## Support During Covid19

**Alone:** Monday to Friday, 8 a.m. - 8 p.m., **081 822 2024**.

**Third Age Ireland**: Free Phone **1800 80 45 91** 10am and 10pm on any day of the week.

Childline: Free Phone 1 800 66 66 66

**Barnardos:** Covid19 Support for Parents Monday to Friday 10.00am to 2pm Free Phone 1 800 91 01 23

> www.mentalhealthireland.ie www.youth.ie www.hse.ie Women's Aid: 1800 341 900 Men's Aid: 01 554 3811

Samaritans Helpline Free Phone 116 123

### Hi, it's me!

#### A short bedtime prayer to say with your child

Hi, it's me, just come to pray and thank you for a fun filled day!
You've been with me, so I know you've seen all the great exciting things.
But also when I'm sad or cross
I know you love me, no matter what!
So help me rest and go to sleep
And feel the peace of your love for me.

Amen.

### A Prayer for Workers

During this time of the Coronavirus COVID-19

Loving God, we place into your care all our doctors, nurses and healthcare workers. And all who work in frontline services

Give them courage of heart and strength of mind and body. Keep them safe from harm. May they know our deep gratitude for all they are doing to heal and help at this time.

God of all consolation
may they know your protection and peace.
Bless them in these challenging days
and bless their families. **Amen.** 

## Safeguarding

If you are concerned about the welfare & safety of children or vulnerable adults contact the Diocesan Designated Liaison Person (DLP)

Mr. Mick Daly

Mob: 085-8021633, email – <u>dlp@kandle.ie</u>

### Opening Times for Personal Prayer in our Churches

	Borris	Ballymurphy	Rathanna
SUNDAY	12noon to 6pm	12noon to 3pm	11am to 6pm
Monday			
Tuesday	10.30am to 1pm	11am to 12.30pm	
Wednesday	10.30am to 1pm		
Thursday	10.30am to 1pm		11am to 12.30pm
Friday	10.30am to 1pm		

# Ballymurphy...BORRIS...Rathanna

15th November, 2020, Year A

# 33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time Parish News

In the "Parable of the Talents," the master represents God while the servants represent His people. Interestingly, it is from this parable that we get our English word "talents." In the parable, talents are a form of money. In fact, they are coins that each represent a rather significant amount of money. The master entrusts his money to the care of his servants while away on a journey. He is expecting them to take good care of his resources, not squandering and also not simply sitting on it. The first two servants, entrusted with the most money, invest it and double the money the master entrusted with them. But the third servant, out of an unhealthy fear of the master, did nothing with the money. He was lazy and buried it, not working to grow what was entrusted to him. As a result, the master punished him and gave his original talent to the one who had ten. This parable illustrates what we are to do with the "talents" God has given us. In reality, everything we have has been given to us by God. We are His servants who are called to use what He has given to us for good. In essence, this parable is a call to faithful stewardship. God wants us to bear good fruit with the time, talent, and treasure. As a result of our faithfulness, He will reward us.

### **Taking it Home:**

Reflect on the many gifts you have from God. What "talents" has He given you? How can you use those gifts to bring glory to God? As you go throughout this week, take note of the many blessings you have, thank God for them, and strive to offer them back to Him for His glory.

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# With Love We Remember...



Sunday 8th November 32nd Sunday in Ordinary Time

Jim Ward Upper Borris
1st Anniversary Mass 11.30 Borris,
James & Johanna Brennan Rathanna,
Mary Ryan Kiltegan,



Monday 16th November: NO MASS
Tuesday 17th November: Special Intention
Wednesday 18th November: Special Intention
Thursday 19th November: Special Intention
Friday 20th November: NO MASS

"Life is changed, not ended"

All Masses via Webcam from The Sacred Heart Church Borris www.borrisparish.ie/webcam

## Contribution to Parish

Thank you most sincerely for your financial support of our churches in difficult times.

Contributions can be made by bank transfer directly to our Parish Account:

Name of A/C: Borris Parish Current Account IBAN: IE02 BOFI 9065 1531 4388 14 BIC: BOFIIE2D

AGAIN THANK YOU SO MUCH FOR YOUR SUPPORT

# Covid19 Level 5 Lockdown

Once again we find ourselves in a lockdown situation due to Covid19. It is with regret that this means a major impact for our Parish and Diocese.

**Masses**: No public Masses are allowed in Level 5, all Masses to go online from October 7th. All churches are to remain open for private prayer. (Times Outlined Below)

**Baptisms**: Planned baptisms for the coming days or weeks are unfortunately to be deferred until a suitable date can be arranged later.

**Funerals**: The maximum that can attend a funeral in Level 5 is 25. **Marriages**: The maximum that can attend a wedding in Level 5 is 25.

This is very hard for everyone. We are lucky to have a web-cam in Borris church and masses will be broadcast as follows:

Tuesday 10am, Wednesday 10am, Thursday 10 am and Sunday 11.30am. The Church is open for private prayer Tuesday to Friday 10.30am to 1pm and Sunday 12noon to 6pm. There will be no mass in Rathanna & Ballymurphy for the next 6 Sunday's at least.

During the Lockdown anniversary masses booked will be shared with the morning masses, a Friday evening mass will be shared with the previous Thursday morning mass and the Monday evening mass will be shared with the Tuesday morning mass.

In these uncertain and uneasy times let us pray for each other.

### Parish News

This is a FREE Publication! Available in the 3 Parish Churches and Online at www.borrisparish.ie

## Parish Centre Opening Hours

Mondays 9am – 2pm Tuesdays 9am – 2pm Fridays 9am – 2pm

St. Fortchern's Church, Rathanna Church Restoration

**All donations Welcome** 

Your support would be greatly appreciated.