

Our Parish Newsletter

15th September 2024 - 24th Sunday in Ordinary Time

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Parish Website: www.crosserloughparish.ie
Mass Broadcast - 108FM

Mass Times :

St. Mary's - Sunday **Please Note - No weekday Masses next week**
St. Joseph's - Saturday 8 pm
St. Patrick's - Sunday 11.15 am

We Pray For The Deceased:

- ◆ Sister Pius Galligan (Molly) formerly Drumcassidy whose funeral was during the week in England.

St. Joseph's:

Saturday 14th 8.00 pm Olivia, Bridget, Tom, & Hugh P Cronin, Derrin
Saturday 21st 8.00 pm Nicholas, Bridget, Andy, Mary, Cathy McGivney,
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St. Patrick's:

Sunday 15th 11.15 am Frank Nulty, Drumbarry; Also Eileen & Maggie
Sunday 22nd 11.15 am Bernadette 5AM & Dan Reilly, Tullyboy

St. Mary's:

Sunday 15th 10.00 am Eileen & Michael Donohoe, Graddum
Sunday 22nd 10.00 am Patsy & Kathleen Conaty, Killanure

Volunteers September

St. Joseph's - Reader: Ann McPhilips; Aoibhinn Gaffney.

Eucharistic Ministers: Rosaleen Smith; Tomás Harten

Altar Society: Martina Gaffney; Bridie Keaney

Collectors: Rosaleen Smith; Philip Briody

St. Mary's - Readers - Micheál Reilly; Niall Ames

Eucharistic Ministers - Teresa Gallery; Ruth Maguire

St. Patrick's - Eucharistic Minister - Breda McIntyre

Reader - Breda McIntyre

Kilnaleck Church Committee: Meeting in the Church on Thursday
19th September at 7.30 pm. All members please attend.

St. Mary's Church Church Draw Results. Thank you all for your continued support.

Month	1 st Prize	2 nd Prize	3 rd Prize
March	Mary & William Finnegan, Kilnacrott	Turlough & Ann Carolan Killanure	Brian & Annitte Brady, Leahary
April	Maura Reilly, Clare	James & Anita Smith, Drumahalla	Bernard & Sonja Smith Graddum
May	Fiona & Pete Stead, Graddum	Micheál & Bernadette Nulty, Drumbarry	Brian & Annitte Brady, Leahary
June	Michael & Campbell, Crosserlough	Anne Farrelly, Aughterera	Ambrose & Olivia Callery, Rassan

The First Commandment – I am the Lord your God, Thou should have no strange God's before me. Do I adore God by acts of faith hope and charity? Do I adore God by attending mass with the members of the faith community? Do I avoid people who are a danger to my faith? Do I take salvation for granted or do I accept that presumption is a foolish expectation of salvation without making use of the means necessary to obtain it?

The Second Commandment – You shall not take the name of the Lord in vain. Am I reverent in my speech regarding sacred matters especially the name of Jesus? Do I understand that blasphemy is talking irreverently about sacred things? Do I know that vulgarity is coarse language that offends against social and cultural values? Do I use obscene talk which is crude and usually offends against sexual values? Do I constantly use bad language, maybe even without thinking. Have I ever been guilty of perjury.

The Third Commandment – Remember to keep holy the Lord's Day. Do I regularly attend mass? Do I fully participate at Sunday mass by giving my attention in body, soul and mind? Do I help out by reading collecting etc.? Do I refrain from unnecessary work on Sunday? Do I use Sunday to relax and rest or is it a day to recover from partying? Do I prioritize Sunday as a special time to make Sunday a special family day.

The Fourth Commandment of God – Honour your Father and your mother. Do I support my parents in my care for their physical needs? Do I visit my parents in the nursing home as I could no longer deal with their special needs? Do I love and serve my country? Do I respect and obey the lawful government of the day? Do I respect and obey the lawful government because its authority comes from God?

Make me a channel of your peace

I. Make me a channel of your peace
Where there is hatred let me bring your love
Where there is injury, your pardon Lord
And where there is doubt true faith in You
Oh, Master grant that I may never seek
So much to be consoled as to console
To be understood as to understand
To be loved as to love with all my soul

**Quietly, peacefully let me rest in you.
Quietly, peacefully lead me back to you.
In my weakness I have strayed,
drifting far from you.
In your goodness steady me, Light my path to you.**

