

**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> Mar – Sun 28<sup>th</sup> Mar)

Sat 20 <sup>th</sup>	- Maureen Williams, husband Glynn, daughter in law Emer & brother Johnnie O'Donnell & DFM. - Sarah Murrhy RIP.
Sun 21 <sup>st</sup>	- Edward & Mary Ginnelly & DFM. - Kathleen Philbin, Mike & Mary Philbin, Padraig, Nellie & Maureen O'Shea & Tom & Kevin Basquille. - Annie & Edward Keaveney & DFM. - Michael & Mary McLoughlin, Derrycoosh & DFM. - <b>(Mass will be shown on Facebook &amp; website at 11am). See notice next page.</b>
Mon 22 <sup>nd</sup>	- For the Government.
Tues 23 <sup>rd</sup>	- For All Construction Workers & their Safety.
Wed 24 <sup>th</sup>	- For All Health Workers.
Thurs 25 <sup>th</sup>	- For All Teachers.
Fri 26 <sup>th</sup>	- For Peace in the World.
Sat 27 <sup>th</sup>	- Martin & Kathleen McGowan.
Sun 28 <sup>th</sup>	- Bill Murrhy, Cloggernaugh (7 <sup>th</sup> Anniv) & his wife Sarah. - John & Nora Fitzgerald, Cloggernaugh. - Annie & Tom Walsh, Carrowbeg & DM of the Walsh & McDermott Family. - Austin & Bridget Gibbons, Cloggernaugh & their daughter Mary Smith & DFM. - <b>(Mass will be shown on Facebook &amp; website at 11am). See notice next page.</b>

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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 St. Failbhe of Iona, Abbot of Iona Abey.  
**Tuesday:** Feast of St. Turibius (1538 – 1606) Archbishop of Lima, Peru.  
**Wednesday:** Feast of St. Macartan, Irish Bishop.  
**Thursday:** Feast of The Annunciation of the Lord.  
**Friday:** Feast of St. Eutychius of Alexandria, Martyr.  
**Saturday:** Feast of St. Gelasius, Archbishop of Armagh (1138 – 1174).  
**Sunday:** Palm Sunday of the Lords Passion.

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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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St. Patrick's Church Islandeady will be **open** each day from **10am** to **7pm**. Please use the glass doors on **entry & exit** & please use the **hand sanitizers** in both churches. **Thank you.**

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

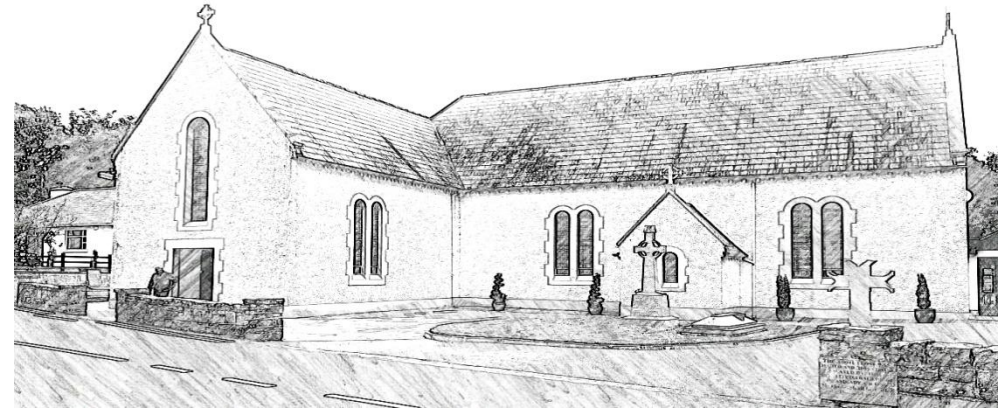
- **Phone** or send a **text message** or leave a **voicemail** to Liam on (087) 1361 895.
- You can **email** Liam at [islandeadyadm@gmail.com](mailto:islandeadyadm@gmail.com)

# 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> Mar 2021 – **Fifth Sunday of Lent**



*St. Patrick's Church, Islandeady*



*Holy Rosary Church, Glenisland*

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*I tell you, most solemnly,  
 Unless a wheat grain falls on the ground and dies,  
 It remains only a single grain;  
 But if it dies, it yields a rich harvest.*

**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, the common theme is that Lent reminds us that God loved us so much that he was generous with his mercy. If we have faith in that mercy we will not be lost. But we have to bring that message to all. The Christian has to preach to the world the saving work of Jesus Christ.



