

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

Lock Up Light Up - Burglary Prevention Tips from An Garda Siochana

As we approach the time of year when the clocks are set to go back, we are once again appealing to people to secure their homes and premises and to Lock Up and Light Up during the winter months. Traditionally Burglaries increase by 20% over the winter months of October to March. Some simple methods can make your home and premises less vulnerable to Criminal Attack.

Lighting around the house on a sensor or photocell.

Lighting inside on timers

Natural Surveillance- trim shrubs down to 1m and trees up to 2 m.

Use Bogus Caller Cards

Close Curtains during hours of Darkness.

What Attracts the Burglar:

Signs of being unoccupied.

Open Windows, Hidden keys

A build up of Post /Milk, etc.

No alarms. High vegetation

Ladders or tools in easy reach

Easy access to the rear of your house

Poor lighting or house lights on at the wrong time. See www.garda.ie for Home Security Tips and Advice.

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

Secretary needed

Our Lady's NS Nurney, Carlow is seeking a school secretary who is competent and experienced in School Administration for 1 day per week. The successful candidate will have excellent organisational, interpersonal and written skills. A high level of Confidentiality and Discretion is expected. Please forward letter of application, referees and CV by email to nurneysec@gmail.com.

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

Pledge for November

Many people offer spiritual support to a relation who is struggling because of alcohol or an addiction problem. Parishioners who wish to take a short-term Pioneer pledge during the month of the Holy Souls are invited to visit www.pioneers.ie/pray

BAGENALSTOWN - NEWTOWN - BALLINKILLEN
'CHURCH NOTICES'
33rd Sunday of the year 13th November 2022



November is the month for Remembering the Dead
Masses for remembering the dead
Mon 21st – Saturday 26th November at 10am in Parish Church

First Holy Communion Preparation Mass will be on Sunday 20th November :

9:00am in Newtown Church, (Newtown NS)

10:00am in Ballinkillen Church (Ballinkillen NS)

11:30am in Bagenalstown Church (St. Brigid's Boys NS & Queen of the Universe NS)

Coláiste Áindriú

Coláiste Áindriú's Career Exhibition will be held in our Sports Hall on Thur. 17th Nov 6-8 pm. Many of the 3rd Level Colleges will be attending on the night. **All Welcome**

Coláiste Áindriú's school musical will be held on the 1st of Dec. "A Lad in Trouble" charts the adventures of a young man who has 3 wishes, 3 hopes and 3 dreams, and they all could come true. **Tickets will be on sale shortly from the school office.**

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

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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

Esther Curran, Ballywilliamroe who was interred in Newtown on Monday.
Christy Johnson, Conway Park who was interred in Bagenalstown on Tuesday.

Sr Malachy Tully, Sisters of Charity, Dublin (*sister in law of Mary Devine, Kilree*)

Patricia Ryan nee Carroll, Rathvilly & Fenagh.

MONTHS MIND

Ann O’Gorman, Dunroe. Mass on Sunday 13th November at 10:00am in Ballinkillen Church.

1st Anniversary

Noel Geoghegan, 68 Pairc Mhuire. Mass on Saturday 12th November at 6:00pm in Parish Church.

Maeve Lawlor, Kilcarrig Street. Mass on Saturday 19th November at 6:00pm in Parish Church.

Kitty Shaughnessy, Donore. Mass on Sunday 20th November at 10:00am in Ballinkillen Church.

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. **Thank you to those who have given their names already but if you are just even thinking about it please get in contact.**



ANNIVERSARIES

John Lawlor, Kilcarrig Street
Eamon Lawlor, Carlow
Mary Lawlor, Kilcarrig Street
Peter Lawlor, Kilcarrig Street
James & Mary Gough, Kilree Street & their children Eddie, Pat & Rosie
Mary Kinsella, Ballyellen
Patrick Agars, Ballyloughan
Bryan Nolan, Eastwood
John, Anne & Andrew Jnr Murphy, England
Jimmy Johnson, Surrey, England & St. Brigids Crescent
Michael Canavan, Garryhill & 17 St. Brigids Crescent
Paddy Drea, Dunleckney
Deceased members of Drea Family
Kathleen & Martin Curry, & their son Patrick
Patrick Sheehan, Royal Oak Road
Noel Cowman, Ballymoon
Maureen Cowman, Ballymoon
Connie Guidera, Ballyknockan, Fenagh
These Anniversaries will be prayed for on Friday 18th & Saturday 19th November at 10:00am Mass in Parish Church

TOTUS TUUS Scripture Conference 2022 is LIVE on Radio Maria Ireland from 2pm on Saturday 19th November. Speakers include Sr. Caitriona Kavanagh OP, Brian O’Driscoll (Paving the way home), Fr John McCarthy (Cloyne Diocese) and Fr Terence Crotty OP. Radio Maria Ireland can be listened to by downloading the Radio Maria Ireland APP, Saorview Channel 210 or listen live at (01)4373277

B.I.G. Energy Expo

Ways to save
B.I.G. (*Bagenalstown Improvement Group*) are holding an Energy Expo in the McGrath Hall on **Saturday 19th November from 12pm—6:00pm.** There will be presentations from speakers, exhibitors from across energy & renewable industries, tips on how to reduce your energy bills and access grants. **Not to be missed.**

BEAM Services

We are recruiting **Bus Driver (Part-Time 15-20hours per week) & Relief Bus Driver** Working hours will be split shift e.g. 8am-10am & 3pm-5pm (*these hours may vary*) Applications to BEAM Services, Regent Street or info@beamservices.ie Enquiries Angelina Hamill/Brett Campbell 059-9723504/5
Closing date for applications **Wednesday 23rd November**

Leighlinbridge & District Active Retired Meeting on Monday 14th November at 2:30pm in the Parish Centre. Refreshments followed by singing with Clara Hutchinson (*14th, 28th Nov & 5th Dec*). Holiday monies now due. No meeting on Monday 21st November as members will be on holidays. New members always welcome. Bowls on Thursday at 2:30pm.

Handel’s MESSIAH

Carlow Choral Society
Saturday 3rd December at 8:00pm in Cathedral of the Assumption, Carlow.
Tickets €20 & Info www.carlowchoralsociety.net

St. Vincent De Paul
Helpline 086-4042631

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.

Presentation De La Salle Christmas Craft Fair

In College Hall on Friday 25th November from 4:00pm-8:00pm €3adm (*Children Free*)

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.

The Miscarriage Association of Ireland Annual Service of Remembrance

Will be held on Sunday the 13th of November 2022 at 3pm in St Teresa's Church, Donore Avenue, off South Circular Road, Dublin 8. All parents, siblings, grandparents & anyone else affected by the loss of a baby are very welcome to attend, regardless of whether the loss was recent or long ago.'

Would you like to read the Catechism in a year?

We are a friendly group that reads and discusses a section of the Catechism of the Catholic Church each week. In 2023, we will follow The Catechism in a Year with Fr. Mike Schmitz.

<https://ascensionpress.com/pages/catechisminayear>

Join us on Mondays at 8.00pm in the Parish Centre, Prosperous. Contact Alice 087 6505803