

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

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PRIEST ON DUTY THIS WEEK FR. CHARLIE MC DONNELL 086-8193884

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS, READERS

Assisting in the Liturgy on 29th & 30th July 2023 Team B

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

READER DRUMMIN:

Sun 23rd July	Gretta Carr	9.30 a.m.
Sun 30th July	Stella Garrivan	9.30 a.m.

Weekday 10.00 A.M 24th July Mass Reader: Martin.

Confessions on Saturday from 12.30p.m

Please remember in your prayers.

Mary Mc Ging, Letterbrock, Liscarney.

Bridget Gillian, Donegal Town, mother of Martin Gillian, Clooneen.

Michael Kennedy, Mace.

Bernie Coyne, Killadoon, Louisburgh

Niall Smith, New York, Brother of the late Satch Kiely, Rosbeg

Rest in peace

Mon. 24th July	Ex 14:5-18. Ps Ex 15:1-6, R/ v 1. Mt 12:38-42.
Tues 25th July	2 Cor 4:7-15. Ps 125, R/ v 5. Mt 20:20-28.
Wed 26th July	Ex 16:1-5, 9-15. Ps 77:18-19, 23-28, R/ v 24. Mt 13:1-9.
Thurs 27th July	Ex 19:1-2, 9-11, 16-20. Ps Dn 3:52-56, R/ v 52. Mt 13:10-17.
Fri 28th July	Ex 20:1-17. Ps 18:8-11, R/ Jn 6:68. Mt 13:18-23.

DRUMMIN CHURCH MASSES:

Sunday 23rd July 9.30am	
Sun 30th July 9.30am	1. Mary & Michael King, Cuilmore 2. Annie & Michael Hastings, son Pa & DFM. Derrymore & Bernadette Elliott, Southport

LECANVEY CHURCH MASSES:

Sat 22nd July 8.00pm	Mary, Majella & Kevin Kilcoyne
Sat 29th July @8.00pm	Eithna Sammon, nee Joyce Frank & Mary Joyce Pakie & Nora Gill, Kilsallagh.

MASS TIMES WESTPORT

Westport: 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.

MASSES WESTPORT CHURCH

Saturday 22nd July 2023	
Mass 6.30. p.m.	
Sunday 23rd July 2023	
11.00am Mass	Months Mind: Kathleen Conway, Croy.
Monday 24th July 2023	
10.00am Mass	1.
Tuesday 25th July 2023	
10.00am Mass	1.Mary & Mick Kearns, St. Mary's Cres. & D.M. of Corcoran & Kearns families.
Wednesday 26th July 2023	
10.00am Mass	1. 1st Anniversary: Perry O'Reilly, Carrabawn. 2. Frank, Ellen & Frankie Madden Castlebar Road. 3. Celine Grady, Murrisk
Thursday 27th July 2023	
10.00a.m.	1.Mary Doyle-Gallagher
Friday 28th July 2023	
10.00am	1.Sarah & Pat Cunningham, Nutgrove 2. Celsus Gannon, Bertie Snr & Jnr Phyllis & Ray & Ollie & DFM 3. Fr. Willie Spicer. 4. Bridget Horan, Ballintubber
Saturday 29th July 2023	
10.00a.m.	1. Kathleen Kelly, Octagon. 2. Millie & Joe Reilly, Ballinrobe Rd. 3. Séan Kilcawley, Castlebar 4. Broddie & Katie King, Castlebar St. Their daughters, Patsy & Evelyn Sons Martin & Aidan Granddaughter, Deborah Son in laws, Walter & Sam. 1st Anniversary: Mary Calvey, The Elms, remembering husband John, & son Patrick.
6.30p.m.	

PARISH OFFICE OPENING HOURS

10:00AM – 5:30PM MONDAY & THURSDAY

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

SOCIETY OF ST. VINCENT DE PAUL

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REEK SUNDAY 2023 – SUNDAY JULY 30th - NEXT SUNDAY

CONFESSIONS ON THE SUMMIT FROM 7:30AM – 2:00PM,
MASS ON THE HOUR FROM 8:00AM – 2:00PM.

