**Church Collections**

If you are making a donation directly to the parish through the Bank (please **contact the parish office to let us know you are doing this** )put your name & envelope box number (if you need your envelope box number for this year just contact the parish office) in the reference box and/or contact the parish office to let us know that you have donated this way. *Thank you.*  
**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*



**VIEW LIVE WEBCAM from our Parish Church**

which can be viewed from our **Parish website**— Bagenalstown Parish  
**Facebook**— Bagenalstown Parish Church  
**YouTube**— Bagenalstown Parish Church

Parish Office : 059 9721154  
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[www.kandle.ie](http://www.kandle.ie)

BAGENALSTOWN - NEWTOWN - BALLINKILLEN  
**'CHURCH NOTICES'**  
32nd Sunday of the Year      7th November, 2021

**Dead List Envelopes** can be handed in with names of those who have died. All people whose names are in these envelopes will be remembered at many of our Masses in the Parish throughout the month of the Holy Souls. *(Please put names in envelope)*

**November—Remembering our Dead**

November is the month when we traditionally remember our loved ones who have gone before us. The Tree of Life is an encouraging symbol. Just as in Spring, new leaves turn into new life. Such is our Christian hope regarding the promise of everlasting life.  
*Please write your loved ones name and place it on our Tree of Life where they will be remembered throughout the month of November.*

**Special appeal**  
Church collection on behalf of Trócaire for response to hunger crisis in East Africa this weekend 6th and 7th November.  
*Please give your support.*



**Organist needed**  
If you or someone you know is interested in playing the organ in St. Andrews Parish Church, please contact Fr Declan 087-6684299 or the Parish office 059-9721154

**Friday and Saturday Anniversary Masses:**

- **Anniversaries**  
Please put date of which Friday & Saturday you wish your loved ones to be remembered when dropping in Anniversary.
- **Church Newsletter**  
Names to be included on newsletter must be in at least **10days** before the Anniversary Mass.

## **PRAY FOR**

Rosanna Curran, Kilkea,  
Castledermot (*sister of Esther Curran,  
Ballywilliamroe & Claire Curran,  
Kilkea*)

Daryl White, Dublin (*nephew of  
Maura Egan, Barrett Street & Bernie  
McDonald, Fr Cummins Park*)

## **MONTHS MIND**

John Tobin, Kilree. Mass on  
Saturday 13th November in Parish  
Church at 6:00pm.

Gertie Gallagher, Royal Oak Road.  
Mass on Sunday 14th November in  
Parish Church at 11:30am.

## **FIRST ANNIVERSARIES**

Pat Armstrong, Kilree Street. Mass  
on Sunday 7th November in Parish  
Church at 11:30am.

Margaret Sykes, Ballyloughan.  
Mass on Sunday 14th November in  
Ballinkillen Church at 10:00am.

## **ANNIVERSARIES**

Michael & Mary Finnerty, Loughrea  
Mae O'Brien, Dunleckney  
Eamonn Mahon, 65 St. Brigids  
Crescent  
Michael Mullins, 19 Conway Park  
Patricia Riddle nee Gough, Florida & 23  
Kilcarrig Street  
James & Mary Gough, Kilcarrig Street  
James Foley, 'Rathgower', Royal Oak  
Tom Comerford, Rossmore, Carlow  
Mary Reddy & her son Tom St. Brigids  
Crescent

Peter Hickey, Gormona  
Fr Larry Newman, Rathduff  
Kathleen & Martin Curry, Borris & their  
son Patrick  
Jim Mara, Lancashire & Kilree Street  
Patrick Sheehan, Royal Oak Road  
John 'Sammy' Clarke, 12 Fairgreen  
*These Anniversaries will be prayed for  
on Friday 12th & Saturday 13th  
November at 10:00am Mass in Parish  
Church*

## **Ballinkillen Lorum**

**Community Centre** are holding a  
public meeting on **Monday November  
15th** in the Main Hall @ 8pm. The agenda  
for this meeting is to form a new Bingo  
committee for the centre. If you express  
interest in the bingo, please join us on the  
night. The community centre committee  
would like to express their deepest grati-  
tude to the previous committee Shay &  
Kathleen Power, Pasty Connors, Francis  
Bolton, and anyone else involved for  
their many years of dedicated work.

