

CORLOUGH/TEMPLEPORT PARISH NEWSLETTER



Sunday 5th January, 2020 – 2nd Sunday of Christmas.

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MASSES FOR THE COMING WEEK:

Saturday 4	8.15pm	Corlough	Teresa McCabe, nee Dolan, Leeds and Tullywana & Deceased members of Dolan and McCabe families. Elizabeth Maguire, Altinure
Sunday 5	9.30am 11.00am	Kilnavart Bawnboy	Deceased members of Donohoe & Maguire families Pat McTeggart Lisanover
Monday 6	9.30am 11.00am 8.15pm	Kilnavart Bawnboy Corlough	Feast of the Epiphany People of the Parish People of the Parish Sean McHugh, Arderra
Tuesday 7	9.00am	Bawnboy	
Wednesday 8	9.00am	Corlough	
Thursday 9	9.00am	Bawnboy	
Friday 10	8.00pm	Corlough	.
Saturday 11	8.15pm	Corlough	People of the Parish
Sunday 12	9.30am 11.00am	Kilnavart Bawnboy	Patrick & Eileen Brady, Cooleague Sean O'Reilly, Port Tommy & Margaret McGoldrick, Cornagunleog

ST. PATRICK'S CHURCH, CORLOUGH

Monday 6 th Saturday 8.15	Reader: Laura Simmons Amy McGovern	Eucharistic Minister; Ita Maguire Ita Maguire
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Collectors for Monday 6th & Saturday 11th. Hugh McGovern & Gene McGovern

Altar Society for January: Ita Maguire & Mary O'Rourke

ST. PATRICK'S CHURCH, KILNAVART

Monday 6 th Sunday 9.30am	Reader: Pat Geoghegan Patricia Shannon	Eucharistic Minister: Tomás Kellegher Emily McKiernan
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Collectors for January: Gina Corrigan, Aidan Brady

ST. MOGUE'S CHURCH, BAWNBOY

Monday 6 th Sunday 11am	Reader Noirín McCaffrey Mary McKenna	Eucharistic Ministers: Kathleen McCaffrey, Martina McGovern Tony McGoldrick, Roisin West
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St. Aidan's GAA: TEMPLE - - Lotto results. Numbers 7, 8, 9, 32. No Jackpot winner. €30 winners, Joe McGovern, Silverstream (Yearly lotto). Eileen Laune c/o Peggy Reilly. Sean Murray Ballyconnell. Nuala Fitzgerald, Clonmel. Denise McEvoy, Bawnboy. Next weeks Jackpot is €7,900 and takes place in The Rocks of Bawn tonight Sunday. **Templeport Annual Draw.** Annual draw tickets are now available from any committee member. €8,000 in Prizes. €5,000 as 1st prize. 12 prizes available from top prize of €5,000 to €200 on offer. **McKenna Cup** Well done to Benjamin Kelly who made his first competitive start for Cavan seniors at the weekend against Armagh in the McKenna Cup. Unfortunately he sustained an injury during the game and we wish him well in his recovery. **Templeport St Aidans GAA** will be hosting the hugely popular **'Ireland Lights Up' walking initiative**, in partnership with the, RTÉ Operation Transformation, and Get Ireland Walking. We will be hosting community walking groups during the eight-week broadcast period of the hit RTÉ show. **The first date** for Templeport GAA to host **'Ireland Lights Up' 2020 is Thursday, January 9th** from 7.30pm to 8.30pm with registration starting at 7.15pm.

PAUSE FOR THOUGHT.....

Well, we have a whole new year ahead of us. And wouldn't it be wonderful if we could all be a little more gentle with each other, a little more loving, and have a little more empathy, and maybe, next year at this time we'd like each other a little more.

We celebrate another year ending and a new one beginning. Let us look back and appreciate the experiences we had and learn from the mistakes we made. And better still let us look forward to this new year with the anticipation and excitement of a child. Embrace the New Year with a positive outlook and a determined spirit to make all your dreams come true.

Time for another year to begin. The year will be gone and we will start again. As the new year begins stay focused on your goals and let your attitude be happy, positive, and encouraging to others.

COMMUNITY NOTICES

Please ensure notices for newsletter are emailed to either corlough templeport@gmail.com, / templeportnewsletter@gmail.com. before 7pm on Thursday evening or leave into Maguire's shop. Thanks

Medjugorje Irish Centre Pilgrimages April – October 2020: 7 Night Stay and Airport Shuttle service from Dubrovnik or Split for €266 per person sharing. Book any flight - any time and we provide guaranteed airport shuttle service. Call us for further info and book the dates that suit you. Tel. 01 4434510 or email reservations@med-irishcentre.com.

I.C.A. Meeting of Corlough I.C.A. on Thursday 9th January at 8pm in Corlough Community Centre. Niamh Corrigan will attend the meeting to talk about Kinesiology therapy. All welcome.

Please be advised that Ballyconnell Library is currently closed for refurbishment work and is due to re-open in January 2020. We sincerely apologise for the inconvenience this may cause but look forward to welcoming everyone back to a new and improved library. Please note that all overdue fines have been abolished since 1st January 2019. Ballyconnell Library members can use ANY public library in the country to return, request or borrow books. They may also continue to use a wide range of online services FREE of charge.

Templeport Ladies wish you all a Happy New Year and best wishes for 2020. New members always welcome. Our **AGM** takes place on Saturday 18th January at 8pm in the clubrooms. Your attendance would be greatly appreciated. Nomination forms available in the shop or from any committee member.

Offertory Collection for Christmas: amounted to €2765. & £12.83.

Offertory Collection for last weekend: amounted to €577.37 & £3.02.

Offertory Collectors January: Joan Reilly, Martha McKiernan, Cathal Shannon

We pray for Matilda Leach, nee Baxter, Owencam, Corlough & Newtown, Bawnboy, who died in England recently. **Eileen McGoldrick,** Clinty whose funeral took place on Friday in St. Mogue's Church, Bawnboy, and **Jim Bohan, Ballinamore,** whose remains will be removed to St. Patrick's Church, Ballinamore arriving at 8pm Sunday evening, with funeral at 11am Monday. May they rest in peace.

Change of Mass Times: Mass will be celebrated on Friday evenings in Corlough at 8pm from the 3rd of January until the end of June.

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament

Wednesday	Corlough	9.20am – 10.00am
Friday	Bawnboy	5.00pm - 7.00pm

Dates for your Diary 2020:

Confirmation - Sunday, the 8th of March - Ballyconnell - 3pm

First Communion - Bawnboy - Saturday, the 9th of May - 11am

Kilnavart - Saturday, the 16th of May - 11am

Corlough - Saturday, the 23rd of May - 12noon

Diocesan Pilgrimage - Knock - Sunday, the 21st of June - 2:30pm

Blessing of the Graves - Kilnavart - Sunday, the 26th of July - 9:30am

Bawnboy, Port and the Workhouse - Sunday, the 26th of July - 11am

St Mogue's Island - Monday, the 3rd of August - 3pm

Corlough - Sunday, the 9th of August - 12:30pm

Sunday Funerals: The Pastoral Council discussed in detail the issue of Sunday funerals at its recent meeting. From the 1st January 2020, funeral Masses will no longer be celebrated on a Sunday. This is due to many practical reasons. The practice of having removals on a Saturday or Sunday evening will continue. The Council hopes that this will not be a major inconvenience to bereaved families at such a difficult time in their lives.