

**St. Peter and Paul's Church, Ballymacward.**

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Saturday 10<sup>th</sup>. **Vigil Mass at 8pm. TWENTY EIGHT SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**  
Brigid Fahy, Glentane (3<sup>rd</sup>. Anniv)  
Paddy Kelly, Carana (10<sup>th</sup>. Anniv) and the deceased members  
of the Kelly family.  
Tommy Moore, Hampstead (Anniv) and the deceased members  
of the Carty family.

Monday 12<sup>th</sup>. **Mass at 9am.** Special Intention.

Tuesday 13<sup>th</sup>. **Mass at 9am.**

Friday 16<sup>th</sup>. **Mass at 7pm.**

Saturday 17<sup>th</sup>. **Vigil Mass at 8pm. TWENTY NINTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**  
**MISSION SUNDAY**  
Teresa and John O'Neill, Garafine (Anniv)

**R.I.P.:** Your prayers are requested for Mrs. Breda Hand (nee Grady) U.S.A. Sister  
of Helen Hillary, and Kitty Mitchell, and also for Christina Walshe, England  
(nee Farrell, Ballymacward) who died in the past week.

**DEAR PARISHIONERS,** with great sadness last Wednesday our churches closed for public  
Mass and we have been requested by our civic leaders to 'radically maintain social distance'.  
The churches are open during the day for people to pray privately. I had hoped to visit the sick  
and house-bound during this month but this will have to be put on hold. Should anyone request  
me to call I have no problem calling, please do get in touch if you would like me to call to your  
home.

The Parish web site has been designed by David Cunniffe [www.ballymacwardgurteenparish.com](http://www.ballymacwardgurteenparish.com)  
and with the help of Paul Hogan a permanent camera has been installed in Gurteen and one will  
be installed in Ballymacward in the coming weeks. It gives access to people at home and abroad  
who want to pray with us. The Parish Radio at FM101.4 has been upgraded with some success  
but regrettable some homes continue to have problems.

It is a challenging time for everyone but we must remember especially all those in Nursing  
Homes and Hospital, patients and staff from our parish and beyond who are so challenged as  
they cope to care and to stay safe. Please keep them in your prayers and let us pray for each  
other. We all have to keep positive and be grateful for where we live and the community  
supports that exist. This pandemic will pass. God bless you and yours.

Fr. Sweeney

**MARY'S MEALS CHARITY:(The Backpack Project)** *A big THANK YOU to all who  
have donated bags for this worthy cause. If anyone has old SCHOOL BAGS/BAGS that  
you have no use for, you can still drop them off to CAROLINE HILLARY, WHITEPARK,  
she will leave a box outside the front door and you can drop them in there, if this doesn't  
suit, give her a ring on (087)9346852 and she will arrange to collect them. Many thanks.*

**Fr. Michael Griffin Memorial Church, Gurteen.**

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Sunday 11<sup>th</sup>. **Mass at 10am. TWENTY EIGHT SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME.**  
Margaret Duffy, Tample (35<sup>th</sup>. Anniv)

Friday 17<sup>th</sup>. **Mass at 8pm.**

Sunday 18<sup>th</sup>. **Mass at 10am. TWENTY NINTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME.**  
**MISSION SUNDAY.**

**Mrs. Bridie Brown (1<sup>st</sup>. Anniv) wife of Tom Brown, Colemanstown**  
**Michael Naughton, Gurteen (14<sup>th</sup>. Anniv)**

**PADRAIG PEARSES GAA CLUB. RESULTS OF THE LOTTO DRAW WHICH TOOK PLACE ON MONDAY 28<sup>th</sup>. SEPTEMBER. WINNING No.'s 2,7,11,25 - No Winner. & 1 Match 3. €100.00 to SHANE RUANE. NEXT WEEK'S DRAW TAKES PLACE ON MONDAY NIGHT 12<sup>th</sup>. OF OCTOBER FOR A JACKPOT OF €9,300 IN THE CLUBHOUSE. WHY NOT PLAY LOTTO ONLINE @ [bit.ly/30J9HcT](https://bit.ly/30J9HcT).**

**NOTE 1:: For the month of October Morning Mass at 9am., will be celebrated on Mondays and Tuesdays only in Ballymacward, with evening Mass on Fridays at 7pm. (Via Radio link only, not open to public)**

**NOTE 2: LIVE STREAMING OF SUNDAY MASS FROM GURTEEN:**

You can now view Mass on our parish website

[www.ballymacwardgurteenparish.com](http://www.ballymacwardgurteenparish.com) click "Gurteen Live Stream" & go to the date of the Mass. (Ballymacward Mass is not available yet on streaming)

You will also be able to view the weekly newsletter (with some amendments)

**BALLYMACWARD/GURTEEN CHURCH COLLECTIONS 2020**

**3<sup>rd</sup>. OCTOBER BALLYMACWARD:**

Weekly Envelopes.	€767.50
Loose Plate	€ 36.00
Priests Summer	€ 20.00
Shrines.	€ 84.13
Priests Autumn	€325.00
Priests Summer	€ 20.00
Priests Easter	€ 20.00
Missions.	€ 10.00
MISC.	€ 41.00

**4<sup>th</sup>. OCTOBER GURTEEN:**

Weekly Envelopes	€251.50
Loose Plate	€ 25.00
Priests Summer	€.00
Shrines	€.00
Priests Autumn	€ 40.00

**YOGA: Yoga Classes continuing in Ballymacward Hall on next THURSDAY the 15<sup>th</sup>. OCTOBER from 10am to 11am, for Class of 6, with full social distancing in place.**

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