

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.

Being Catholic in Contemporary Ireland Tom Inglis to Zoom for ACI

November 25th, 2021, at 8.00 p.m.
"The majority of Irish people see and understand themselves as Catholics. Being Catholic is embedded in school, community and family life. And yet there seems to be little interest in salvation in and through the Church. Moreover, being Catholic seems no longer relevant to fulfilling social, political, economic and, more significantly, environmental interests." Tom Inglis - Irish Sociologist and Commentator

This observation - by the renowned writer on the Catholic Church's 'Moral Monopoly' in 20th century Ireland - will be expanded by Tom on 25th November for discussion by all who are interested.
If, like ACI, you are convinced that 'being Catholic' is far from irrelevant in an ongoing world secular crisis - climatic and otherwise - be sure to join us to tell us why. To join us click the link below. Join Zoom Meeting <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/85832005890?pwd=Y1I1UEp4OXVxbWsxOFIyWUpCTmF0Zz09> Meeting ID: 858 3200 5890 Passcode: 021468

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.

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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

BAGENALSTOWN - NEWTOWN-BALLINKILLEN
'CHURCH NOTICES'

Feast of Christ Our King

21st November, 2021



November is the month for Remembering the Dead

Masses for remembering the dead
Monday 22nd – Saturday 27th November at 10am

Franciscan Missionaries of Mary will be speaking at all Masses in the Parish this weekend 20th & 21st November.

St. Andrew's Parish Church, Bagenalstown

'24 Hours for the Lord'

6pm Friday 3rd December to 6pm Saturday 4th December

You are invited to drop into the church at anytime during that 24-hour period

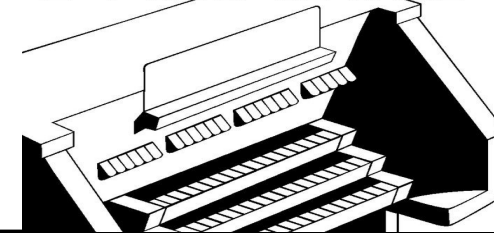


If you are interested in spending time with the Lord during this 24-hour period please put your name down on the list in the Parish Church.

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

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Parish Office : 059 9721154
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PRAY FOR

Noel Geoghegan, Pairc Mhuire who was interred here this Saturday.
Maeve Lawlor, Kilcarrig Street who was interred here this Saturday.

MONTHS MIND

Seamus O'Hara, 39 St. Brigids Crescent. Mass on Saturday 20th November in Parish Church at 6:00pm.

Liam Kelly, Fr Cummins Park. Mass on Sunday 21st November in Ballinkillen Church at 10:00am.

FIRST ANNIVERSARIES

Anne Somers, Clonmullin, Eastwood. Mass on Sunday 28th November in Parish Church at 11:30am.

Beams Christmas Extravaganza!!!!

Meet Santa and Mrs Claus in their Christmas House **2nd Dec 6pm-9pm in Beam Centre**, Bagenalstown Homemade Crafts, foods and drinks available. *Visit the garden all lit up to welcome Santa Tickets €5 per child*



CRAFT FAIR

In Pres/De La Salle College, Bagenalstown on **Friday 26th November from 4pm—7pm**. Over 30 stalls will be there. Adm €5 with door prize of Hamper. Santa will also be there available for photos. *In aid of School Funds.*

ANNIVERSARIES

Mary O'Riordan, Regent Street
Dora Henchon nee Salter, Dublin & St. Brigids Crescent
Theresa Bridgett, Oak Grove
Ann McDonnell, Ratheadon
Ned & Frances Drea, Kilcarrig
Ned Lyons, Oldtown
Paul Lyons, Oldtown
Michael O'Dwyer, Labanasigh
Mary Kane, Railway Road

These Anniversaries will be prayed for on Friday 26th & Saturday 27th November at 10:00am Mass in Parish Church

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

Christmas Wreath Workshop

A fun creative workshop where you learn to make your own Christmas wreath and Christmas table centre-piece. Taking place in the Bagenalstown Scouts Den on Sat. December 11th from 9.30am until 1.30pm. This workshop is funded by Kilkenny Carlow ETB. Instruction provided by ETB registered tutor. Places are limited so apply early. To book a place contact (087) 6995420 by text or by phone after 6pm by email odeapk@gmail.com. Cost €8 (for materials). Covid pass/evidence of immunity required.



Aine O'Connell-Purcell

(formerly Bagenalstown) passed away from **Motor Neurone Disease** on the 4th May this year. She was an active member of the Mountrath Camera Society and as a tribute to her, some of her friends have created a book and calendar '**HEALING WHISPERS**' which they are selling to raise funds for MNDA. The book and calendar cost €15 euro each and **all proceeds will go to MNDA**. Books are available locally from Bagenalstown Pharmacy, New Image and Rose Kavanagh or from Máire Lee 086 1923267.

Ballinkillen School P.A.

are holding a **Christmas Market** on **Sunday 5th December from 10am to 2pm** in Ballinkillen/Lorum Community Centre. A fun filled morning with loads of attractions including cake stall, tea & coffee, arts and crafts, sweets, games, face painting, local business stalls and much, much more.

This year is the **50th Anniversary of Ballinkillen GAA** and to commemorate the occasion they are launching a book with a comprehensive history of the club and Gaelic games in the area. The book will be launched on **Friday 3rd December at 9pm** in Ballinkillen Lorum Community Centre with guest speakers a presentation to the winning Junior Team of 1971 and finger food afterwards. Entrance is free and the book will be on sale on the night for €10. All welcome.

St. Vincent De Paul Annual Church Gate Collection on **Saturday 4th & Sunday 5th** at all Masses in the Parish .Please give your support to those that need our help. Thank you.

St. Vincent De Paul Helpline 086-4042631



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

St. Brigids Boys N.S. Collection on Sat 27th & Sun 28th November. Please give your support.

Friday and Saturday Anniversary Masses:

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.

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 **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