

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

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

Please note:

Change of day (from Wednesdays to Tuesdays) for Adoration starting from **Tuesday 6th September** (same time).

Diocesan Pastoral Council:

Did you know that there is a dedicated page for the DPC on the Kandle website? Go to <https://www.kandle.ie/pastoral/diocesan-pastoral-council/> to see who the current members are, the DPC mission statement as well as the five themes they have identified for their work – these themes can be very usefully read alongside our diocesan synod synthesis.

Cardiac Rehab Podcast

“It’s Cardiac Rehab” – A podcast series bringing together experts in cardiac rehab and patients who have attended cardiac rehabilitation. Topics included are exercise, medication, healthy eating and the psychological impact of living with heart disease. If you have had a cardiovascular event such as a heart attack, coronary artery stenting or coronary artery bypass surgery – log onto <https://irishheart.ie/services-for-you/its-cardiac-rehab-podcast/> for information and support.

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) *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*

Yearbook 2022

Preparation for this year's Yearbook 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 1st October 2022 Photographs should be sent as jpegs. We look forward to hearing from you. The Yearbook committee would also welcome new members to the committee. Just drop a line to the above email. Any queries should be directed to Ann 9722042 or Michael 087-2675661.

St. Vincent De Paul Helpline 086-4042631



BAGENALSTOWN - NEWTOWN - BALLINKILLEN

'CHURCH NOTICES'

21st Sunday of the Year

21st August 2022

Divine Word Missionaries would like to say Thank you to all who gave so generously to their recent appeal. €2,282 was collected in the parish.

SUPPORTING CATHOLIC PARENTS

On Tuesday 6th September, there will be a conference on Zoom hosted by ‘The Hook of Faith’. The topic of the conference will be: ‘Supporting Catholic Parents: Sharing the Catholic Vision of Love and Human Sexuality with Our Children’. The speaker will be Fr Chris Hayden, author of the recently published book: ‘A Better Vision: Understanding and Living the Catholic Vision of Human Sexuality’. The conference will begin at 8pm and conclude at 9pm. All are welcome. All you need to do to take part is send an email to: thehookoffaith@gmail.com This conference is designed to help Catholic parents be the best educators of their children in the areas of faith and morality in our modern culture.

National Synthesis of synodal process

The national synthesis – which has now been submitted to the Synod Secretariat in the Vatican as part of the global synodal process announced by Pope Francis for the Church is available to read and download on www.kandle.ie Dr Nicola Brady, Chair of the Synod Steering Committee, said, “We invite everyone to read the national synthesis and reflect on what we are called to do, as individuals and as a church community, as a result of what we have heard. The issues raised are not new, but the honesty and clarity with which they have been articulated in this process, and the relational approach that has characterised the work to date, offers a strong foundation to build upon. Some of the findings are stark, many of the experiences shared are painful, but there have also been many hopeful and encouraging aspects, notably the importance many people have placed on this process and the skills and experience we will take forward into the subsequent phases of this work. Important questions have been set out for deeper reflection and pastoral action at every level of Church life and there will be many more opportunities for people to get involved and help shape this process.”

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Parish Office Hours: Mon/Tues/Thurs 9:30-5pm / Fri 9:30-12pm

(Office closed Wednesday)

Registered Charity No. 20015848

PRAY FOR

Bernard 'Bertie' Hayes, Glenville, Leighlinbridge.
Teresa Bermingham nee Leech, Edenderry (*sister of Alice Mahon*)

MONTHS MIND

Michael O'Shea, Seskinryan. Mass on Sunday 21st August at 11:30am in Parish Church.

ANNIVERSARIES

Terence Shaughnessy, Ballywilliamroe
Terry Shaughnessy, Knockindrane
Billy Rea, 51 Pairc Mhuire
Kathleen O'Neill, Augha
Michael Cody, Kilree
Sebastian, Barandily, Brittany, France
Goretti Tobin, Ashfield
John Byrne, Seskinryan
Mairead Purcell, 19 Pairc Mhuire
Dora Salter, St. Brigids Crescent
Nancy Salter, Fairgreen
Josie Blake, Railway Road
Sara Donoghue-Phelan, Palatine

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

The Meaning Crisis, Modernity and the Christian Way

Benburb Priory will soon host a day conference on the meaning crisis (rise in suicides, depression, and more) and the Christian way, today. The conference will feature leading Christian thinkers, including Paul Kingsnorth, Paul Vander Klay, and Fr Calvin Robinson. This event will take place on *Friday 2nd September*. Tickets are available at Benburbpriory.com now. All are welcome.

Parish Pilgrimage to Medjugorje

6th — 13th October 2022

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Spiritual Director:

Fr Declan Foley.

If interested please contact **Helen Wall 086-8226930**



Newtown Fenagh Nurney Senior Citizens

Committee are hosting a dinner in the Seven Oaks Hotel, Carlow on **28th August**, arriving at 5.30pm for dinner at 6pm. Please contact one of our committee members if you wish to attend. *We are looking forward to meeting everyone once again.*

HAVE YOU A BABY FOR BAPTISM?

If you have a baby for Baptism, contact 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

Ballinkillen N.S. Basketball Court Fundraiser

We are running this fundraiser so we can complete our basketball court. It is ready for tarmac and just in time before kids return in September. There has been huge work done by parents to get it this far. We are so grateful for all donations made so far and we are asking all parents, ex pupils, new pupils, neighbours, friends and the community of Ballinkillen and surrounding areas to help support this amazing cause in any way possible. There are also donation boxes in Tims Shop & Bagenalstown Office Services or if anyone wishes to give anonymous donations you can contact Aoife on 085 7023912. Many thanks, Ballinkillen PA.

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

PARISH MASS TIMES

ST. ANDREW'S CHURCH

Sunday (Sat) Vigil 6:00pm, Sun 8:00am, 11:30am & 7:30pm

Weekday—(Mon- Sat)

Parish Church 10am

ST. PATRICKS CHURCH

Sunday 9am

ST. LAZERIAN'S CHURCH

Sunday 10am

Encounter School of Ministry

Are you hungry for more? Do you want to go deeper in your faith? Do you want to live from your identity as a child of God? Then, this course is for you. The Encounter School of Ministry is a dynamic training program designed to teach, equip, and activate you in the full supernatural lifestyle of Jesus so that you can walk with God in intimacy and demonstrate his love and power to the world around you! Drawing from the richness of our Catholic heritage we are offering an online training program for Ireland, designed to take you to the next level in your ministry. Enrolment is for one year, so you can discern your continuation as a Year 2 student. Our curriculum and content is rooted in Catholic Tradition and faithful to Catholic teaching. Classes are held on Thursdays at 7:30pm from mid-September through May. For more information visit

<https://encounterschool.org/online-campus-ireland/>

Be sure to select the Online – English Campus and you will then be able to choose the 7:30 IST / 2:30pm ET time slot for your zoom session! Places are limited!

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.