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Annaghdown**

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Mass Intentions from: 21st – 29th October 2023

Sat 21st 7.00pm People of the Parish.

Sun 22nd 11.00am Harvest Mass.

Mon NO MASS

Tue 24th 7.00pm Special Intention.

Wed - Thurs NO MASS

**Fri 27th 7.00pm 90th Birthday Mass for Nonie Ruane,
Nee Faragher, Shankill & Renmore.**

Sat 28th 7.00pm James & Mary Kilkelly.

Sun 29th 11.00am Gerard Scully, Woodpark, Anniversary.

Mass online: Go to Churchtv.ie/Annaghdown

Harvest Mass: After Mass everyone is invited to Annaghdown National School for a get together with refreshments & a free raffle. If anyone wishes to contribute non perishable items which will be later donated to those in need, they can be left in front of the altar.

Mass of Remembrance: For those who died in the past year will take place in Corrandulla Church on Sunday 5th Nov at 11.00am & in Annaghdown Church on Sunday 26th November at 11am.

Universal Synod October 2023: Please remember in your prayers Pope Francis and those who are gathering in Rome during the month of October for the Universal Synod. Pray that the Holy Spirit will guide them in their deliberations as they try to listen to what God is asking of his People – the Church today.

Celebration of Marriage Anniversaries: Archbishop Francis will celebrate Mass in the Cathedral at 3.00 p.m. on Sunday, 29th October on the occasion of the Celebration of Marriage Anniversaries. Refreshments will be served afterwards in St. Jarlath's College. Please contact the Parish Office if you wish to attend.

October

Sat 21st

Sun 22nd

Tue 24th

Fri 27th

Sat 28th

Sun 29th

Tue 31st

Reader

Eugene Keane

Brid Greaney

Mary McGrath

Felicity McCormick

Trish Kelly

Olivia Divilly

Sally Farragher

Eucharist

Mary Teresa Keane

Brid Greaney

Marguerite Fitzpatrick

Kieran Duggan

Basket Collection

John King

Adrian O'Meara

Bridgie Forde

Olivia Divilly

Annaghdown Heritage Society: Is pleased to announce its first presentation for Autumn, 2023 by Dr Pádraig Ó Héalaí, entitled "Cillíní : a review of children's funerary rites in Ireland". The talk will be held in the Heritage Room, Old Girls' School, Corrandulla on Wednesday, October 25 at 8 pm. It is open to the public and can also be viewed on Zoom. Visit www.annaghdownheritage.ie

Irish Epilepsy Association: Thanks from the Epilepsy Association to all who contributed to the collection last week. A total of €280 was collected.

World Mission Sunday: Is the Holy Father's annual appeal for spiritual and financial support so that the life-giving work of overseas mission and missionaries can continue. It always falls on the second last Sunday in October, meaning this year it will be celebrated this Sun 22nd Oct. The theme for this year's celebration of Mission Sunday is: "Hearts on Fire, Feet on the Move" (Luke 24: 13-35).

Hope Space: Children's grief support service We support children and young people from Galway city and county who have been negatively impacted by the loss of a loved one. We provide a free one-to-one listening service for grieving children (aged 4-17 years), in a confidential, warm, caring and supportive environment in our Centre in Galway City. A trained volunteer helps children address their emotions around grief, helping them to understand that grief is a normal reaction to loss and all their emotions are normal. For more info, please call 091 342566 or Email: support@hopespace.ie

Annaghdown Bethany Bereavement Support Group:

The next drop-in meeting of the Bethany Bereavement Support Group takes place on Wed 25th October from 7.30pm to 8.30pm in St. Brendan's Pastoral Centre, Corrandulla. We offer a listening ear and support to those who have lost a loved one, whether recently or in the past. Please drop in. You will be most welcome. Alternatively, if you prefer to speak to someone over the phone you can contact us on 086 0728917. We will always call you back.

Healing Meditation: Friday Evenings 7.30-8.30pm in the Pastoral Centre Corrandulla. Book your space Carmel DM 087 9764350.

CHY3 Tax Rebate Scheme: Over the next few days, some parishioners will receive a letter from the parish containing a CHY3 form for tax relief on charitable donations which have exceeded €250. This scheme is now an important source of parish income and we appeal to parishioners to complete the form and return it to the church or the Parish Office as soon as possible.

Parish Finances: Parish account details; *Weekly Collection:* Annaghdown: Church Account .IBAN: IE15 AIBK 93745200022000 BIC: AIBKIE2D. Please include your name as a narrative to appear on our bank statement. Annaghdown Parish Priests Revenue Account: IBAN: IE85 AIBK 93745219069018 BIC: AIBKIE2D