

**Weekday Mass Times:** Glenisland Church at **7pm** & Islandeady Church at **8pm**.  
**Weekend Mass Times:** Glenisland Church **SAT 7pm** & Islandeady Church **SUN 11am**.

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**Remembering in our Masses this week:** (Sun 21<sup>st</sup> Feb – Sun 28<sup>th</sup> Feb)

Sat 20 <sup>th</sup>	- Michael Gibbons, Lenasallagh & his parents Michael & Nora & DFM.
Sun 21 <sup>st</sup>	- Anthony & Bridget Corcoran, Slingaun, son Peter, his wife Mary, daughter Fiona, grandchildren Genie, David, Patrick, Anthony & DM of Carey & Corcoran F. - (Mass will be shown on Facebook & website at 11am). See notice next page.
Mon 22 <sup>nd</sup>	- John Lavelle.
Tues 23 <sup>rd</sup>	- Kate, Pat & Michael Walsh & DFM, Ballinamologue.
Wed 24 <sup>th</sup>	- For All the Sick of the Parish.
Thurs 25 <sup>th</sup>	- For All the Families of the Parish.
Fri 26 <sup>th</sup>	- For All Students.
Sat 27 <sup>th</sup>	- For All those who are troubled at this time.
Sun 28 <sup>th</sup>	- For All the People of the Parish/Pro Populo. (Mass will be shown on Facebook & website at 11am). See notice next page.

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**People of God ministering / helping in CHURCH next Week: Sat / Sun**

Ministry:	Glenisland:	Islandeady:
Mass Servers:	Team 1.	Team 1.
Music:	Anne & Choir.	Nora & Choir.
Readers:		
Ministers of Eucharist:		
Offertory Collectors:		

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- Monday:** Feast of the Chair of St. Peter.  
**Tuesday:** Feast of St. Polycarp, Bishop of Smyrna in modern Turkey.  
**Wednesday:** Feast of St. Ethelbert.  
**Thursday:** Feast of St. Tarasius.  
**Friday:** Feast of St. Porphyrius.  
**Saturday:** Feast of St. Gabriel of Our Lady of Sorrows.  
**Sunday:** Second Sunday of Lent.

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Anyone wishing to have an **Anniversary Mass** should do so in **writing** and place it in the Parochial House, Islandeady or send an **email**. Please provide your name and phone number. Please contact Fr. Chris on (087) 1962 674 or email him at [parishig2017@gmail.com](mailto:parishig2017@gmail.com)

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**COVID-19 Support Line for Older People** - ALONE has a national support line and additional supports for older people who have concerns or are facing difficulties relating to the COVID-19 (Corona virus) pandemic. The support line is **open Monday to Friday, 8am-8pm**, by calling 0818 222 024. Hours may be extended to meet the demand.

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St Patrick's Church Islandeady will be **open** each day from **10am to 7pm**. In the interests of Health and Safety and to minimise potential spread of the virus the **wooden doors** on the 2 side aisles will remain locked, please use the glass doors. Please use the **hand sanitizer** upon **entry** and when you **exit** the churches. Please avoid handling

The **Deadline** for items for inclusion in the Parish Newsletter is **12 noon** each Friday.

- **Phone** or send a **text message** or leave a **voicemail** to Liam on (087) 1361 895.
- You can **email** Liam at [islandeadyadm@gmail.com](mailto:islandeadyadm@gmail.com)

# Islandeady-Glenisland Parish Newsletter

**St Patrick's Church, Islandeady and the Holy Rosary Church, Glenisland.**  
**Websites:** [islandeady.ie](http://islandeady.ie) / [glenislandnewsflash.ie](http://glenislandnewsflash.ie) / [mayo.ie](http://mayo.ie) / [tuamarchdiocese.org](http://tuamarchdiocese.org)

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Sunday 21<sup>st</sup> Feb 2021 – **First Sunday of Lent**



*St. Patrick's Church, Islandeady*



*Holy Rosary Church, Glenisland*

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*Jesus went into Galilee. There he proclaimed the Good News from God.*

*"The time has come", he said*

*"and the Kingdom of God is close at hand.*

*Repent, and believe the Good News".*

**Priest:** Fr Chris Brennan **Mob** (087) 1962 674 **Email:** [parishig2017@gmail.com](mailto:parishig2017@gmail.com)  
**Newsletter:** Liam Keaveney **Mob** (087) 1361 895 **Email:** [islandeadyadm@gmail.com](mailto:islandeadyadm@gmail.com)

In today's readings, St. Ambrose reminded the newly baptised of the Water, the wood and the dove in the story of Noah. The water of Baptism saves us through the merits of Christ's death on the wood of The cross. The Holy Spirit breathed life into that water so that we Might have fullness of life.



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**Islandeedy Community Centre** is now connected to Vodafone **Superfast WiFi**. This is available to people who live in the community who have poor internet connection. People who are now **working from home (remote working)**, **school/college students** who need to download or email tests etc this is suitable for them. Contact Liam on (087) 1361 895.

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**Pastoral visits to the sick and housebound** are an important part of Parish life. Anyone who was receiving a pastoral visit by Fr. Chris before the outbreak of the virus & would like to receive the **Sacraments** again needs to contact the Priest & make the necessary arrangements. It is very important that we all take care of each other & that every effort is made to protect public health.

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Many thanks to those who have continued to contribute to the **Church collection** and to **Priest revenue** over the past year. Weekly envelopes can be dropped into the **letter box** of the **Parochial House in Islandeedy or Glenisland** at any time. The weekly envelopes goes towards the **weekly upkeep & care** of both churches in the Parish.



