

Parish Masses / Anniversaries / Other Events:

Carrigallen (Week commencing Sunday 01st August 2021):

All Masses livestreamed on www.churchtv.ie

Sun. 01st Aug. 11.15 am – Ethel & Edward Maguire, Cloncorrick.

Mon. 02nd Aug. 10.00 am – Missa Pro Propulo.

Tues. 03rd Aug. 7.30 pm – Mass of the Day.

Wed. 04th Aug. 10.00 am – Mass of the Day.

Sun. 08th Aug. 11.15 am – Kathleen Corrigan, Mullinadarragh.

Eucharistic Adoration: Tues. 6.30 pm – 7.30 pm & Wed. after 10.00 am Mass.

Drumeela (Week commencing Sunday 01st Aug. 2021):

Sun. 01st Aug. 10.00 am – John & Mary Fitzpatrick, Drumloona.

Fri. 06th Aug. 7.30 pm – Mass of the Day.

Sun. 08th Aug. 10.00 am – Dec'd members of the Murray family,
Aughavore, London & Mullaghboy.

Drumreilly (Week commencing Saturday 31st July 2021):

Sat. 31st July 1.00 pm – Bridie Donohoe, Ardunsaghan (**Month's Mind Mass**).

8.00 pm – John James & Katie Maxwell, Carrickmakeegan & D.F.M's.

Thurs. 05th Aug. 7.30 pm – Mass of the Day.

Sat. 07th Aug. 8.00 pm – Patricia O'Rourke, Derrygoan & D.F.M's.

Eucharistic Adoration: Tuesdays from 7.00 pm to 8.00 pm.

Weekly Offertory Collection

Carrigallen €689

Drumeela €199

Drumreilly €304

Saint of the Week - St. John Vianney

John Vianney was born near Lyons in France in 1786 and died aged 73 at Ars in 1859. He overcame various obstacles, including little education and lack of means, to be ordained a priest. He served in a remote parish as the Curé of Ars, where his sanctity attracted many thousands of visitors. Noted for his preaching and confessional counsel and is honoured as a model for parish clergy. Pope Pius XI canonized him in 1925 and his feast day is celebrated on **4th Aug.**

A Thought for the Week: "A comeback is a setback that did it's homework,
learned the lesson and then moved on."

Feast Days / Memorials during the Coming Week (02nd – 07th Aug. 2021):

Monday – St. Thomas of Dover. **Tuesday** – St. Senach of Clonard.

Wednesday – St. John Vianney. **Thursday** – St. Abel.

Friday – Transfiguration of the Lord. **Saturday** – St. Sixtus II, Pope & Martyr.



We remember in our prayers: Frank Corr, Ballyboughal, Co. Dublin and formerly of Gulladoo, Carrigallen whose funeral took place in St. Mary's Church, Carrigallen on **Friday 30th July** followed by burial in the adjoining cemetery.

AND

Francie Bannon, Templeport (*father of Martina Bannon, Ardunsaghan, Drumreilly*) whose funeral took place in St. Patrick's Church, Kilnavart on **Thursday 29th July** followed by burial in the adjoining cemetery.
May their souls rest in peace. Amen.

Ave Maria Prayer Line: Text your prayer requests or intentions to **087 2358440** or **086 3478539** where they will be remembered in prayer during the week by the Ave Maria Bible Study Group which meet weekly via Zoom.

Harp, Voice & Strings: In response to Pope Francis' announcement of the Year of St. Joseph, a group called Vox Hiberniae have put together a "A Celtic Journey with St. Joseph" contemplating his life with Harp, Voice and Strings. The group is comprised of musicians that serve as organists, directors of music, cantors and instrumentalists across parishes in the Dublin Archdiocese. It is a thirty-minute reflection in Word and song and can be viewed at the following link: **Vox Hiberniae – A Celtic Journey with Saint Joseph**

Carrigallen Club Lotto available on-line. Jackpot stands at **€14,600**. To play, purchase a ticket from your local vendor, online via our official Carrigallen Club app or follow this link to buy online: <https://member.clubspot.app/c.../carrigallen-gaa/lotto/tickets> Next draw this Sun. (01st Aug.) live on our Facebook Page.

Drumreilly Drive-in Bingo continues on Sunday afternoons in the G.A.A. Grounds, Carrickmakeegan starting at **3.00 pm**. **€1,750** in prize money. Books **€10**. Raffle on the day. Proceeds divided between the G.A.A. Club and the Community Centre. All support appreciated for this weekly fund-raising event.

Day Care Services for older people have now commenced at Ballinamore Community Nursing Unit and Primary Care Centre. For details, contact **071-9644376**.

