

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

Mary's Meals

Mary's Meals is a simple solution to world hunger. In our 20th year, we provide a daily meal to 2,279,941 children every school day in some of the world's poorest countries. It costs just €18.30 to feed a child in a place of education for an entire school year. For more information, please check out www.marysmeals.ie or contact Angela Moore at 089-4339592 or angela.moore@marysmeals.org

Clinical Pastoral Education (CPE)

Clinical Pastoral Education (CPE) will be offered on an on-going basis at University Hospital Kerry from January 2023. CPE can be used as preparation for pastoral ministry in many different settings, for discernment, faith formation, sabbatical. It involves three components - education, supervision and clinical placement. If you feel this is something worth exploring, please contact Dr Margaret Naughton at 066-7184000 or email naughtonmargaret@yahoo.com to begin the conversation.

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

PHOTOGRAPHY WORKSHOP

Open to beginners and those with experience using cameras at Bagenalstown FRC Wednesday 10am – 12pm. Book your place now by calling 083 208 8689.

Marriage Encounter

Marriage Encounter Ireland are hosting a Marriage Enrichment Weekend from **Friday 4th – Sunday 6th November 2022** at the International Hotel, Cork Airport. For more information and to book please visit www.marriageencounter.ie

Workshops for Cantors

A series of workshops for Cantors will take place around the country during the coming year. We begin the first workshop, in association with the Schola Cantorum, St Finian's College, Mullingar, on Saturday, 12 November, in St Paul's Church Mullingar, beginning at 12 noon and ending at 2.00 p.m.

Special Kildare Pilgrimage to Fatima

at Easter 2023 ex Dublin
Departing Wednesday Holy Week 5th April 5 nights full Easter ceremony and tour of Lisbon. Optional tour to seaside on Easter Saturday
contact James Treacy 061921470

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

(Office closed Wednesday)

Registered Charity No. 20015848

BAGENALSTOWN - NEWTOWN - BALLINKILLEN
'CHURCH NOTICES'
29th Sunday of Year 16th October 2022

Eucharistic Ministers & Readers WANTED



It would be great if we could get parishioners to help out at any of our masses in the parish. Please contact the parish office if you would like to become a Reader or Eucharistic Minister.



Confirmation Enrolment Mass on Thursday 20th October at 7:30pm in Parish Church. Confirmation Candidates & their families are all very welcome.

First Holy Communion Preparation Mass on Sunday 23rd October at 9:00am in Newtown Church, 10:00am in Ballinkillen Church and at 11:30am Mass in Parish Church

Visit to the Housebound will be attended to this week on Monday

Monday morning—Town Area

Monday afternoon— Ballinkillen Area & Newtown Area

World Mission Sunday 23rd October 2022

World Mission Sunday is the Holy Father's annual appeal for spiritual and financial support so that the life-giving work of overseas mission and missionaries can continue. It always falls on the second last Sunday in October, meaning this year it will be celebrated over the weekend of Sunday 23rd October and is coordinated in Ireland by Missio Ireland.

All offerings made on behalf of World Mission Sunday become part of the Holy Father's Universal Solidarity Fund. This Fund supports missionary activities in over 1,100 young dioceses, mostly in Africa, Asia, and Latin America. As young dioceses grow, so do their needs. On top of this, they are often found in remote areas devastated by conflict or natural disasters. The Universal Solidarity Fund provides aid so that missionaries can continue to go to these places to share the love of God.

Every year to enhance World Mission Sunday celebrations, Missio Ireland prepare the Mission Month Pack. These resources are designed to help individuals, parishes and communities celebrate not just World Mission Sunday, but the entire month of October.

Feel free to use and share these resources with your wider community in any way you wish – in person, from the pulpit, on your website, or over social media!

Access the Resources www.missio.ie/mission-month/

Donate to Missio Ireland www.missio.ie/donate/

PRAY FOR

Ester Hawe, 38 St. Brigids Crescent who was interred in Bagenalstown on Tuesday.

Billy Boyle, St. Brigids Crescent who was interred in Bagenalstown on Thursday.

MONTHS MIND

Seán Clarke, Fr Cummins Park. Mass on Sunday 23rd October at 11:30am in Parish Church.

FIRST ANNIVERSARIES

Gertie Gallagher, Royal Oak Road. Mass on Sunday 16th October at 11:30am in Parish Church.

