

21st Nov - 27th Nov 2021

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MASSES & INTENTIONS

Our website has our Mass Schedule as well as the link to our online Mass which is streamed on our Facebook page. www.pastoralareagnr.com

Saturday 20th/Sunday 21st November

6.00pm (Saturday 20th, Vigil Mass) BALLYMADUN

Maureen & Billy McGrath (Anniv) -Thomas & Margaret Keenan (Anniv) - Kitty Ennis (Rem)

9.20am BALLYBOUGHAL

★ Loreto Dungan (Anniv)

10.30am GARRISTOWN

▼ Thomas & Monica Carberry (Anniv) - Bríd Gormley (Anniv)

12 Noon NAUL

Tuesday 23rd November at 10.30am NAUL Tuesday of the 34th week in Ordinary Time

■ Special Intention for Leonard Family & DFM

Wednesday 24th November at 10.30am BALLYBOUGHAL St. Andrew Dung-Lac and his Companions, Martyrs

■ Special Intention

Wed. 24th

Thursday 25th November at 10.30am GARRISTOWN
Thursday of the 34th week in Ordinary Time

Micháel O'Gruagáin (Rec Dec'd) - Rose McGovern (Rec Dec'd) - Oliver Plunkett (RD)

Please contact the Pastoral Area Office by phone or email if you would like to request a Mass intention. Mass cards are also available.

Mass to Remember loved ones who have died over the past year will take place on:

Naul at 7:30pm*

Fri. 19th Ballyboughal at 7:30pm* Mon. 22nd Garristown at 7:30pm*



*As numbers remain restricted in church, we ask for just TWO representatives from each family please. Each Mass will also be **streamed online through our Website,** for others to attend from home.

COVID-19 SUPPORT LINE FOR OLDER PEOPLE

manage a national support line and additional supports for older people who have concerns or are facing difficulties relating to COVID-19. Professional staff are available to answer queries and give advice. The support line is open seven days a week, 8am - 8pm, by calling 0818 222 024.

Pope's Intention November 2021 (evangelisation):

We pray that people who suffer from depression or burn-out wil find support and a light that opens them up to life.

Night Prayer for the Restless Lord, it's time for me to rest now. Sometimes my rest is troubled. Sometimes I have good reason to feel restless.

in my restless mind. I implore you to give me rest. I place all my cares and worries into your hands.

Sometimes I simply invent reasons

I want to trust you. I want to have faith in you. Help my lack of trust. Help my lack of faith. Love me in my imperfections and in my desire to be who you made me to be. Amen.





MINISTERS OF THE WORD

As part of developing our existing and new ministry groups, a Readers Rota for each church is now being put together, to take effect in the weeks of Advent.

We are very pleased to welcome new Readers who have already come forward, and others who are still welcome to contact Fr. Derek, or Elaine: 01 835 4138

ONGOING COVID RESTRICTIONS

Since the 22nd October the Government has eased some restrictions. However, the following measures will remain in place in church for the next while:

- Wearing mask covering nose & mouth while inside
- Sanitising hands on entry and exit
- Social distancing
- Church doors will also need to be left open to provide the necessary ventilation
- No holy water font use
- Communion still to be taken on the hand

We do still hope the following will soon be allowed:

Lighting of church candles at shrines

Phased safe return of the church choirs

- Phased return of Adoration Prayer in Garristown

Please keep checking our website for further updates: www.pastoralareagnr.com

BALLYBOUGHAL CHURCH AWARD

We were all pleased to receive 1st Prize in the Ballyboughal Tidy Towns Best Maintained Non-Residential Property category. Thanks to the Tidy Towns Committee for all their good work, and to all our parish supporters who help us to maintain the church.



NEW OFFICE OPENING TIMES

The Pastoral Area Office can help with bookings for Masses, Baptisms,

Weddings, and Funerals, requests for copies of Certificates, and with general enquiries. Mass cards for various intentions and occasions are also available. Please contact our Pastoral Area Secretary Elaine, at 01 8354138 & by email at pagnr44@gmail.com.

Our new Office Hours are: Tues. Wed. & Thurs. 9:30am—12pm Noon.



ALTAR LIST OF THE DEAD

Envelopes are available from the Pastoral Area Office or from each local church for remembrance of loved ones. They, along with the names we still have from last year's Altar List, will be included at all of our **weekday** Masses during the month of November.

