



The Collooney & Ballinacarrow (Kilvarnet) Parish

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Office Hours (Secretary present): 9.30 am – 12.30 pm (Monday – Friday)

June 22nd & 23rd – Twelfth Sunday in Ordinary Time



Church of the Assumption, Collooney – Masses

Sat. 22 nd	8.00 pm	Private Intention
Sun. 23 rd	11.00 am	People of the Parish Community
Mon. 24 th - Thurs. 27 th	9.00 am	Private Intentions
Fri. 28 th	-----	No morning Mass during Novena
Fri. 28 th	8.00 pm	Novena
Sat. 29 th	8.00 pm	Novena
Sun. 30 th	11.00 am	People of the Parish Community
Sun. 30 th	8.00 pm	Novena

Church of St. Fechin & St. Lassara, Ballinacarra - Masses

Sat. 22 nd	6.30 pm	Private Intention	Sun. 23 rd	9.30 am	Private Intention
Sat. 29 th	6.30 pm	Private Intention	Sun. 30 th	9.30 am	Private Intention

Offertory Collection - Many thanks for your ongoing generosity and support. It is, as always, very much appreciated.

Secure Online Donations - can now be made through the parish website at www.kilvarnetparish.com/donate-online

Ballinacarrow Church

Readers	6.30 pm	Sat. 22 nd	Mary Muldoon	9.30 am	Sun. 23 rd	Kieran White
	6.30 pm	Sat. 29 th	Sharon Callaghan	9.30 am	Sun. 30 th	Attracta Madden
Ministers of the Eucharist:	6.30 pm	Sat. 22 nd	Ellen Conway	9.30 am	Sun. 23 rd	Des Brett
	6.30 pm	Sat. 29 th	Mairead Bourke	9.30 am	Sun. 30 th	Mary Madden
Offertory Baskets: July:	6.30 pm	Sat.	George Faney	9.30 am	Sun.	Séamus Hogge

Collooney Church

Readers	8.00 pm	Sat. 22 nd	John Walsh	11.00 am	Sun. 23 rd	Stuart Fallon
	8.00 pm	Sat. 29 th	Bernadette Morris Roe	11.00 am	Sun. 30 th	Edward Mullin
Ministers of the Eucharist:	8.00 pm	Sat. 22 nd	Rosemary Rogers	11.00 am	Sun. 23 rd	Mary Doherty
	8.00 pm	Sat. 29 th	Bernadette Morris Roe	11.00 am	Sun. 30 th	Edward Mullin

We remember in our prayers – the soul of Frank Carney, Ballintogher (brother of Ita Carney, Collooney) who was buried during the week. May he Rest in Peace.

Sunday morning Mass on July 7th at 11.00 am - will be a special *Mass of Thanksgiving & Farewell* for the great work of the Collooney Mercy Sisters since the order came to Collooney in 1909. Refreshments after Mass in the corner N.S.

Calling all Bakers & Sandwich-makers – to donate food for the day. Food can be left into the N.S. on the morning.

Please sign – the two “*Farewell Cards*” for Srs. Ann & Margaret after Collooney weekend Masses (back of the church).

A Brief Final Meeting - to organise the *Maria Goretti Novena* and *Farewell Mass & Function* for Srs. Ann and Margaret will take place after the 11.00 am Mass in Collooney Church this Sunday, June 23rd.

Peter’s Pence Collection – will be taken up on 29th/30th. It is used by the Pope for humanitarian aid around the world.

Wishing - the very best of luck to all students who got summer holidays, especially those going on to 2nd level in Sept.

Collooney Church Conservation Update: Scaffolding is due to be erected at parts of the church early next week. Apologies, in advance, for any inconvenience this may cause. It is hoped that these essential repair works will make the building waterproof and allow it to dry out. The work is scheduled to last up to three months.

As previously advised, three separate grants have already been secured. In addition, the monthly yellow conservation envelopes have been very well supported. Other separate individual donations have also added significantly to the local contribution. A huge *Thank You* to all for your tremendous support, especially during these difficult economic times when most families are challenged by cost of living expenses. Thanks, also, for the invaluable help of the *Church Conservation* and *Church Finance* committees who are overseeing the project.

Despite the grant aid, and the tremendous response to the Conservation fund, there will still be a shortfall of approximately €32,000.00 which we will have to raise. Again, many thanks for your ongoing generosity and support.

Maria Goretti – Novena Flyers (outlining the 9 days of services) are available at the exit doors. Please take one home. The Novena begins on Friday, June 28th. Full details are also available online www.kilvarnetparish.com/novena

Thought for the Day – A bible that is falling apart usually belongs to someone who isn’t !!

Additional news items - are available on the online Newsletter. See www.kilvarnetparish.com/newsletters.

Please arrange a Replacement / Cover – if you are unable to act as a Reader or as a Eucharistic Minister.

Training - for Local Safeguarding Representatives in Tubbercurry (*An Chroi* - F91 X772) on Tue., June 25th at 7pm.
To Guarantee Mass Intentions - being included in the weekend newsletter, they should be requested no later than two weeks prior to the Mass being offered. Weekend Newsletters are often printed early in the week.

Cemetery Masses 2024 – **Collooney**: 8.00 pm on Friday, August 2nd / **Kilvarnet**: 8.00 pm on Wednesday, August 7th.

Confessions available – after each Mass or by appointment.

Reminder - Sunday Morning Masses in both churches can be booked for Mass Intentions, as for Saturday evenings

Fr. Peyton Centre and Mission Centre Opening Hours - Monday to Friday 9.30am to 5.30pm. The Centre will be opened on Saturdays from 25th May until the end of September from 12.00pm until 5.00pm. Tel: 096-45374. Fr. Peyton Mission Office, Main Street Knock, F12 Y8 H2. Opening Hours: Wednesday till Sunday 10am - 3pm.

A Prayerful atmosphere – should prevail at all times in our churches, especially when Masses are being celebrated. Mobile phones should be turned off and there should be no talking. People who come to pray should not be distracted.

Would you like someone to talk to? *SeniorLine* is Ireland's national telephone service for older people and is open every day of the year 10am -10pm, Freephone 1800 80 45 91. Callers may feel isolated, alone, wish to discuss a problem in confidence, or for company during their day. *SeniorLine's* older volunteers are trained to listen, to support, to discuss options and to refer caller to other helpful services if necessary. So don't be alone if sharing a problem would help. Phone *SeniorLine* 1800 80 45 91, open every day of the year 10 am-10 pm.

Beltra Country Market - is open every Saturday 10am-12:30 with a variety of home produced break and cakes, locally grown vegetables and plant ,and locally produced Crafts available. New members always welcome.

You don't have to be addicted to suffer from addiction! M-PACT supports the whole family, helping to improve relationships, communication and recovery. A free eight-week programme begins on Tuesday 9th April. For further information contact (071 9150578 / 085 875 9319 or email sligoleitrim@alcoholforum.com