

PARISH NEWSLETTER

Ballinaglera - Doobally - Newbridge

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It is strongly advised you continue to wear a mask in Church during Mass. Thank you.

Mass Intentions for May

Ballinaglera Church Eircode N41 CK61

Saturday	30 th	8.30pm	Peter & Bridget McPartlin, Corralubber
Thursday	5 th	8.00pm	Frank & Annie Mai McGourty, Chris Farrell, Ray Clarke & Ann Burns, Tullinaha
Friday	6 th	6.00pm	Confirmation
Saturday	7 th	8.30pm	Martin & Agness Gilmartin
Friday	13 th	8.00pm	Michael & Katie McHugh, Drumnafinla
Saturday	14 th	8.30pm	Gerard Walker (Birthday remembrance mass)

Newbridge Church Eircode N41 DW40

Sunday	1 st	10.00am	Mary Kate, John James & John Gerard Lee, Ross
Wednesday	4 th	8.00pm	People of the parish
Sunday	8 th	8.00pm	Fr. Tom McSherry, Oaklahoma and late of Coolegraine
Wednesday	11 th	8.00pm	Private Intention
Sunday	15 th	10.00am	Annie Kate & Patrick Mooney, Mary O'Dolan, Tommy Mawn & dec. family members, Dargoon

Doobally Church Eircode N41 KR74

Sunday	1 st	11.30am	James & Ann McNiff & dec. family members, Corralacka Bridie McGourty, her husband Charlie, Tullineerin, and the deceased members of the McGourty and McPartlan families
Monday	2 nd	8.00pm	Paddy O'Hara & dec. family members, Ardlougher
Sunday	8 th	11.30am	Deceased members of the Loughlin family, Mooneen
Monday	9 th	8.00pm	Deceased members of the Darcy family, Tullinamoile
Sunday	15 th	11.30am	People of the Parish

Sincere thanks to all who contributed so generously to the recent Special Collection for Ukraine. Nationally, this collection has raised to date over €3.25 million. The war in Ukraine, and the terrible suffering which has resulted, has seen a tremendous outpouring of compassion and generosity from our parish communities. Your contributions will bring much-needed relief to those in the region whose lives and livelihoods have been devastated. The funds raised will be used by the international Catholic Church agency, Caritas Internationalis, which is currently operating on the ground in Ukraine and its surrounding areas. We continue to keep the people of Ukraine in our thoughts, praying for peace and an end to this appalling humanitarian crisis.

Eucharistic Adoration

Monday:	Doobally	8-10pm
Wednesday:	Newbridge	8.30pm-9.00pm
Friday:	Ballinaglera	8-9pm



Pastoral Council. Please drop in your vote in the box at the back of the church. If you have not voted please do so before Friday 6th of May.

Last Choir Practice for Confirmation next Thursday night (5th May) at 8:30 pm. in Ballinaglera Church.

Confirmation Practice Wednesday 4th May at 8:30pm

Confirmation on the Friday 6th May at 6:00pm in Ballinaglera Church.

First Holy Communion on Saturday 21st May at 12 noon in Ballinaglera Church.



Please hand in all Trocaire contributions as soon as possible so that we can send off the cheque to Trocaire, as this is a time of great need. Thank you for your generosity.

CAKE SALE AND OPEN DAY FOR UKRAINE.

Reminder - Good Energies Alliance Ireland and Ballinaglera Community Hall is hosting a Cake Sale and Open Day Fundraiser for Ukraine in Ballinaglera Community Hall on Monday 2nd May from 2pm to 6pm. This will include a car boot sale and a raffle with great prizes: hampers; wine and spirits; vouchers from Melrose, Jinny's and Yummy; and a lot more! Tickets can be bought on the day or in Gala in Drumshanbo. There will be a treasure hunt for children, and a play area. All are welcome, come and support this worthy cause. **CAKES AND DONATIONS WELCOME.** All proceeds will go to the Ukrainian Community Response Forum.

POP-UP SHOP FOR UKRAINE IN BALLINAGLERA

Leitrim Volunteer Centre, with Ballinaglera Hall Committee and Good Energies Alliance, is organising a weekly pop-up shop providing essential supplies and clothing for Ukrainian refugees in Leitrim. Donations of essential items, including babies' nappies, ladies' personal products, and good, clean clothing will be accepted during office hours in the Hall. They will be sorted and displayed once a week and a bus will bring the refugees to the Hall to avail of the supplies. **HELP NEEDED.** The pop-up shop needs people to help with sorting donations, preparing the clothes for display and managing the shop on the day. Please come to a meeting in Ballinaglera Hall on Tuesday at 9.00pm to help organise the initiative.

Funding for a Biodiversity Study of the Leitrim Way, St Hugh's Well and the Sweathouse area has been granted to GEAI (Good Energies Alliance Ireland). The launch of this project will take place on Wednesday 18th May with a visit to the site and refreshments in Ballinaglera Hall. All welcome. More details later.

Dowra Tidy Towns is looking for volunteers to join us in the Annual Spring Clean, lets work together to maintain our village tidy. The Clean up will be spread out over 3 days, Tuesday May 3rd, Wednesday May 4th and Thursday May 5th from 7pm to 9pm. All equipment will be provided. Meeting at the Resource Centre. A clean environment is a happy environment."