

St. Peter and Paul's Church, Ballymacward.

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Saturday 6<sup>th</sup>. **Vigil Mass at 8pm. NINETEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME.**  
Gerti O'Neill/Butler, U.S.A./Woodlawn (Recently Deceased)  
Sonny and Eileen Fahy, Lisloughlin (18<sup>th</sup>. & 6<sup>th</sup>. Anniv)  
Peter Flaherty, Mount Bernard, (20<sup>th</sup>. Anniv) and the deceased members of  
the Flaherty family.

**SUNDAY 7<sup>th</sup>. KILLUANE CEMETERY MASS @ 7pm.**

Monday 8<sup>th</sup>. **Mass at 9am**

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

Friday 12<sup>th</sup>. **Mass @ 7pm.** Mrs. Nonie Kenny, Esker (2<sup>nd</sup>. Anniv)

Saturday 13<sup>th</sup>. **Vigil Mass at 8pm. TWENTIETH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME.**  
Jack and Eva Murphy, Esker (15<sup>th</sup>. and 8<sup>th</sup>. Anniv)

**NOTE: NO VIGIL MASS ON SUNDAY EVENING (SEE NEXT LINE)**

Monday 15<sup>th</sup>. **Mass at 9am. FEAST OF THE ASSUMPTION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY.**

**MONDAY 15<sup>th</sup>. CLOONKEENKERRILL CEMETERY MASS @ 7pm.**

**R.I.P.:** Your prayers are requested for Mrs. Annie May Dillon (Nee Lydon) Killconnell,  
formerly from Annagh who died during the week.

**READER FOR AUGUST:**

**MARY CARR.**

**EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS FOR AUGUST: SEAN HOGAN, BERNIE MORRISSEY  
(6<sup>th</sup>. 13<sup>th</sup>., 15<sup>th</sup>.) (NOTE 15<sup>th</sup>. Morning Mass @ 9am)  
ANNE KINDREGAN, MAURA MURRAY.  
(20<sup>th</sup>., & 27<sup>th</sup>.)**

**Mountbellew District Development CE scheme has a vacancy on their scheme for**

**General Operatives/ Maintenance Workers**

**Duties to include: Working on the environmental sites around Mountbellew with responsibility for cutting grass, shrub planting, cleaning, painting, litter control, keeping public areas kept tidy and maintaining nature trails and general maintenance around the town, adherence to health and safety policies is maintained at all time. This is a developmental opportunity, no experience necessary. Accredited training will be provided to support your career. For further details please contact Sean O' Neill on 090 9679085 /0871209739 or email [mountbellewdd@gmail.com](mailto:mountbellewdd@gmail.com)**

St. Michael's.

Fr. Michael Griffin Memorial Church, Gurteen.

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Sunday 7<sup>th</sup>. Mass at **10am** NINETEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME.  
Breda Keating (Nee Naughton) Colemanstown (7<sup>th</sup>. Anniv)

**SUNDAY 7<sup>th</sup>. KILLUANE CEMETERY MASS @ 7pm.**

Friday 12<sup>th</sup>. NO EVENING MASS.

Sunday 14<sup>th</sup>. Mass at **10am** TWENTIETH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME.  
Maureen and Paddy Carr, Gurteen (4<sup>th</sup>. and 11<sup>th</sup>. Anniv)  
Bridie Finnerty, Clough (Anniv) and the deceased members of  
the Finnerty family.

**MONDAY 15<sup>th</sup>. CLOONKEENKERRILL CEMETERY MASS @ 7pm.**

The Annual Collection for the Cemetery is being taken up at this time. All plot owners are asked to contribute to the upkeep of the Cemetery. Envelopes have been available @ the Church entrances for the past number of weeks, if you haven't already returned your envelope, it will be taken up @ the Mass this evening, if you haven't got an envelope, you can make a donation on the evening. Thank you.

**CHURCH COLLECTIONS: BALLYMACWARD/GURTEEN. (W/E 30<sup>th</sup>. & 31<sup>st</sup>./07/2022)**

W/Envelopes.	€263.10	W/Envelopes	€227.67
Loose Plate	€ 21.00	Loose Plate	€0.00
Accord	€ 10.00		
Candles	€ 35.78		
Priests Easter	€ 45.00		

**WINDOW RESTORATION PROJECT.**

**TARGET TO MEET** €60,000.00

**OUTSTANDING BALANCE @ 27/06/2022.** €20,825.00

**DONATIONS FROM 27/06/22 to 31/07/22 Inc.** € 4,010.00

**TARGET REMAINING** €16,815.00

Window Restoration Fund Donation figures for AUGUST in N/letter W/end 11<sup>th</sup>. SEPT.

**PADRAIG PEARSES GAA CLUB. RESULTS OF THE LOTTO DRAW WHICH TOOK PLACE ON MONDAY 1<sup>st</sup>. AUGUST. WINNING No.'s 2,14,16,18, NO Winner, & 1 MATCH 3's.**

**RACHEL WARD. NEXT WEEK'S DRAW TAKES PLACE ON MONDAY NIGHT 8<sup>th</sup>. AUGUST, IN RUANE'S BAR, GLENTANE, FOR A JACKPOT OF €7,100. THANK YOU FOR YOUR CONTINUED SUPPORT. PLAY LOTTO ONLINE ON THIS LINK**

<http://tinyurl.com/ygpyqc2q>

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### **Beginners Art for Adults.**

**A beginners Art for Adults will continue in Ballymacward Hall on Monday August 22<sup>nd</sup>. at 10.30 am. PH. 0876400067 to book a place as numbers are limited.**

### **Prayer for Grandparents**

Lord Jesus,  
you were born of the Virgin Mary,  
the daughter of Saints Joachim and Anne.  
Look with love on grandparents the world over.  
Protect them! They are a source of enrichment  
for families, for the Church and for all of society.  
Support them! As they grow older,  
may they continue to be for their families  
strong pillars of Gospel faith,  
guardians of noble domestic ideals,  
living treasuries of sound religious traditions.  
Make them teachers of wisdom and courage,  
that they may pass on to future generations the fruits  
of their mature human and spiritual experience.  
Lord Jesus,  
help families and society  
to value the presence and role of grandparents.  
May they never be ignored or excluded,  
but always encounter respect and love.  
Help them to live serenely and to feel welcomed  
in all the years of life which you give them.  
Mary, Mother of all the living,  
keep grandparents constantly in your care,  
accompany them on their earthly pilgrimage,  
and by your prayers, grant that all families  
may one day be reunited in our heavenly homeland,  
where you await all humanity  
for the great embrace of life without end. Amen! (Pope Benedict XVI)