

Ferbane Parish Bulletin

Sunday 24th October 2021

30th Sunday in Ordinary Time - Mission Sunday

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CHURCH OF THE IMMACULATE CONCEPTION, FERBANE

SATURDAY 23rd OCTOBER - 7pm

1. Thomas Dunican (1st A).
2. Theresa Mooney (10th A).

SUNDAY 24th OCTOBER - 11am

1. Andy Brazil (2nd A).
2. Sean Guinan (2nd A).
Julia & Michael Guinan and their son Paddy.
3. Seamus Claffey (3rd A).

Mon. 25th 10am

Tues. 26th: 10am - Bernard & Dolores Nally.

Wed. 27th: 10am

Thurs. 28th: 10am - People's Mass.

Fri. 29th: 10am - Rhyanna Barry.

Sat. 30th: 10am

SATURDAY 30th OCTOBER - 7pm

1. Patricia Kershaw (2nd A).

SUNDAY 31st OCTOBER - 11am

SS. PATRICK & SARAN, HIGH ST.

SUNDAY 24th OCTOBER - 12 noon

1. Eamon Joe Ryan (Months Mind).

SUNDAY 31st OCTOBER - 12 noon

1. James & Annie Flynn & dec'd members of the Devery family, Cloughal.

ST. OLIVER PLUNKETT, BOORA

SUNDAY 24th OCTOBER - 9.30am

SUNDAY 31st OCTOBER - 9.30am

1. Joe & Lucy Molloy.

MASSES - All ceremonies can be heard on 106.5FM Parish Radio. All our weekday and weekend Masses can now be viewed on our livestream link www.ferbaneparish.ie. Parish bulletin is available on www.ferbaneparish.ie.

COLLECTIONS - Last week we received €2,060 between Offertory and Shrine. Thank you for your continuing support. If anybody wants to offer financial support to our Church you can do so by electronic transfer if it is more convenient to do so. Our bank details are as follows:

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PARISH REMEMBRANCE SERVICE - For all who died in our Parish during the past year will take place on Sunday 14th November in Ferbane Church. Time to be confirmed next week.

GOVERNMENT REGULATIONS - Religious services and weddings can proceed without capacity limits but with all other protective measures remaining in place. (Government Press Release, 19th October 2021). It is important that we take a cautious approach to further reopening with regards to sanitising, social distancing, wearing of face coverings and one way systems.

THE HISTORY OF MISSION SUNDAY - Pauline Jaricot, 'Mother of the World Missions' was born in Lyons in 1799. From an early age she decided to devote her life to prayer, sacrifice and support of the missions. In 1822 she founded the 'Society for the Propagation of the Faith' to harness the energy of lay people in the work of the Church. In 1922 Pope Pius XI gave the Society formal recognition and in 1926 he decreed that the last Sunday of October each year was to be a special day of prayer for the missions throughout the Catholic world. Mission Sunday was born. Pauline Jaricot died in 1862. She was declared 'Venerable' by Pope John XXIII in 1963. The cause of her canonization continues.

Her motto was: 'What does it matter except that Christ be made known'.

BAPTISM - We welcome in to our Christian Community Saoirse Rose Guinan.

DEATHS - Please pray for the repose of the souls of James Gleeson, Killoscully, Tipperary (father of Sean Gleeson, Endrim); Thomas Mannion, Doon (brother of Kathleen Dooley, Killygally, Belmont); Margaret (Peggy) Fitzsimons, Donadee, Kildare (formerly Peggy Caulfield, Killygally, Belmont); Nancy Kelly, Castlepark, Ballinasloe (mother of Ann Flaherty, Ballylin) and Brigid Buckley, Gallen View, all of whom died recently.

GALLEN UNITED - Lotto Draw (Prize fund €20,000 = Jackpot €10,000; Star Prize €10,000). Winning numbers in last week's draw 1, 5, 19, 20. Bonus 27. No jackpot winner. Two match 3 winners. Next draw on Tuesday 26th October.

FERBANE G.A.A. - Lotto: Winning numbers in last week's draw 4, 22, 23, 27. Bonus 16. No jackpot winner. Two match three winners. Next week's jackpot is €6,200. Next draw on Tuesday 26th October at 10pm.

CARDS - Progressive 25, single hand, in Ferbane GAA Clubhouse on Wednesday 27th October at 9pm. All welcome.

WEDNESDAY COFFEE MORNING GROUP Trip to Knock on Friday 29th October. Bus leaves Church grounds at 10.45am, stopping in Roscommon. IMPORTANT: Make sure to bring your vaccination certificate.

RETURN TO SOCIAL DANCING - In Cloghan Hall on Friday 29th October from 9.30pm to 12.30am. Music by Muriel O'Connor and Fran Curry. Adm. €10.

NAOMH CIARÁN LADIES FOOTBALL CLUB - Are holding a Fundraising Car Wash in

aid of the Club in Doon GAA pitch on Saturday 30th October from 10am to 4pm. Please support. THE BROSNA SUITE - A new work composed by renowned musician Carole Nelson will be performed in Gallen CS on Sat. 30th October at 3pm. FREE EVENT. Ticket required. Book your ticket at tidytownsferbane@gmail.com.

40 HOURS OF ADORATION - From the 1st to 5th November from 2-10pm. Healing Mass at 8pm each day in Ceilí Community Centre, Harbour Road, Kilbeggan.

HIGH STREET N.S. - Fundraising Clothes Collection. We would appreciate your support of our black bag collection with the following items: Men, women's and children's clothes, paired shoes, handbags and belts, curtains and bedlinen, towels / blankets / throws, soft toys. Collection in High Street Community Centre, on the following dates: Wednesday 3rd Nov: 7-9pm, Thursday 4th Nov.: 8.30-10.30am, Saturday 6th Nov.: 10am-12 noon.

WEST OFFALY TRAINING - Reminder: Understanding Autism Course is due to commence on the 3rd November. This course is delivered by our tutor David. If you would like to know more and be in a position to help an individual affected by Autism Spectrum disorders please contact josephine@westoffalytraining.com or 086 8413082.

CONGRATULATIONS - To the Ferbane/Belmont U13 Footballers and U13 Hurlers on their County Final victories recently. Well done to all concerned.

PARISH OFFICE - Open on Wednesday from 9am - 1pm and 2pm - 5pm. Bulletin deadline is 3pm on Wed. Tel: 090 6454309 or Email: parishoffice@ferbaneparish.ie.

MISSION SUNDAY

Today we join over one billion of our brothers and sisters in the Catholic world who are observing Mission Sunday. It is a day when our attention is drawn to the Baptismal Font, the place where our faith journey began. On that day we were called to be sharers in the mission of the Church. Mission is at the heart of our Church because our Founder, Christ was the first missionary. If you take all references to mission out of the Bible, you have nothing left except the covers! Consequently, the true greatness of our Church lies not in how many it seats, but in how many it sends-out! The Church must send or the Church will end! We are sent then, to make His voice and His face seen. All we need to be successful missionaries is embedded in the gifts, talents, dreams and visions we possess. We just need to use them!