

VIEW LIVE WEBCAM from our Parish Church which can be viewed from our Parish website—www.bagenalstownparish.ie

St. Vincent De Paul Helpline 086-4042631

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

Many thanks to all who support the Envelope Collections it really is much appreciated. New Envelopes will be available from NEXT weekend for the new Envelope Year.



Listening Lent The Kandle online synod survey will go live on www.kandle.ie/synod/ on Ash Wednesday. If you can't make it to a local in person listening session during Lent you might like to complete this survey instead, individually or as part of a group. You might also share it with those you think might not have a chance to attend in person. The Synod Committee wants to leave no voice out of this listening – the lived experience of every person matters and counts.

Parish Office Hours:
Mon/Tues/Thurs
9:30-5pm / Fri 9:30-12pm
(Office closed Wednesday)

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

A Prayer from the Trócaire Parish Lenten Resources 2022 Praise Be to You, Creator of All Things. Come to us, dear Lord and plant the seeds of compassion in our hearts and grant our leaders wisdom to make the changes we need to see, so that your earth and your people can thrive as you planned. Reach out your loving arms to all your brothers and sisters, and renew our love for you, our planet, and all living creatures. Grant us peace in our hearts as we remain hopeful for change. Guide us with presence as we continue to commit ourselves to work for climate justice. (Janet Twomey, Trócaire)

The Season of Lent



BAGENALSTOWN - NEWTOWN - BALLINKILLEN

'CHURCH NOTICES'

8th Sunday of the Year

27th February 2022

FIRST FRIDAY 4th March

Mass in Newtown Church at 7:00pm
Mass in Ballinkillen Church at 8:00pm.



Trocaire Boxes—

Will be distributed through the schools, if you don't get one you can pick one up in the church. Our generosity can significantly add to the quality of life for our poorer brothers and sisters in the world.



ASH WEDNESDAY 2nd March

Day of Fast and Abstinence Mass Times
Parish Church 8:00am Newtown 7:00pm
Parish Church 10:00am Ballinkillen 8:00pm

Blessed Ashes will be distributed at all Masses.

PRAY FOR

Oliver Walshe, Clonsilla, Dublin & Royal Oak Road (brother of *Seán, Annie, Noeleen & Geraldine*)
Brendan (China) Ellard, Rivercourt & The Curragh whose Funeral Mass took place in The Curragh on Thursday.
Brendan Smyth, Ballyknockan, Fenagh whose Funeral Mass took place here on Saturday.
Josephine Randall, Barrett Street. Funeral arrangements later.

MONTHS MIND

John Keenan, Dunleckney. Mass on Sunday 6th March in Parish Church at 11:30am.
Paddy Fenelon, Ballytarsna. Mass on Friday 4th March in Newtown Church at 700pm.

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 **10 days** before the Anniversary Mass.

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FIRST ANNIVERSARIES

Tom O'Neill, Dunleckney. Mass on Saturday 26th February in Parish Church at 6:00pm.

Patrick 'Pat' Doyle, 52 St. Brigids Crescent. Mass on Sunday 27th February in Parish Church at 11:30am.

John Browne, Cloneen, Nurney. Mass on Sunday 6th March in Newtown Church at 9:00am.

Johnny Phelan, Ballymartin, Borris. Mass on Friday 4th March in Ballinkillen Church at 8:00pm.

Remembrance Mass for Deceased Members of Ladies Pentecost Choir especially Esther Roberts, Áine Somers & Bridie Walsh on Sunday 6th March in Parish Church at 7:30pm.

