

ST. MARY'S, WESTPORT & DRUMMIN, ST. PATRICK'S LECANVEY

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PRIEST ON DUTY THIS WEEK **FR. JOHN KENNY 098 28871**

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS, READERS

Assisting in the Liturgy on 2nd & 3rd March Team B

6.30p.m. Saturday	Frank Mc Carrick	Breege Moran
11.00 am. Sunday	Kathleen Friel	Olga Kennedy

READER DRUMMIN:

Sun.25th Feb.	Joanne Gibbons	9.30p.m.
Sun 3rd March	Gretta Carr	9.30 a.m.

Weekday Reader 10.00 a.m. 26th February: Liz

Confessions on Saturday from 12.30pm

WEEKDAY READINGS:

Details of the readings for Mass during the Liturgical Year are available on CatholicIreland.net

Please remember in your prayers:

Kathleen Ansbro, Carrowbeg Estate.

Jenny Bernard

Josie O'Donnell, Islandeady & late of Newport Road.

Tony Mulchrone, Chicago, brother of the late

Anne McGing, Sandyhill.

May they Rest In Peace

DRUMMIN CHURCH MASSES:

Sunday 25th Feb..9.30am	1.Sean Navin.
Sunday 3rd March	
	LECANVEY CHURCH MASSES:
Sat.24th Feb @ 8.00pm	1.Months Mind: Michael Campbell. 2. William Reilly 3. James & Nora Finnerty & DFM. 4. Patrick & Mary Ellen Needham & DFM.
Sat. 2nd March 8.00p.m.	1.John Needham & remembering Roseleen & Patrick & Joe

MASS TIMES:

Monday – Saturday 10.00a.m.

Vigil Mass Saturday 6.30pm.

Westport: Sunday @ 11.00a.m.

Lecanvey: Saturday @ 8.00p.m.

Drummin: Sunday @ 9.30a.m.

BANK DETAILS:

The main Parish Account is now with PTSB due to the closure of Ulster Bank. The details are as follows:

Account Name: Westport Parish

BIC: IPBSIE2D

IBAN: IE83IPBS9907293320468

PARISH OFFICE OPENING HOURS

10:00AM – 5:30PM MONDAY & THURSDAY

10:00AM - 3:00PM TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY & FRIDAY

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MASSES WESTPORT CHURCH

Saturday 24th February 2024	
Mass 6.30pm	
Sunday 25th February 2024	
11.00a.m.	Months Mind: Maureen Griffin, Loughloon.
Monday 26th February 2024	
10.00am Mass	1. Mary Coughlan, Revenue Row 2. Michael John Hopkins, mother Colette & grandparents.
Tuesday 27th February 2024	
10.00am Mass	1. Joe & Eamon Staunton, Mc Neela Tce. 2. Gerard Caffrey & DM of Fitzpatrick, Butler & Caffrey families.
Wednesday 28th February 2024	
10.00a.m. Mass	1. Conway & Ingoldsby families. 2. Mary & John O'Donnell & DFM. Mall. 3. Ann Kelly.
Thursday 29th February 2024	
10.00a.m.	1. Michael Jennings & DM of Jennings & Lofts families.
Friday 1st March 2024	
10.00am	1.Maureen Mc Greevy, South Mall & DFM 2. Laurence Staunton, Mc Neela Terrace.
Saturday 2nd March 2024	
10.00a.m.	1. Ann & Paddy Gallagher, late of Carrowbeg House & DM of Newell & Gallagher families. 2. Martin Keane, Carrowbeg Estate. 3. Vivian Guthrie, Leenane Road. 4. Willie Browne, Derrygorman. 5. Mary & Jerry Cowley & DM of Cowley & Maguire families.
6.30p.m.	Months Mind: P. J. Heneghan, Glynsk & remembering his Mother Annie.
Sunday 3rd March 2024	
11.00 a.m.	Months Mind: Michael O'Sullivan, Slogger

SOCIETY OF ST. VINCENT DE PAUL

Should anyone need the assistance of SVP

Please contact **SVP in Westport on 087 9334960**

HOUSE CALLS IN THE LECANVEY AREA:

If there's any people who would like a Priest to visit them at home on the 1st Friday calls, please give in your details at the Sacristy of St. Patrick's Church Lecanvey or phone Westport Parish Office @ 098-28871.

