Our Parish Newsletter 29th September 2024 - 26th Sunday in Ordinary Time

World Day of Prayer for Migrants & Refugees

Peter McKiernan PP 4336798 Bríd McEvoy, Parish Secretary, Thursday 2.30 - 5.30 pm - 0861553930 Parish Website: www.crosserloughparish.ie Mass Broadcast - 108FM

Mass Times:

St. Mary's - Sunday 10 am; First Friday 7.30 pm. Please Note - No weekday Masses

St. Joseph's - Saturday 8 pm St. Patrick's - Sunday 11.15 am

We Pray For The Deceased:

- Pat Cosgrove, Polleragh & London, whose funeral was on Friday last
- Michael McGivney, Crenew Lane whose funeral was on Tuesday
- Brian Boylan, Shannow, whose funeral was on Friday.

St. Joseph's:

Saturday 28th 8.00 pm Nora (1st AM) & Gerard Cusack, Drumcassidy;

Also Rita & Wilbur Hasenoehrl, Idaho who died recently

Saturday 5th 8.00 pm Ann Reilly, Derrin.

St. Patrick's:

Sunday 29th 11.15 am Monica Tighe 4AM; Oliver Boylan 5AM, Kilnaleck

Sunday 6th 11.15 am Maureen Leddy, Kill

St. Mary's:

Sunday 29th 10.00 am Frank O'Reilly, Clare 3AM Friday 4th 7.30 pm Andy & Mary Cooney, Derrylea

Sunday 6th 10.00 am Rose Smith, Clare also remembering Tommy.

Volunteers October:

St. Joseph's - Reader: .

Eucharistic Ministers:

Altar Society: Collectors:

<u>St. Mary's</u> - Readers: Una Finnegan, Aisling O'Rourke Eucharistic Ministers: Mary Brennan, Peggy Lynch **St. Patrick's** - Eucharistic Minister:Michael McGivney

Reader: Mairéad Lynch

Visitation
of the Sick and
Homebound
Friday 4th October in
the morning



"Angel sent by God to guide me, Be my light and walk beside me. Be my Guardian and protect me. On the path of life direct me" **Drumkilly N.S.** will be celebrating its 50th Anniversary in 2025. We would appreciate if anyone in the community would have photographs, articles or other items about the school to loan to the Board of Management to show/display on the occasion of its Anniversary which we plan to celebrate in June 2025.

Community of Hope, Pilgrimage of Joy: The parish of Mullagh & Cross welcomes St. Kilian home October 3rd to 6th, 2024.

Thursday 3rd 8 pm The people of the parish of Mullagh receive the relics of St. Kilian at Kilian's well & welcome pilrims from the diocese of Wurzburgh Friday 4th - 7 am Mass at dawn St. Kilian's Church Mullagh Saturday 5th 10.45 am - Procession from Edwin Carolan Park to the Church. Sunday 6th 10 am Mass of Thanksgiving.

Breifne College 50th Anniversary Celebrations: Breifne College celebrates 50 years in existence & are marking the occasion with a celebratory reunion of Past Pupils and Teachers on Friday October 18th in the school at 7pm with a Welcome Ceremony followed by a Buffet Meal & dancing to the Highstool Prophets. Tickets are on sale at the school office which can be contacted at 0494331735 or on info@breifnecollege.ie

Crosserlough ICA: Monthly meeting Tuesday 1st October at 7.30 in the Old School. New members always welcome.

Mary's Meal's: Thanks to all who sponsored the recent Camino in Spain which raised over €3000 and donations still coming in.

- September 29th Feast of the Archangels Angels are part of nearly every religion's belief system. Most of our understanding of the Angels comes to us as revealed by the Jewish religion. Gabriel is considered to be the number one followed by Michael and Raphael. The next level of Angels is the type known as the ministering Angels which we know as the cherubim and the seraphim and their function is to help God administer the universe. The seraphim have three sets of wings who guard God's throne. They are so called the word mean burning and their devotion to God is so great as it is a burning love. The cherubim are Angels with human or animal characteristics and their function is to guard sacred places and continually to praise God.
- ♦ October 2nd Feast day of the Guardian Angels: God has given us a special angel for our protection and assistance both in soul and body especially at the time of our death. 'O Angel of God my guardian dear. To whom God's love commits me here. Ever this Day be at my side, to light and guard, to rule and guide. Amen'
- October 4th St. Francis of Assisi 1118—1226 abandoned all things for the love of Christ. Founded the Friars Minor, and with St. Clare, the Poor Clares. For the last 2 years of his life he suffered the stigmata. *Patron Saint of ecologists*.