## **JOB VACANCY**

## **Ballinkillen Lorum**

**Community Centre** are  
currently seeking a part-time cleaner. The  
successful candidate would be responsible  
for the day-to-day general cleaning of the  
building. The ideal candidate will be  
flexible with hours and be required to  
work weekends, Will take instruction, and  
carry out work-related duties set out by the  
staff liaison officer and be able to work on  
their own initiative. Please submit your  
application with CV to Eileen:  
[secretaryblccc@gmail.com](mailto:secretaryblccc@gmail.com) or post  
to Ballinkillen Lorum Community Centre  
Club, Ballinkillen, Bagenalstown, Carlow

## **Christmas Market & Carols by Candlelight 3rd -5th December at the GAA Club Tinryland Starting with Carols by**

**Candlelight** from 8:00pm -8:30pm  
3rd December then will be switching on  
Christmas Tree Lights along with the  
Christmas Tree being a Tree of  
Remembrance, a beacon of hope for our  
loved ones lost.

**Christmas Market** 3rd -5th  
December over 70 stalls, Art Exhibition &  
Competition, Live Music & Santa's  
Grotto & Train Ride for kids.

## **Éist** are holding their **Annual Ecumenical Service of Remembrance.**

The service offers you and your family  
an opportunity to remember and honour  
your loved one's through readings and a  
candlelight service that will take place  
over the course of the evening.

This year it will be celebrated by Fr.  
Dunphy, Rev White and Fr. Little. It  
will be held on Tuesday 9<sup>th</sup> November  
at 8pm in St Clare's Church Grai-  
gucullen. Adhering to Covid-19  
restrictions. It can also be viewed via  
the Graigucullen webcam  
on [www.graigucullenkilleshin.com](http://www.graigucullenkilleshin.com).  
As numbers may be limited due to  
Covid-19 restrictions please R.S.V.P  
before Friday 5<sup>th</sup> of November 2021 on  
059-9139684 or 085-8661499.

## **St. Vincent De Paul Local helpline no. 086-40426**

## **The Irish Catholic €2.50**

Paper is available from all churches in  
the parish. It continues to update and  
improve its quality of news, features  
and other content

## **Carlow's majestic Blackstairs Mountains**

together with the charming villages  
of Myshall, Ballymurphy, Borris  
and Rathanna will feature in this year's  
Carlow Winter Walking Festival which  
takes place from Friday, November  
12th - Sunday, November 14th 2021.  
Featuring a range of walks from a Night  
Hike to a walk along the Carlow stretch  
of the Columban Way and a Barrow  
Way walk, all routes can be booked  
at [www.carlowtourism.com/](http://www.carlowtourism.com/)  
walkingfestival. Suitable for beginner  
and experienced walkers.

## **Ballinkillen GAA 50th Anniversary 1971 - 2021**

Ballinkillen GAA are launching a  
commemorative 50th Anniversary book  
this December

A banner advertisement for your compa-  
ny/individual supporting Ballinkillen  
club can be placed in the book at a cost of  
€50. The book due to be published in De-  
cember will mark 50 years of hurling in  
Ballinkillen. Please support this im-  
portant publication and please spread the  
word.

[https://www.idonate.ie/  
fundraiser/11419824\\_50th-anniversary-  
commemorative-club-publication.html](https://www.idonate.ie/fundraiser/11419824_50th-anniversary-commemorative-club-publication.html)

## **Eucharistic Adoration** in Parish Church every Wednesday 7:00pm-8:00pm.

## **HAVE YOU A BABY FOR BAPTISM?**

If you have a baby for Baptism, contact  
Eleanor in the Parish Office 9721154 or  
email: [bagenalstownparish@gmail.com](mailto:bagenalstownparish@gmail.com)  
*Baptisms are on*

**EVERY** Saturday in Parish Church at  
5pm

**FIRST** Saturday of month in Newtown  
Church at 4pm

**LAST** Saturday of month in Ballinkillen  
Church at 4pm

**Leighlinbridge and District Active  
Retired:** Meeting Monday 8th in Parish  
Centre at 2:30. Session 5 of Chair Yoga with  
Helen Jeffers. Planning a Day  
Trip to Craft and Design Fair in the RDS  
Thursday 2nd December. Members and non-  
members welcome. Covid certificates, valid  
ID and face masks mandatory. For inquiries  
phone Madeleine 086 4080286 or Maura 087  
9732183. Bowls players meet each Thursday  
at 2:30.