ANNIVERSARIES

Thomas, Margaret & Thomas Dillon Jnr, St. Brigids Crescent

Liam Corcoran, 2 Pairc Mhuire
Tom & Peig Hickey, 12 St. Brigids Crescent

Myles & Ellen Quirke, Monemore
Mary & Joe O'Keeffe, Kilree
Charles & Doris Haum, U.S.A
Esther Power, Bennettsbridge
Jim O'Kane, Royal Oak Road
John Condren, Rathedon

David Williams, Maple Drive
John Darcy, 85 St. Brigids Crescent
Mary Nevin & her son Ned, 45 St. Brigids Crescent

Patrick & Michael O'Reilly, 7 Fairgreen

Helen O'Neill, Regent Street
Peggy Geoghegan, Pairc Mhuire
Peter Meaney, Ballyloughan

Baby James Hickey, Rathduff
Patricia Farrell nee Hickey, Oldtown
These Anniversaries will be prayed for on Friday 4th & Saturday 5th March at 10:00am Mass in Parish Church

First Friday Anniversary Mass 4th March at 8:00pm in Ballinkillen Church

Jimmy & Mai Murphy, Clowater & their daughter Maria Hayden
Johnny Phelan, Ballymartin, Borris
Tom & Brigid Kane, Curranree
John & Brigid Connors, Timbergap
Maureen Connors, Ballyloughan
Katie Bolger, Coolnacuppogue
Kate Cullen, Coolnacuppogue
Paddy Kelly, Kilcruit
Mick Kelly, Kilcruit
Jim English, Seskinryan
Sarah Farrell, Ballinkillen
Mary O'Shea, Kenmare, Kerry
Paul O'Shea, Kenmare, Kerry
John McDonnell, Kilree
P.J. Brenan, Ballinkillen

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

St. Lazerian's House

We are looking for some volunteers to do the gardens here at St Lazerian's coming into the summer e.g. flower beds, weeding etc maybe there might be some retired persons with an interest in gardening that might like to help us out. *Also* we are looking for volunteers that could do some activities with our residents e.g. painting, ingo, singing etc. we would be delighted for you to share your skills/ passion with our residents. If you are interested in volunteering please contact

Lisa Murphy,

Manager,

St. Lazerian's House

059 9721146



First Friday Anniversary Mass 4th March at 7:00pm in Newtown Church

Sadie Dobbs, Dublin & Ballywilliamroe
Noel Nolan, Kilconnor
Martin & Jane Lennon, Mount Pleasant, Fenagh
Catherine Murray, Ballaghaderneen
Sr. Mary Veronica Murray, Cambridge & Ballaghaderneen
Gerard Cox, Bagenalstown
Patrick & Mary-Teresa Drea
Michael Murphy, Boherduff
John & Queenie Mahony, Rathedon
Eileen Aughney, Newtown
Jim & Paddy Curran, Boherduff
Betty Murphy, Ballywilliamroe
Edward & Maryann Treacy, Boherduff
Mary O'Brien, Boherduff
Paddy Fenelon, Ballytarsna
Annie Brooks, 2 Ashgrove, Fenagh
Elizabeth Hickey, Rathedon

Tax Relief on Donations to Bagenalstown Parish

Many thanks to all those who have and continue to donate to our parish. We are extremely grateful especially in these difficult times. The parish can further benefit from donations that are in excess of €250 per annum from taxpayers.

So to anyone who recently received a 'CHY3 Endurance Certificate' form, continue to keep us in mind, by signing and returning at your convenience



The Kiss of Christ

From ancient times, both Christian and Jewish believers have developed the art of listening for, and responding to, God's word. In our Catholic tradition, this is called lectio divina, sacred reading. It is a way of hearing God's voice, seeking God's will, and discovering how we try to live it. The Kiss of Christ is a short hybrid course (online and at home/in parish) being offered by Rev Professor Seamus O'Connell from Saint Patrick's Pontifical University, Maynooth to introduce the way of lectio divina and to support those who would wish to practice it during Lent 2022. Please visit www.aspal.ie for registration and information

Evangelium Ireland Conference

Evangelium will host a one-day young adult Conference in All Hallows' College, Drumcondra, Dublin on 26th March from 9am. The conference includes Mass, informative talks & workshops by clergy, religious & laity, concluding that evening with a social. The talk topics are on Apologetics, Scripture, Dogma & the Church. The cost including lunch & supper is €38. For details & booking see www.evangelium.ie, or 0862189025. "Evangelium Ireland" on Facebook, evangeliumireland@gmail.com

Trócaire Lenten Appeal

This Lent, Trócaire's Appeal highlights the impact that climate change and Covid-19 has on people's lives in Zimbabwe and how your love and generosity can give families a chance to build a better tomorrow.