



# Parish Newsletter

3rd March 2019

**Wicklow & Rathnew  
Barndarrig, Brittas Bay & Kilbride**

*A warm welcome to anyone visiting our Parish at the moment, and also to those joining us on our webcam.*

**Deadline for receipt of items for newsletter is Tuesday at 10am.**

## PARISH CONTACTS

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## Opening Times:

**Monday: CLOSED ALL DAY**

**Tuesday - Friday : 9.30am - 12.30pm**



## WICKLOW CANCER SUPPORT

UNIT 2, FIRST FLOOR,  
Rear of LEONDARD & MULVEY (BUTLERS) PHARMACY, ABBEY STREET,  
0404 32696 OR 086 821 6694

We are a voluntary group set up to assist those having treatment for cancer in every way possible. We also have various other services available. If you need support, help or advise please ring us or drop in. You would be very welcome.



WICKLOW /RATHNEW /ASHFORD / GLENEALY  
BETHANY, BEREAVEMENT SUPPORT  
Bethany volunteers are trained to listen with understanding and empathy.  
ARE YOU GRIEVING? WOULD IT HELP TO TALK?  
BE LISTENED TO?

Open Meeting on Last Tuesday of every month 8pm in De La Salle Pastoral Centre. Contact details on noticeboard

## An Afternoon of Reflection

*An Afternoon of Reflection will take place on Sunday 3rd March in the Bobbio Centre, Magheramore from 3pm - 5pm. This is open to any parishioner but we especially welcome those who exercise a ministry or service in the Church in any of the local parishes. There will be some input on the topic of Ministry in the Church as well as some time for prayer and reflection. As places may be limited it would be helpful if you can let the Parish Office know if you would like to attend.*

## St Patrick's Conference Wicklow

**01 855 0022**

**& St. Kevin's Conference  
Brittas, Barndarrig, Kilbride**

**085 732 3881**



## NEXT WEEKENDS READINGS

First Reading : Deuteronomy 26: 4 - 10

Responsorial Psalm : 90: 1-2, 10-15

Second Reading : Romans: 10: 8-13

Gospel: Luke 4: 1-13

To reflect on the readings please check  
[catholicireland.net](http://catholicireland.net) / [sacredspace.ie](http://sacredspace.ie) / [universalis.com](http://universalis.com)



## DIARY DATES:



3rd March: Feast of St Manntan  
3rd March: Afternoon of Reflection  
6th March: Ash Wednesday  
8th March: Women's World Day of Prayer  
17th March: St Patrick's Day  
30th March: Mass for Healing  
19th April: Way of the Cross

*Sincere sympathy to the family of .....  
Jack Ryan late of Rocky Road  
Gerry Nolan late of Glebemount  
May they Rest in Peace*



# Mass Intention List



Mass intentions are subject to change, due to funerals. To book a Mass in Wicklow Church, please contact the Sacristan after any Mass, to book a Mass in Rathnew Church, please contact the Parish Office. Masses in Rathnew are in green type. Masses in BBK are in blue type. RD - are Individual Masses from our Parish Mass Cards

## This weekend...

**Saturday 2nd March 6.00pm**

Mick, May & Paul Egan,  
Mary & Edward Canavan, June Kenny

**7.00pm Special Intention**

**7.00pm** Henry & Albert Fleming,  
Billy Breen, John Fleming

**Sunday 3rd March**

**9.00am Special Intention**

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**10.00am** Ann Jordan, Sean McGrath

**10.30am**

**11.30** Seamus (Sham) Furlong -  
1st Anniversary Jack, Nelly, John &  
James Flynn, Evelyn Kelly, Rosaleen  
Earls, Kathleen, Arthur, Mary &  
Sylvester Delahunt, Jim Cox

