

**St. Brendan's Church by the Lake  
Annaghdown**

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**Mass Intentions from: 6<sup>th</sup> – 14<sup>th</sup> Jan 2024**

**Sat 6<sup>th</sup> 7.00pm Bridie Hardiman, Anniversary.  
(Feast of the Epiphany).**

**Sun 7<sup>th</sup> 11.00am Michael Ward, Clonboo, Anniversary.**

**Mon NO MASS**

**Tue 9<sup>th</sup> 7.00pm Special Intention.**

**Wed - Thurs NO MASS**

**Fri 12<sup>th</sup> 7.00pm People of the Parish.**

**Sat 13<sup>th</sup> 7.00pm People of the Parish.**

**Sun 14<sup>th</sup> 11.00am Teresa & Michael Carr, Tonemace,  
Anniversary.**

**Mass online:** Go to Churchtv.ie/Annaghdown.

**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

**Pro Life Campaign:** Church gate collection will take place on 13<sup>th</sup> & 14<sup>th</sup>  
Jan. The Pro Life Campaign promotes pro-life education and defends human  
life at all stages, from conception to natural death. It also campaigns for  
resources to support and assist pregnant women and those in need of healing  
after abortion. The Pro Life Campaign can be contacted on (01)

6629275. Our website is [www.prolifecampaign.ie](http://www.prolifecampaign.ie)

**Guide for anyone doing online contribution:**

Information sheets are available at the back of the church or else click on -  
[http://www.annaghdownchurch.com/wp-content/uploads/2024/01/Church-](http://www.annaghdownchurch.com/wp-content/uploads/2024/01/Church-Dues-Schedule-Checker-2024.pdf)

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**Jan**

Sat 6<sup>th</sup>

Sun 7<sup>th</sup>

Tue 9<sup>th</sup>

Fri 12<sup>th</sup>

Sat 13<sup>th</sup>

Sun 14<sup>th</sup>

Tue 16<sup>th</sup>

Fri 19<sup>th</sup>

Sat 20<sup>th</sup>

Sun 21<sup>st</sup>

**Reader**

Eugene Keane

Bridgie Forde

John King

Felicity McCormick

Maria Curran

Adrian O'Meara

Mary Hoade

Myles Meehan

Felicity McCormick

Brid Greaney

**Eucharist**

Mary Teresa Keane

Maura Kavanagh

Marguerite Fitzpatrick Myles Meehan

Siobhaun Farragher Adrian O'Meara

Michael O'Flynn

Mary Hoade

**Basket Collection**

Mary McGrath

Bridgie Forde

Michael O'Flynn

Mary Hoade

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

**Expression of Interest :**Galway County Council is seeking expressions of interest  
from landowners with lands which may be suitable for development as Burial  
Grounds in the Annaghdown area ; For further information on suitability criteria  
and Expression of Interest Form, please visit:

<http://www.galway.ie/en/services/environment/applicationforms/> or contact office  
below for documents; **Environment Section, Aras an Chontae Prospect Hill  
Galway City H91 H6KX Telephone 091-509510**

**Faith in the Family** Talk for First Communion parents scheduled for January is  
postponed until February. Apologies for inconvenience caused.

**The Cope Lunch:** Will resume on Tuesday 16th January at 1.00pm in the Pastoral  
Centre, Corrandulla. If you would like to come along for a hot dinner and a chat  
you would be most welcome. All you have to do is call the Office 091-791125 by  
Thursday 11th January as places are limited.

**Grow in love programme:** Children preparing for First Holy Communion are  
invited to be in attendance at Mass next Sunday 14th January at 11.00am with their  
families.

**Church envelopes 2024:** **New Church envelopes are now  
available for collection at the back of the Church. Please  
contact the Parish Office if you are not already receiving a  
box of envelopes & would like to do so.**

***Prayer for the New Year***

*Dear God, Give me the courage to begin again — to overlook the difficulties,  
to overcome the obstacles and to stay open to the moment as best I can.*

*Help me be patient enough to know it takes time to start over, and wise  
enough to ask for help from friends and family when I need it.*

*As I look to the future, may I reflect on the past and remember the lessons it's  
taught me. And God, may I always look to you for strength and guidance.*

*Amen*