Free Adult Education Classes commencing shortly for those interested in basic computer skills and in understanding the use of technology in everyday life. Learn at your own pace in a friendly and informal atmosphere. Contact Gary Burke on **071-9621366** or **086-0455013** or email: GaryBurke@msletb.ie

Pre-Third Level and Pre-Employment Computer Applications with Payroll course 9 month course starting in Sept. 2021 in Drumshanbo Enterprise Centre. Would you like to gain a Level 5 QQI IT qualification in 9 months whilst become more competent working online and with various IT packages? This course is ideal for those learners considering taking a year out after Leaving Cert. & those wishing to upskill for employment. Course content includes working with Microsoft Teams (*similar to Zoom*), Word, Excel, Presentation Software, Payroll, and Accounts software (*Sage*). All learners are provided with the **loan of a laptop for the duration of the course** which runs similar to the second level academic year (*Sept. to May*). All **course content is available online** through Moodle as well **as in-class tuition**, this will enable more flexible learning - many of our learners have part-time jobs while successfully engaging and completing the course. For more details contact [\(071\) 9641085](tel:0719641085) or email phyllisheduan@msletb.ie or express an interest in the course by registering and applying on <http://www.fetchcourses.ie> (course code – [310661](http://www.fetchcourses.ie))

Mary's Meals began feeding [200](#) children in Malawi in [2002](#) and is now feeding [1,838,859](#) children every day in places of education. Our vision is that every hungry child receives a daily meal and that all who have more than they need, share with those who are in need. With our no-frills policy, it costs with Mary's Meals [€18.30](#) to give a child a meal every day for a full school year. To raise funds and awareness of Mary's Meals, we are walking throughout Ireland starting on [7th Aug.](#) from Kilkenny, Malin, Derry, Armagh, Dublin, & Limerick and are all arriving in Knock Co. Mayo on [15th Aug.](#) Maybe you could get involved in Step by Step to Feed the Next Child. You are invited to visit our website www.marysmeals.ie For more information you can phone Fr. Eamonn Kelly on [087 9077985](tel:0879077985). We would also like to organise a local walk in your area. Sponsor cards and t-shirts are available. Maybe you would be willing to undertake the challenge and so help to feed the little ones. Contact Patricia on [086 3140814](tel:0863140814).

Priest Phone Numbers: Fr. John Mc Mahon [433 9610](tel:4339610) / *Mob.* [086-2126582](tel:0862126582).

Parish Cluster: Fr. S. Mawn, Ballinamore [071-9644039](tel:0719644039) or [087-6869040](tel:0876869040); Fr. J. Cusack, Ballinamore [087-2408409](tel:0872408409); Fr. D. Hannon, Arva [087-2830145](tel:0872830145); Fr. C. O'Gorman, Killeshandra [049-4334179](tel:0494334179), Fr. Peter Tiernan, Cloone/ Aughavas [071-9636016](tel:0719636016) or [086-3500114](tel:0863500114).

Parish Website: www.carrigallenparish.ie The Parish Newsletter is uploaded to the site each weekend & you will also find a link to the daily livestreamed Masses from Carrigallen.

Parish Newsletter: This newsletter promotes Church, Voluntary and Community events. Newsletter articles must state author's name & phone number & can be written into one of the church diaries before [5.00 pm or Thursdays](#) or emailed to carrigallen@kilmorediocese.ie by [5.00 pm on Fridays](#). The editors reserve the right to omit or amend articles.

Parish Newsletter

St. Mary's Parish

Carrigallen – Drumeela – Drumreilly

01st Aug. 2021 – 18th Sunday in Ordinary Time - Year B



In today's Gospel (*John 6: 24-35*) the crowds meet up again with Jesus at Capernaum and they are wondering how He got there (*He had walked across the water*). Jesus understands their motives and explains that they have come not because of the miracles He has performed but because He had fed them on the previous day, and they are now hungry again for more food. He continues to tell them that their true hunger is not for physical food but for food that feeds the soul - "*Do not work for food that cannot last but for the food that endures to eternal life*".

This statement of Jesus causes the crowd to call to mind the time of the Exodus when their "*ancestors ate manna in the desert*," as we heard about in today's first reading. Jesus then says to them: "*I am the bread of life*." He is the true bread come down from heaven that will feed people's souls and lead them to eternal life.

Do we often feel unsatisfied with all this world has to offer? If we follow only the ways of society and a secular lifestyle, we will always be left yearning for more. Only God can satisfy the deepest hungers of our heart. This week will you let Him be your "*daily bread*" ?