Seamus O'Hara, 39 St. Brigids Crescent. Mass on Saturday 22nd October at 6:00pm in Parish Church.

Seán Kerr, Corries. Mass on Sunday 23rd October at 9:00am in Newtown Church.

Liam Kelly, 33 Fr Cummins Park. Mass on Sunday 23rd October at 10:00am in Ballinkillen Church.

Ossory Adult Faith

Development Pilgrimage to Rome

The Eternal City has a remarkable array of religious works of art – frescoes, paintings, sculptures, mosaics, stuccos. Over the centuries these treasures have inspired, educated and uplifted countless people.

Our itinerary will explore the religious and catechetical meaning of some of these masterpieces. Traveling dates March 9th – 14th 2023, €710 p.p sharing. For more information and to book your place please contact Kieran and Laura Troy, Myriam Tours at 057-9355050 or email info@myriam.ie

ANNIVERSARIES

John Lee, London & St. Brigids Crescent

John Walsh, Royal Oak Road
Noel Monaghan, Fr Cummins Park
Deceased members of Bagenalstown I.C.A. Guild

Helen Halligan, 25 Eastwood
Rogers Family, Ratheadon
Charles & Doris Haun, U.S.A.

These Anniversaries will be prayed for on Friday 21st & Saturday 22nd October at 10:00am Mass in Parish Church

Garryhill ICA

TABLE QUIZ

on Thursday 20th October, Hunters Rest, Fenagh at 8:30pm. €30 per table.

Mortgage Arrears / Abhaile Scheme

Are you in mortgage arrears? Are you worried about losing your home? If so, there is help. You may be entitled to Government support under the Abhaile Scheme.

For more information, feel free to contact Tatiana McGreal, Financial Solutions Ireland on 085 867 4883 (www.fsireland.ie)

Presentation De La Salle Christmas Draw

Lines available now €1 each/€10 full card. Prizes include Large Hamper, Fuel Voucher, Christmas Cake & Plum Pudding, Medium Hamper & various other prizes.

Confirmation and First Holy Communion

Confirmation Dates 2023

Ballinkillen N.S. 4th March at 11:00am in Ballinkillen Church
Newtown N.S. 4th March at 2:00pm in Newtown Church

St. Brigids Boys N.S. 11th March at 11:00am in Bagenalstown Church
Queen of the Universe Girls N.S. 11th March at 1:00pm in Bagenalstown Church

Nurney N.S. 25th March at 11:00am in Newtown Church

First Holy Communion Dates 2023

Newtown N.S. 6th May at 11:00am in Newtown Church

St. Brigids Boys N.S. 6th May at 1:00pm in Bagenalstown Church
Ballinkillen N.S. 13th May at 11:00am in Ballinkillen Church
Queen of the Universe Girls N.S. 20th May at 11:00am in Bagenalstown Church

St. Vincent De Paul Helpline 086-4042631

Leighlinbridge & District

Active Retired: Meeting Monday 17th October in Parish Centre at 2:30. Refreshments followed by third Jewellery Making class. Bowls played Thursday at 2:30.

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

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.

A UNIQUE BETRAYAL: A CALL TO LISTEN, A CALL TO ACTION, A CALL TO CHANGE

Seeking to change the conversation about abuse in the Catholic Church

The final workshop of 2022 takes place Friday, 04 November (5PM) - Sunday, 06 November 2022. Workshop Facilitator: Father Hugh Lagan SMA

Fr Lagan is a priest with the Society of African Missions and a chartered clinical psychologist. He has led retreats, workshops and trainings internationally on psychological and spiritual well-being, positive change, trauma, mental health and resilience. Please contact Jacinta or Louisa to reserve your place:

TEL: 028 (048 from ROI) 3082 1964
admin@dromantineconference.com

Everyone is welcome.

My Life in your Hands

A book is to be published shortly containing a selection of writings by the late Fr. John Cummins PP of Abbeyleix & Ballyroan and native of Newbridge. A deep thinker, an accomplished preacher and a Doctor of Divinity, God's word and message were central to his vocation. This book reveals Fr. John's gentle sharing of his love of God through his reflections each Sunday and other occasions with the Christian communities of Abbeyleix & Ballyroan, Carlow and Naas. *My Life In Your Hands* will be a useful companion as we journey through the coming liturgical year. For the casual reader, it is an opportunity to engage with the Christian faith.