

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

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Mass Intentions from: 23rd – 30th March 2025

Sun 23rd 10am Des Nolan, Annaghdown. (1st Anniversary).

Jimmy Scully, Cutteenty. (1st Anniversary.

Tue 25th 7pm Communion Service & Eucharistic Adoration.

Wed 26th 2pm Confirmation.

Sun 30th 10am Paddy Crowe, Baranna.

Nellie Lardner, Cutteenty & all deceased of the family.

All masses must now be booked through the Parish Office. Phone: 091-791125 Office hours: Monday, Tuesday & Thursday 9.00am - 3.30pm.

Parish Office Email address: Please use corrاندullachurch@gmail.com

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.

Please return: Any empty holy water bottles that may be reused for refilling for Easter. Small bottles only please.

Youth 2000 Connaught one-day retreat: Takes place on Saturday 29th March at St. Mary's Church / Dominican Priory in the Claddagh in Galway City, beginning at 9.30am. Workshops, music, talks, testimonies & more. Donation only. Register online at Youth2000.ie, contact connaught@youth2000.ie for more information.

March

Sun 23rd

Sun 30th

Reader

Myles Meehan

Olivia Divilly

Eucharist

Marguerite Fitzpatrick Myles Meehan

Michael O'Flynn

Basket Collection

Myles Meehan

John King

Fr. Ollie: Please continue to remember Fr. Ollie in your prayers.

Funeral Ministry: Over the past number of months, the Diocesan Funeral Resource Team has been engaged in discussion & consultation on the funeral ministry needs of the Tuam Archdiocese. The Church recommends that, when no priest or deacon is available for the removal from the funeral home or home of the deceased or for graveside prayers, a lay person presides. Parishes are now considering how to prepare people for this Ministry, which will involve training, through lay people and priests working together. More information will be available in the coming weeks.

Sacrament of Confirmation: We pray for the 32 children from Annaghdown School who will receive the Holy Spirit in the Sacrament of Confirmation on Wednesday 26th March at 2.00pm. May they rejoice in God's overflowing life and goodness. As a large crowd will be in attendance, we ask that priority be given to parents and older parishioners with regard to seating in the church in Annaghdown. **Corrandulla Ploughing:** Will hold their annual ploughing match this Sunday 23rd March in Martina's Coen's Corrandrum starting 12 noon.

Fundraising Concert in aid of Cancer Research: In Regan's of Clonboo on Saturday 29th March, featuring The Whileaways. Doors open at 8pm. Tickets €25. Your support will be greatly appreciated

Annaghdown GAA Lotto results: (18/03/25) Numbers: **4 - 14 - 26 - 29** No jackpot winner, 1 match 3: Ciaran McCague (Online). Promoters prize: Willie Dowd. Next week jackpot **€19,300**. Thanks to all for your continued support.

Annaghdown Heritage Society: Would like to thank all those who contributed to its recent annual Church Gate Collection and also online via iDonate. In total, **€964.20** was raised by the event. We offer a special word of thanks to the many volunteers who assisted with the collection.

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