

Ballymurphy...BORRIS...Rathanna

Charity Registration No: 20015848

12th June 2022 Year C

Feast of The Most Holy Trinity

Trinity

What is the worst thing that could happen to you? That question was asked of children in an English language project on self-expression. There were many differing responses, including being eaten by a shark and being trapped in an earthquake, but two in particular caught the teacher's attention: being told I was ugly; being in a family who didn't love me.

The teacher thought these answers were probably the most honest because they revealed what is most critical to self-esteem – that part of us that recognises the connection we have with each other. Anything that threatens that tie – like being labelled ugly, unworthy or unfit, or out of place – through lack of love, is devastating. Especially if this is from within the family unit itself.

The Christian God is a family – named as a Trinity of persons defined as LOVE – revealed as One God, home to three distinct persons, named in human terms as Father, Son and Holy Spirit.

Credit Fr. James B Lyons

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We cannot fully understand God...the mystery that makes God be God. But we experience it most deeply in the acceptance and the love other people have for us. Lord make us instruments of your Love to all we meet each and every day.



Parish Contacts

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Turn your worries into prayers...

With Love We Remember...
Saturday 11th & Sunday 12th June

Rathanna Anniversary Mass
Thomas & Pauric McCarthy Knockskire



We also pray for:

Patsy Huff Station Road & Ann Cradden
Peg Coleman Station Road
Anna Hennessy Ballytiglea
Elizabeth Fenlon Liselican
Fr. Moling Lennon & Padraig Lennon Cournellan

Anniversary Masses this Week

Wednesday 15th June: Patsy Huff Station Road & Ann Cradden

Thursday 16th June: Jack McCarthy

Friday 17th June: Denis Drennan & his daughter Kathleen McCormack

May they see God and live forever...

Eucharistic Adoration Borris

Prayer & Adoration of Jesus, present in the Blessed Sacrament, takes place each Wednesday from 10.30 to 1pm in the Church of the Sacred Heart Borris.

You are invited to spend time before Jesus in prayer during this time.

All Welcome

Act of Spiritual Communion

My Jesus,
I believe that You
are present in the Most Holy Sacrament.
I love You above all things,
and I desire to receive You into my soul.

Since I cannot at this moment
receive You sacramentally,
come at least spiritually into my heart.

I embrace You as if You were already there
and unite myself wholly to You.

Never permit me to be separated from You.

Amen.

Prayer Before an Examination



Lord you are my friend and you
are with me today and always.
You have blessed my life with
many gifts and talents.

As the exams approach I feel nervous
so I pray for your peace.

Calm my mind so that I can think clearly
and write down what I know.

Help me to remember what I have
learned and to do my best.

Lord your loving presence surrounds me.
Help me to trust that you will guide me. **Amen**

Prayer for Ukraine

**O Prince of Peace,
Once more we hear the guns of war,
Once more we see the faces
Of frightened children.**

**We pray for the people of Ukraine,
That they may be granted peace;
We pray for the people of Russia,
That they may demand peace;**

**We pray for our country,
That we may be a positive part
Of peace-making in this world.**

**O Prince of Peace,
Lead us from this dark time
To a deeper understanding
Of the global human family,
So all may break bread together
In the secure embrace of peace.**

Amen.

Jane Deren, Ph.D.

"A Wake in the West"

in Rathanna Hall

Monday 13th June @ 8pm

In aid of MLR Feile

Tuesday 14th June @ 8pm

In aid of Borris Parish

Friday 17th June @ 8pm

National Eucharistic Adoration Pilgrimage to Knock

Calling all adorers of the Blessed Sacrament in Kildare and Leighlin, the National Eucharistic Adoration Pilgrimage to Knock takes place on Saturday 18th June (Corpus Christi weekend). Contact Barbara on 086-163 7311 for more information or see www.eucharisticadoration.ie

Quotes from Pope Francis...

**Wretched are those who are
vindictive and spiteful.**

Safeguarding

If you are concerned about the welfare & safety of children or vulnerable adults contact the

Director of Safeguarding

Ms. Kathleen Sherry

Mob: 085-8021633,

email safeguarding@kandle.ie

Cemetery Prayers and Masses

Kiltennel

**Prayers on Sunday 19th June
in Kiltennel cemetery at 1pm**

Sacred Heart Cemetery

Mass on Friday 24th June at 7.30pm

Clonagoose Cemetery

Mass on Friday 1st July at 7.30pm

Rathanna Pattern

Sunday 31st July @ 3pm

Ballymurphy Pattern

Sunday August 28th @ 3pm

Eucharistic Adoration Rathanna

Hourly Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament takes place in Rathanna Church every Thursday from 11am to 6pm. It would be great if we had a few more people to take part. If any of the people on the rota cannot attend it would be great if there were a few more people who could be contacted to fill in when needed. If anyone is interested in doing an hours adoration please contact Fr. Rory or Kathleen O'Toole.

Novena to the Sacred Heart

The Novena to the Sacred Heart takes place this year from the 16th to the 24th June. Prayer leaflets for this novena will be left in the Churches if anyone would like to pray it during this time.



Support Helplines

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:

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

Contribution to Parish

I want to thank you most sincerely for your continued financial support of our churches and parish. Contributions can be made in 3 ways.

Directly, by dropping your donation into the Parish Centre

By donating via the donation link on our website.

Bank transfer directly to:

**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
Fr Rory*

Mass Times

Ballymurphy-Borris-Rathanna

Weekday Masses

Monday No Mass
Tuesday No Mass
Wednesday 10am
Thursday 10am
Friday 7.30pm



Sunday Masses

7.30pm Ballymurphy (Saturday evening)
9.30am Rathanna
11.00am Borris

Prayer to our Blessed Mother

Take my hand, O Blessed Mother,
hold me firmly lest I fall.

I am nervous when I'm walking
and to thee I humbly call.

Guide me over every crossing,
watch me when I'm on the stairs,
let me know you are beside me,
listen to my fervent prayers.

Bring me to my destination safely, every single day.
Help me with each undertaking,
as the hours go on their way.

And when evening falls upon me, and I fear to be alone,
take my hand, O Blessed Mother, once again and lead
me home.

Amen

SERENITY

Serenity Prayer

**God grant me the serenity
to accept the things I cannot change;
courage to change the things I can;
and wisdom to know the difference.**