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If you are living with a long term health condition, you may be interested in doing the **“Living Well Programme”**. This is a **free online 6 week programme** commencing on the following dates: Mon 22<sup>nd</sup> Feb & Tues 23<sup>rd</sup> Feb. You **must register** in advance and places are limited to **10/12 participants**. Please contact Liam Gildea on (087) 3490 393 or by email at [liam.gildea@mayocil.ie](mailto:liam.gildea@mayocil.ie)

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**Please remember in your Prayers the following who recently died:**

- **Mary Brick**, Glenamaddy, cousin of Willie Keaveney, Sheeane.
  - **John Joe Jennings**, Slingaune & late of Louisburgh.
  - **Kathleen (Kitty) Hoban**, Castlebar & formerly of Corha.
- Eternal Rest grant unto them O Lord and May they Rest in Peace, Amen.



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**Masses** are available on TV RTE News now daily at 10:30am (Saorview 21) & RTE 1 on Sundays at 11am. ETWN 6pm, Sky Channel 588 & Radio Maria daily at 10am, Saorview Radio channel 210. Mass on Midwest Radio every Sun, Wed & Fri mornings at 10am.

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**Western Care Association** is going to travel around the world virtually to raise funds to enhance services throughout the county. We need your help to complete this challenge. We are looking for around **150 volunteers** to walk, run or jog around the globe in aid of Western Care, starting from **Jan 12<sup>th</sup> until 2<sup>nd</sup> April 2021**. **Registration** for the event is **€10pp** and you can contact [mflanagan@westerncare.com](mailto:mflanagan@westerncare.com) for more details.

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Trocaire packs containing the **Trocaire Lent Box for 2021** are available in the church since **Ash Wed**. Please take a box home with you. As an act of support & solidarity with the poor of the world, you could deliver a **Trocaire Pack** to anyone you think might like one.

**Cornanool National School** is accepting **enrolments** for the **2021/2022 school year**. For further details and information please email [eolas@cornanoolns.ie](mailto:eolas@cornanoolns.ie)

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**Cogaula National School** is accepting **enrolments** for the **2021/22 Academic year**.

Information and Enrolment Pack available from the school on request by emailing [cogaulans@gmail.com](mailto:cogaulans@gmail.com) Please provide your postal address in your email.

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**Cloggernaugh National School** is now **enrolling** for **September 2021**. Please email with your details to [principal@stpaulsnsislandeedy.com](mailto:principal@stpaulsnsislandeedy.com) and we can provide more information.

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From this **Sun Morning morning 21<sup>st</sup> Feb** you will be able to view weekly Sun Morning Mass from Islandeedy Church on the **“What’s on in Islandeedy”** Facebook page. Mass will be pre-recorded early in the morning & will then be **broadcast afterwards** on Facebook at **11am**. You can also view each Sunday morning mass from 11am on the **Islandeedy website [www.islandeedy.ie](http://www.islandeedy.ie)** **Thank You** for your patience, kind words & gratitude as we try to bring weekly Sunday morning mass **into your homes** from Islandeedy Church via social media.

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The **Islandeedy Village Enhancement Group**, a subcommittee of Islandeedy Community Council, have been informed by **WillsBam** that they have submitted an application to Mayo County Council **to close the R1811 Road** (the main road through Islandeedy) for a period of **4 months** starting the **first day of May**. The Village Enhancement Group has lodged an **OBJECTION** to the proposed closure of the R1811 Road to Mayo County Council.

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**One door key** with a green tag was found in St. Patrick’s Church, Islandeedy recently. If it belongs to you it is hanging on the **Church Notice Board**.

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**LGFA Mother’s & Others** is coming to Islandeedy. Get fit, have fun and even pick up the odd new skill! This is a non competitive group which will focus on fun and fitness in a friendly, safe environment. If you are interested in taking part once restrictions are lifted, please get in touch with Marian McNamara via WhatsApp/Text/Call (087) 763 2669.

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**Islandeedy GAA Senior Team Giveaway** – No Players are being raffled in this Draw..!! Your support is very much appreciated for this Draw. It’s **€10 a ticket** and you can go onto their facebook page and purchase a ticket through their Paypal account. Live Draw on March 19<sup>th</sup> on Islandeedy GAA Facebook Page. **1<sup>st</sup> Prize** is an Apple Bundle (iphone, airpods & apple watch SE) **2<sup>nd</sup> Prize** is a €100 One4all Voucher & **3<sup>rd</sup> Prize** is a €50 Elverys Voucher.

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**Do YOU want to FAST this Lent? – In the words of Pope Francis**

- Fast from **hurting words** and say **kind words**
- Fast from **sadness** and be filled with **gratitude**
- Fast from **anger** and be filled with **patience**
- Fast from **pessimism** and be filled with **hope**
- Fast from **worries** and have **trust in God**
- Fast from **complaints**; contemplate **simplicity**
- Fast from **pressures** and be **prayerful**
- Fast from **bitterness**; fill your hearts with **joy**
- Fast from **selfishness** and be **compassionate**
- Fast from **grudges** and be **reconciled**
- Fast from **words**; be **silent** and **listen**.

<p style="text-align: center;"><b>A Prayer for Healthcare Workers during this time of Covid 19</b></p>	<p>Loving God, we place into your care all our doctors, nurses and healthcare workers. Give them courage of heart &amp; strength of mind and body. Keep them safe from harm. May they know our deep gratitude for all they are doing to heal &amp; help those affected by the Coronavirus. God of all consolation may they know your protection &amp; peace. Bless them in these challenging days and bless their families. This we ask, through Christ our Lord, <b>Amen.</b></p>			
Baptism	36	34	38	44
1 <sup>st</sup> Communion	21	22	22	23
Confirmation	0	38	0	37
Wedding	6	13	11	14