## Weekly Daily Masses...

**Monday 4th March**

**10am** Deirdre O Reilly RD

**\*7.00pm Special Intention**

**Tuesday 5th March**

**10am** Mary Long RD

**\*7.00pm** Mary McNamee

**Wednesday 6th March**

**10am** Special Intention

**Thursday 7th March**

**10am** Mary Long RD

**Friday 8th March**

**10am** Lizzie Dover RD

**7.30pm** World Day of Prayer

## Next Weekend...

**Saturday 9th March 6.00pm**

Nicholas Quinn - Months Mind Mary  
McFarland (nee Doran) 1st Anniversary

**\*7.00pm** Caroline Hayes

**\*7.00pm** Philomena Whelan

Months Mind, Mary Keogh, Nellie  
Duffy, Michael Doolan, Thomas  
Walsh, James Kelly

**Sunday 10th March**

**\*9.00am**

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**10.00am** Michael (Mick) Murphy -  
Months Mind, Andy Galligan

**10.30am**

**11.30am** Eileen, John, Jimmy &  
Patricia O'Brien, deceased members  
of the O'Brien family, Kathleen Doyle,  
Jim & Lillian Haughton

ROSARY ~ Mondays to Fridays at 9.30am in St. Patrick's Church.

ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT ~  
Continues on Wednesdays in St. Patrick's Church  
10.30am to 12 noon, usually finishing with  
Benediction. In Brittas Bay Church on Fridays from  
10am until 3pm

HOLY HOUR ~ continues on Wednesday evenings in  
St Patrick's Church at 8pm

ST PATRICK'S PRAYER MEETING ~ meet in the De La  
Salle Pastoral Centre every Thursday at 7.30pm - all  
are welcome!

## MASS FOR HEALING ON SATURDAY 30TH MARCH 2019 AT 12 NOON IN ST PATRICK'S CHURCH

This mass is to pray for all types of Healing ~  
**Spiritual, Emotional, Psychological or Physical**  
It will also incorporate the  
**Sacrament of the Sick**

for anyone who wishes to avail of it.  
Transport can be arranged if necessary  
Please contact the parish office on  
0404 - 61699 for more information



### World Day of Prayer

**Come - Everything is Ready! Luke 14:15-2**

Please join us on Friday March 8th at  
7:30pm in St Patrick's Church, Wicklow to celebrate a  
service prepared by the women of Slovenia. Come  
to praise, thank, and proclaim the kingdom of love.  
Refreshments afterwards in the De La Salle centre.



### CHILD SAFEGUARDING OFFICER

**Telephone numbers:**

**BBK PARISH: 086 827 7544**  
**WICKLOW/RATHNEW: 087 123 8054**

### UPCOMING SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION MASSES

**2nd Mar:** Confirmation Preparation Mass WW  
**3rd Mar:** First Communion Preparation Mass WW  
**9th Mar:** Communion Preparation Mass RN  
**16th Mar:** Confirmation Preparation Mass RN

### FIRST CONFESSIONS

**11th Mar:** St Coens - 7.30pm  
**12th Mar:** Gaelscoil - 3.30pm  
**12th Mar:** Holy Rosary - 7.30pm  
**13th Mar:** De La Salle - 3.30pm  
**13th Mar:** Barndarrig - 7.30pm  
**14th Mar:** Montessori - 3.30pm  
**14th Mar:** St Patrick's - 7.30pm

Your contribution to the Church is your appreciation for your parish. If you would like to become a regular contributor to the Parish, please fill in this slip and return to Parish Office or Sacristy

Name..... Contact Number.....

Address.....

## ACTIVE RETIREMENT ASSOCIATION



**TUESDAYS** 10.45am Coffee morning Pastoral Centre  
12noon Line Dancing Pastoral Centre  
**THURSDAYS** 2.00pm Indoor Bowling GAA Club  
Walking Group, Time & Meeting place  
by arrangement.  
**FRIDAYS** 2.00pm Social Dancing Pastoral Centre  
**FRIDAYS** 3.00pm Choir Pastoral Centre

Transport to and from the Centre for meetings can be arranged on request. New members are always welcome. More information from 087 982 7703. Follow/like us on our Facebook page - Wicklow Active Retirement Association.