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



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**LGFA Mother's & Others** is coming to Islandeady. 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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**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, started from **Jan 12<sup>th</sup>** & running 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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We **WELCOME** into the Christian Community of Islandeady/Glenisland: **Baby Rory Brendan Collins**, son of Elaine & Brendan, who was baptised recently in Glenisland. Congrats to the Parents, Grandparents & Godparents.

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In your **PRAYERS** you are kindly asked to **remember** the following who died recently:



- **Sarah Murrhly**, Castlebar & Cloggernagh, wife of the late Bill Murrhly.
  - **Michael Duggan**, Derryribbeen, Fahy, father of Kathleen Keaveney, Sheeane & cousin of Patrick & Michael Malone, Ballinamorogue.
- Eternal Rest Grant unto them O Lord & May they Rest in Peace, **Amen**.

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You can now view weekly **Sunday Morning** mass from Islandeady Church on Social Media.

- **If you have Facebook** – you can watch it on the “What’s on in Islandeady” FB page.
- **If you don’t have Facebook** – you can watch it on the website [www.islandeady.ie](http://www.islandeady.ie)

Mass is pre-recorded & will be available to view on FB & Website **from 11am** each Sunday!  
**Thanks** to the Readers who volunteer & Nora & Ann-Marie for the **lovely** weekly **singing**.

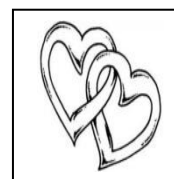


**Proposed Islandeady Road Closure L-1811 31<sup>st</sup> May – 20<sup>th</sup> Aug 2021**  
Mayo Co. Co. has inserted a public notice in the Mayo News (Mar 16<sup>th</sup>) of their intention to close the L-1811 (Church Rd) in Islandeady from Monday 31<sup>st</sup> May until Friday 20<sup>th</sup> Aug to facilitate construction of the new N5. The Community Council & group representatives intend to object to this lengthy closure in view of the impact it will have on the community. A Plan is being implemented to discuss this closure with the relevant parties. If anyone wishes to share their concerns regarding same they may contact either (Liam) 087 1361895 or (Breege) 087 2889264.

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**Islandeady GAA Senior Team Giveaway** – No Players were raffled in this Draw!! **Thanks** to **everyone** who supported this recent draw & congratulations to all who won the prizes.

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Many couples have **postponed** their wedding from 2020 to 2021, in the hope that larger numbers of guests will be able to attend. It is very important for couples to ensure that their **Civil Registration Forms** is still valid for the new date they have selected. If their Civil Registration Forms is **out of date**, their wedding **will not** be able to take place. It is the **responsibility** of the **couples** to ensure that all paper work is **up to date**.

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Over the coming weeks some parishioners will receive their **CHY 3 Cert** in the post. This cert enables the Parish to **retrieve taxes** paid to Revenue. When you receive the form, please fill in your PPS Number, sign & date the form and return it to the Parish Office in the envelope provided. You may also update your phone number and email address if appropriate. The refund which the Parish retrieves from Revenue forms a **very important** part of the **Income for the Parish**, therefore it is very important that these forms are returned as soon as possible. **Thanking everyone** for your cooperation. – **Fr. Chris Brennan Adm.**

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Pope Francis has declared 2021 “**The Year of St. Joseph**”. In his Apostolic Letter, “**Patris Corde**” (A *Fathers Heart*) he describes St. Joseph as a beloved father, a tender & loving father, an obedient father, an accepting father, a father who is creatively courageous, a working father, a father in the shadows. Let us **give thanks** for our **own fathers**, living and dead, who have followed in the **daily christian footsteps** of St. Joseph.

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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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**Affordable Live-in Homecare** provides live-in carers for the elderly in this area. If you are looking for a live-in carer for a relative, please call Eileen or Tom today on 087 9916 791 or 087 7440729. You can look up the website also [www.alhomecare.ie](http://www.alhomecare.ie)

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**Next Sunday** is **Palm Sunday**, the start of **Holy Week** & signifies Jesus’ triumphal entry into Jerusalem. While we cannot physically worship & observe this celebration in Church, what are **YOU DOING** next Sunday to **WELCOME** Jesus into your home??

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We need **Leaders** not in love with **Money**, but in love with **Justice**;  
Not in love with **Publicity**, but in love with **Humanity**. – *Martin Luther King*.

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Baptism	36	34	38	44
1 <sup>st</sup> Communion	21	22	22	23
Confirmation	0	38	0	37
Wedding	6	13	11	14
Funeral	15	29	9	11