Over the last few years Croagh Patrick stakeholders group have been responsible for monumental work in preserving and safeguarding the mountain. As the largest annual gathering on the Reek it is essential that Reek Sunday pilgrims and indeed all pilgrims play their part:

Croagh Patrick is an iconic feature of the Mayo landscape of significant natural, cultural and spiritual importance. While the National Pilgrimage Day on Croagh Patrick stretches back many generations, we are conscious of the obligation to support the conservation of the mountain for future generations.

The Church has actively engaged with other Stakeholders to undertake the Sustainable Access and Habitat Restoration project currently underway on it which aims to provide a robust path for access and to restore the eroded parts of the mountain. As part of our support for the project, we have committed to minimising the impact of pilgrimage on Croagh Patrick, the drinking water that comes from the mountain streams, the local community and other users of the mountain. In order to do this, we ask each pilgrim to comply with the following;

- If traveling by car, please park responsibly and follow the instructions of stewards on the day.
- Stay on the defined path on the mountain (where in place) and do not encroach on the adjoining habitat which may be in the process of restoration.
- The mountain streams provide drinking water for the local community. Be respectful of this while on the mountain.
- We endorse the Leave no Trace Principle. Please do not discard any litter on the mountain.

It should also be noted that there are no dogs allowed on the mountain. Please respect this requirement.

NEW PARISH PARISH OFFICE OPENING HOURS

MONDAY & THURSDAY 10:00AM – 5:30PM

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

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: IE83IPBS99072933204684

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DIOCESAN PILGRIMAGE TO LOURDES The Tuam Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes, led by Archbishop Francis, Friday, Sept 1st to Wednesday, Sept 6th, 5 nights, ex Knock-Ireland West Airport. Contact 012410800 for details and booking.

COVIE WEEK 2023

A warm welcome to all who are home with us for Covie week which runs from Tuesday July 25th to Reek Sunday July 30th. Details of the week are in this weeks Mayo News.

MÁMÉAN

The annual August pilgrimage to Máméan will take place this year on Sunday, 6 August. Turas na Croise at 3.00 p.m. followed by Mass.

THIRD WORL DAY FOR GRANDPARENTS AND THE ELDERLY

This Sunday marks the third World Day of Grandparents and the elderly as instituted by Pope Francis. The annual Grandparents pilgrimage takes place in Knock this Sunday in Knock beginning with anointing of the sick at 2:30pm. We take this opportunity to give thanks for all Grandparents and older members of our community who have given of themselves in so many ways. God bless you all.

CANA TALKS – FRIDAY, 1ST SEPTEMBER, 2023, T.F. ROYAL THEATRE, CASTLEBAR, CO. MAYO / 8 PM.

energetic speakers – each has just 15 minutes to inspire you – this is the Christian version of TED Talks – presenting on different topics relating to human happiness and potential from a faith perspective. Tickets €20 - available @ www.ticketmaster.ie or call the T.F. Box Office at (094) 902 3111. Visit www.canatalks.com or our Cana Talks Facebook page. Come along for an entertaining & inspirational evening for the mind, heart, & soul!

Care of Creation Westport Eco Congregation

Will you be part of Plastic free July? As part of plastic free July Westport eco congregation is asking the public to refrain from purchasing plastic bottles. 220,000 plastic bottles are generated every day in Ireland. Coast Watch Ireland reported that 3.9 bottles were found in every 100m on Irish Coastline in 2021! Irish people spend more than 100 million euro every year on plastic bottles. Ireland only recycles 34% of plastic bottles. 2 out of 3 bottles are never recycled. In tests, bottled water has been found to contain more microplastics than tap water. An array of phthalates, the chemicals that make plastic pliable, can leach into the water we drink from plastic bottles. So not so yummy for us or our environment. Many businesses around Ireland will re fill a water bottle for free – Check out Refill.ie for a map of the businesses – they display a logo in their window – In Westport we have several businesses offering this service – including Pax, Savoir Fare and Florist on James St. Say no to the plastic bottle!!

THE PARISH WEBSITE

www.westportparish.ie

The parish website is a very useful tool... do you know what information you can find there?

- Parish newsletter – updated weekly.
- Mass & Confession times.
- The readings at Mass for that day and the following Sunday.
- Step by step on how to plan a church wedding.
- Information on planning a funeral – practical steps for a family at this difficult time, as well as readings, prayers and “Order of Service’ template.
- Information on Baptism, Communion & Confirmations.
- Information on the Croagh Patrick pilgrimage.

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