

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

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.**

Ballymurphy...BORRIS...Rathanna

23rd August, 2020, Year A

21st Sunday in Ordinary Time

Parish News

Face Coverings

At this time, both in Northern Ireland and in the Republic of Ireland, the governments have not formally made mandatory the wearing of face coverings at services of worship. This is, in part, due to the fact that as churches we are committed to maintaining 2 metre physical distancing between household groups and strict adherence to all government guidance on hand hygiene, cleaning, ventilation etc.

It however remains our responsibility to ensure that our services of worship are safe places for all who join with us. It has become increasingly clear that the wearing of face coverings, in conjunction with hand washing etc., is likely to reduce the spread of Coronavirus, thus helping to protect others. Their use is therefore one way in which we can evidence protection for the most vulnerable, support for our health workers and practical love for our neighbours.

Following further recent consultations with public health authorities, I, along with other Christian church leaders all over this island, am formally recommending and encouraging the use of face coverings at all Masses and other liturgical celebrations, along with the ongoing maintenance of 2 metre physical distancing, from Sunday 30th August 2020, and earlier if practicable.

I understand that some people are exempted from the wearing of face coverings, as outlined in the two jurisdictions: <https://www.nidirect.gov.uk/articles/coronavirus-covid-19-face-coverings> and <https://www.gov.ie/en/publication/aac74c-guidance-on-safe-use-of-face-coverings>

I also recognise that whilst it may not be appropriate for the celebrant and some others (for example ministers of the Word) to wear face coverings, they should at all times continue to maintain at least 2 metre physical distancing from one another, and four metres physical distancing from the front row of the congregation. **Archbishop Eamon Martin, Primate of all Ireland**

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 – dip@kandle.ie

Change of Mass Time



**Sunday Mass in
The Sacred Heart
Church Borris**
Has moved from
11am to 11.30am.



Opening Times for Personal Prayer in our Churches

	Borris	Ballymurphy	Rathanna
SUNDAY	Church Closed after 11.30am Mass	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		

With Love We Remember...

Sunday 23rd August

Ballymurphy 7.30pm: Breda Kealy, Ballyglisheen, Months Mind

We also remember and pray for:

Willie Doyle, Kilcoltrim

Josephine Murphy, Woodlawn Park, 2nd Anniversary

Thomas & Margaret (Peggy) Corcoran, Ballytiglea

Patrick & Catherine Corcoran, Ballinagree

Catherine & Francis & Daniel Foley, Ballytiglea

William McCormack, Borris

Margaret Walsh, Borris

Jim & Margaret Murphy Ullard

Thomas Flood, Walshestown

Maurice Dillon, Ballymartin



Monday 24th August : Ellen & James Tuite

Tuesday 25th August : Ellen Breen, Ballymurphy

Wednesday 26th August: Deceased members of the

Doyle Family Tinnecarrig

Thursday 27th August : Pauline Scully, Carlow

Friday 28th Tom Coleman, Tinnecarrig

May love be what you remember most...



Sanitising Borris Church

All churches require to be sanitised after each visit. **From Tuesday sanitising wipes will be available on the Altar Rails here in Borris Church and I would ask each person visiting the church to wipe the area where you have been sitting.**

This will take the pressure of the small number of volunteers who are here each day to ensure that sanitisation takes place. I would like to thank sincerely those people who have given their time freely.

Bins will be provided at the front of the church for used sanitising wipes.

Contribution to Parish

Thank you most sincerely for your financial support of our churches in difficult times. Contributions can be made directly by bank transfer directly to our Parish Account, the details are:

Name of A/C: Borris Parish Current Account

IBAN: IE02 BOFI 9065 1531 4388 14

BIC: BOFIE2D

AGAIN THANK YOU SO MUCH FOR YOUR SUPPORT

Prayer for the Safety of Returning to School in a Pandemic



Father please hear us when we tell You of our concerns of sending our children and educators back to school.

Know that we are striving to make all of the right decisions and need Your love and power to help us overcome any difficulties.

Please watch over everyone as times and routines are about to change once again.

We know that we can do anything through You, so please help us ensure health and semi-normality in the coming months.



We give our hearts to You, now and forever. Amen



Parish Envelopes for the coming year are now ready for collection at the Parish Office

Could distributors please call for them

Mon—Fri 9.30am—12.30pm

Thank you for your help

Parish News

The **Parish News** is a newsletter containing information of events and other items in the **Church Life** of the Parish of Borris, Ballymurphy & Rathanna.

This is a FREE Publication!

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