Monday night Bingo in the De La Salle Pastoral Centre  
Wednesday night in St Brigid's Hall, Rathnew



Both at 8pm and everyone is very welcome

If anyone has pictures of the Churches, the Grounds or the Abbey that they would like to send on to us for the website or for us to use on different occasions in the parish, please send them on to the parishofficewicklow@gmail.com

Check out our updated Parish Website. Its a fresher and more user friendly site now. Have a look at wicklowparish.ie. You may need to refresh your current page!

### Now Enrolling For September 2019

Scoil Mhuire Réalt na Mara  
Brittas Bay National School

Please contact the school office for further information on (0404)47488 between 9.00am – 2.30pm or Email:

brittasbaynationalschool@gmail.com

### PARISH COFFEE MORNING



Thank you to the Hospitality Group for organising the lovely Coffee Morning on Thursday - a lovely event as normal.

Cill Mhantáin Aifreann as Gaeilge An Chéadaoin, 13ú Márta ag 11.30rn An Clochar, Cill Mhantáin



### Wicklow Tidy Towns – Sustainable Energy Community

Wicklow Tidy Towns is holding a public meeting on **Wednesday 6th March 2019 at 8pm in the De La Pastoral Centre, Wicklow** to launch a Sustainable Energy Community (SEC) for Wicklow town and the surrounding area. The aim of an SEC is to get as many people as possible in the Community to work together to develop a sustainable energy system for the area by reducing the amount of energy consumed, by using renewable energy where feasible and, as a result, reduce the 'carbon footprint' of the town. The SEC will have supports from Government and Public Bodies, will network with other SECs in the country and could, potentially, generate some local jobs. The SEC, once up and running, will provide advice on energy efficiency, help with applying for grants and obtaining suitable contractors. All energy users are invited to come along – householders, businesses, industries, sports clubs, educational establishments, public bodies, etc. Further details can be obtained by contacting Andrew Lawless on 085 8803114.

### Irish Countrywomen's Association

Would you like to get out for an evening? Make a bit of time for yourself? Meet a warm and welcoming group of women? Have some fun and make some new friends? Feeling creative? Like to learn a new skill?

There are outlets for all sorts of talents and for learning in ICA. You do not have to be Irish to become a member. We have a talk, demonstration or activity at each monthly meeting, on the second Mon of each month from Sept to June. Between meetings there are many optional events - local, county-wide and national - for ICA members. You are very welcome to come along to a meeting before you decide to join, we would love to meet you.

Next meeting: **Monday 11<sup>th</sup> March at 7.30pm - De La Salle Pastoral Centre**

**Performance of 'Beezie' – A One Woman Play, Performed by Sheila Flitton**

Based on the life of Beezie Gallagher, the sole resident on an island off Sligo for over 60 years!

Website: [www.icawicklowtown.org](http://www.icawicklowtown.org)

Email: [info@icawicklowtown.org](mailto:info@icawicklowtown.org)

Tel: 0404 20778 or 0863696620



Seachtain na Gaeilge Cainteoirí Chill Mhantáin Maidin

Chaife as Gaeilge An Satharn, 2ú Márta 11rn-1in An Satharn, 9ú Márta 11rn-1 in Bridge Tavern.

*Lectio Divina - Praying with the Sunday Gospels*

### A Lenten Journey to the heart

Join us any Wednesday, 6<sup>th</sup> March (Ash Wednesday) 20<sup>th</sup> March, 27<sup>th</sup> March, 3<sup>rd</sup> April, 10<sup>th</sup> April, 17<sup>th</sup> April

To pray and ponder the Sunday Gospels during lent.

Guest speaker on Ash Wednesday is Rev John & Jessica Clarke.

At the Ecology Centre, Dominican Convent, Wicklow

7.30pm – 8.30pm (Donations welcome)

