

PARISH NEWSLETTER
BALLYDALY-CULLEN-MILLSTREET
TWENTY-SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME –
30TH AUGUST 2026

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PARISH OFFICE OPENING HOURS: Monday-Tuesday-Wednesday-Friday

10.00a.m. – 1.00p.m. & 2.00-5.00p.m.

RECENT DEATH: Gail Farmery, South Africa.

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THIS WEEKEND:

Saturday 29th August:

Millstreet 6.15p.m.

Connie Hickey, St. Joseph's Gardens;
 Joe O'Sullivan, Claraghatlea & his parents Peggy & Finbarr;
 Jerry Healy, Wicklow & Millstreet;
 Kitty McCarthy, Aubane.

Sunday 30th August:

Ballydaly 9.30a.m:

Peter Dudzik, Poland.

Millstreet 11.30a.m:

Jim Maloney, Woodland Drive.

ANNIVERSARIES: Johannah Lehane, Aubane; Willie C & Bab Han O'Riordan, Main Street; Mick & Nellie O'Keeffe, Pound Hill; Nora Coleman, Murphy's Terrace; Danny Creedon, Carrigacoolen; Keith Sheehan, Station Road; Tommy Tucker, Ballydaly; Patricia Kelleher, Laught; Timmy & Peggy Cronin, Millstreet & New York; Nora Duggan, Carriganima.

MASS INTENTIONS FOR NEXT WEEKEND:

Saturday 5th September: *Our Lady of Fatima First Saturday Devotions*

Rosary at 5.50p.m. and 15-minute meditation in Parish centre after Mass.

Millstreet 6.15p.m.

Derry Curtin, Drishane Road (*recently deceased*);
 John Cronin, Lackabawn;
 Elizabeth, John & the deceased members of the McAuliffe Family, Aunagloor & their grandson Vincent Daly;
 Tadhg & the deceased members of the Moynihan Family; Ballydaly.

Sunday 12th September:

Cullen 9.30a.m:

Timmy Joe O'Connor, Knockduff & his uncle John O'Connor;
 Denis & Sheila Murphy, Lyreaoune.

Millstreet 11.30a.m: Tim O'Shea, Tullig (*1st Anniversary*).

EXPOSITION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT takes place every Tuesday in Millstreet Church from 10.30a.m. to 7.30p.m.

MILLSTREET CHURCH CHOIR

Sing to the Lord with grateful praise (Psalm 147)

Millstreet Church Choir will resume this week following our summer break. We are always looking for new members, and we invite you to join us next Wednesday night at 8.00p.m for our weekly practice. Alongside our adult choir we are also inviting the children of our Parish (2nd class upwards) to join our children's choir, with this practice from 7.15 to 8.00p.m. on Wednesday night also.

Rotas for Next Weekend 5th & 6th September

CHURCH	TIME	READER	EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS
Millstreet	6.15p.m.	Maria Kelleher	Group C
	11.30 a.m.	Katriona Hickey	Group D
Cullen	9.30a.m.	Marie Walsh	Mary O'Leary

MILLSTREET CHURCH: *Mass times this week unless there is a funeral.*

Mass on Monday (31st) for Danny Creedon, Carrigacoolen at 7.30p.m.

Mass on Tuesday (1st) for Dan & Lena Buckley, Cahirbarnagh; Margaret O'Connor, Kanturk at 10.00a.m.

Mass on Wednesday (2nd) for People of the Parish at 10.00a.m.

Mass on Friday (4th) for Dan Duggan, West End (*recently deceased*) at 7.30p.m.

LEGION OF MARY every Tuesday night at 7.30p.m. in The Parish Centre.

MILLSTREET ALTAR SOCIETY for 6th & 13th September: **Group A**

FIRST FRIDAY CALLS: Fr. Fitzgerald will make First Friday calls for the month of September during the coming week.

MILLSTREET CHURCH COLLECTORS FOR SEPTEMBER: *Vigil Mass*

Group 3: M. Linehan, S. Lane, B. O'Leary & E. Reardon. **11.30a.m. Group 1:** J. O'Riordan, J. Buckley, D. Dennehy & J. Cashman.

DIOCESAN COLLECTION next weekend (5th/6th) for *Diocesan Needs*.

CULLEN CHURCH: No Mass on next Thursday.

CULLEN CHURCH COLLECTOR for 6th September: **Michael Forde**

PRIEST ON DUTY Sunday 30th August: *Fr. Danny Broderick*

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Season of Creation 2026

The Season of Creation begins on this Tuesday, 1st September, the World Day of Prayer for the Care of Creation, and continues until 4th October, the Feast of St Francis of Assisi. This year's theme is "Living Water". All are invited to participate in an activity or take action to care for creation. *Date for your diary: Season of Creation Celebration on Saturday 19th September between 1.30 & 3.30p.m. This afternoon will be hosted by Millstreet Parish Pastoral Council & the Diocesan Justice, Peace & Integrity Committee. Further details in the coming weeks.*

Community Notices

- ❖ **LIFE IN THE SPIRIT SEMINARS** 4th September for 6 Fridays between 8.00 & 9.30p.m. in The Wallis Arms. For further details (087) 6671724.
- ❖ **POOR CLARES GALWAY:** Half-day retreat for women (18-40) on Sunday 6th September between 2.00 & 6.00p.m. For information and to register: <https://cherisheddaughters.eventbrite.ie>

As our school re-open after their summer holiday, we offer a special prayer for the year ahead:

Our loving God, we ask you to bless the schools of our Parish at the start of this school year. Bless the pupils, teachers and staff. Help them to be positive, kind and understanding to everyone around them and may our schools be communities of friendship and a place of peace, where everybody feels valued, safe and happy.