PILGRIMAGES:

Fatima, May 9th; 7 nights; ex Dublin; public transport from Castlebar via Tuam; Airline urgently seeking confirmation; Ref: Tuam; Ring 012410800

'In the Footsteps of St Paul' Pilgrimage to Malta; June 26th; 7 nights; ex Dublin; with a Spiritual Director. For details and booking, ring 012410800.

PUBLIC ROSARY

Please remember the new time for the Public Rosary is at 9.40am before the 10.00am Mass. The Special Intention this Week then people of Ukraine.

FAMILY CARERS IRELAND:

Are you caring for a loved one at home with additional needs? A spouse, partner, child, close relative or neighbour? Then you are a family carer! Become a member of Family Carers Ireland, the national charity supporting Ireland's 500,000+ family carers nationwide. Contact 057 93 70221 and hear how we can support you or for more info visit www.familycarers.ie.

ENABLE IRELAND MAYO SERVICES:

Require Volunteers in all areas of County Mayo to work with Children with a disability. Our Volunteers usually work one-to-one with a child within their home but also within their community. If you are interested Ph. 087-6808350 email/Fiona: fsully@enableireland.ie

MASSES FOR MONTHS MINDS & 1ST ANNIVERSARIES INTENTIONS:

Are given priority on Saturday 6.30p.m. and Sunday at 11.00am. If there are no Months Mind or 1st Anniversaries Intentions requested; other intentions can be included at a few days' notice.

LENTEN REFLECTION EVENINGS:

The season of lent is a time of prayer, reflection, and meditation on our lives in the year gone by. It is an opportunity to "come back to the lord with all your heart". A Lenten reflection hour will take place in the Church each of the 6 Sundays of lent beginning on the 18th of February. The hour will include scripture readings, reflections, adoration, solemn music, and prayerful moments of silence. The evening event will take place from 6pm-7pm, concluding with benediction and night prayer. Lent is not only an opportunity to give up something but also to take up something, so we invite you to avail of this opportunity to grow closer to the Lord as we await the risen Christ.

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TROCAIRE:

Together For A Just World. If you have not already done, so please take home a Trocaire information pack and generously give your support to this year's Lenten Appeal "Let Justice flow like a river..." You can return your donation on Holy Thursday or during the Easter Triduum in the envelope provided. At the end of Lent please change any coins into notes. Thank You

CANCER FUND FOR CHILDREN HAVE ANNOUNCED THAT THE TENDER DOCUMENTS ARE NOW AVAILABLE FOR THE BUILD OF DAISY LODGE IN CONG, CO. MAYO.

Cancer Fund for Children is a non-profit organisation that connects, empowers, and strengthens children and young people living with cancer. The charity provides valuable services for young people and their families, including Cancer Support Specialists, Youth Support Workers and therapeutic short breaks at Daisy Lodge, Newcastle, and at Daisy Lodge, Cong when the build is complete. On the weekend of March 9th & 10th Rachel Fullam will speak at the end of Mass Sat. 6.30p.m. & Sun. 11.00a.m to give us more information.

FIRST PENANCE

First Penance will be celebrated in St Mary's Church Westport on Tuesday March 12th at 6.30PM with Scoil Pádraig, The Gael Scoil. Wednesday March 13th at 6.30PM with The Quay School, Brackloon and Holy Trinity National Schools. And in St Patrick's Church Lecanvey on Thursday 14th Lecanvey and Murrisk National Schools.

THE CHILDREN'S ROSARY:

Is a prayer group for children, which unites children in praying the Rosary in churches and parishes in 43 countries throughout the world. We invite you to consider starting a Children's Rosary in your parish, joining over 2,000 children, supported by adults in groups across Ireland. For more information, please contact: Email: childrensrosaryireland@gmail.com or Tel: 087 832 8545. Instructional videos and more information: www.ChildrensRosary.org."

FIRST FRIDAY CALLS:

Mass in Westport at 10.00a.m. and Aughagower at 8.00p.m. Fr. John will do his calls during the week.

A NEW EVENT FOR HOLY WEEK:

Good Friday
"Westport Ecumenical Walk of Witness"
March 29th
Gathering at 6.00p.m.
Holy Trinity church
Walking through town ending at
St. Mary's Church
Further details from

Rev Suzanne Cousins 083-8003233
Fr. John Kenny at 098-28871

PRAYER FOR LENT

Loving God grant us the humility to serve the need of others before our own. May we always treat others with dignity and respect through Christ our Lord Amen.