

**Light the Fire:** Come and celebrate our Catholic faith on Slane - the hill where St Patrick lit the first Paschal fire in 433AD. This is a divine invitation to witness the Archbishop of Armagh symbolically light the fire of faith, hope and love, first kindled by our patron saint. Eurovision's Dana will sing her song for St Patrick, Light the Fire. Gathering begins at noon on the 3rd of August and includes mass, Eucharistic healing, praise and worship and Rosary. More info at [lightthefire.ie](http://lightthefire.ie) or email [info@lightthefire.ie](mailto:info@lightthefire.ie)

**An evening of prayer and healing** through the intercession of St Pio and ministry of Fr John Mockler SDS will take place in St Brigid's Church, Killygarry, Cavan on Thursday July 31st. Guided Holy Hour from 6 30pm leading into Holy Mass at 7.30pm and concluding with blessings with relics of St Pio. Confessions 5pm to 6.30pm. All welcome.

**Mary's Meals:** The annual Step by Step to Feed the Next Child - Mary's Meals Walk from Enniskillen to Knock Shrine will arrive in Manorhamilton from Blacklion on Friday 8<sup>th</sup> August and will leave again on Saturday 9<sup>th</sup> for Glencar Waterfalls and from there onto Sligo on Sunday 10<sup>th</sup> August. Walkers will travel from 7 different locations across Ireland from the 7<sup>th</sup> August, all meeting in Knock on Friday 15<sup>th</sup> August. Mary's Meals is a simple solution to world hunger, feeding hungry children in their place of education in 16 of the world's poorest countries. €22 will feed a child for an entire school year. Please go to [marysmeals.ie](http://marysmeals.ie) to learn more and support this amazing charity. Any donation, big or small, is very welcome. Thank you.

**Abide in His Love Women's Conference** happening for a second year – November 21-23. A beautiful event for women exploring the beauty and gift of their feminine identity in Christ. Check out Eventbrite link for tickets and more information <https://www.eventbrite.com/e/abide-in-his-love-womens-conference-2025-tickets-1283997654549?aff=ebdssbcategorybrowse>

**WIN A TRIP TO MEDJUGORJE** Medjugorje Irish Centre Free Prize draw. Prize for one person includes 7 nights B&B, return airport transfer and flights up to €300.To enter go to prize draw page on website [www.med-irishcentre.com](http://www.med-irishcentre.com) Tel. 07860 465386 or email [reservations@med-irishcentre.com](mailto:reservations@med-irishcentre.com) WhatsApp No: 00387 63 630 604Email: [reservations@med-irishcentre.com](mailto:reservations@med-irishcentre.com) Website: [www.med-irishcentre.com](http://www.med-irishcentre.com)

**Bawnboy Community Festival – August Bank Holiday Weekend:** Festival Vintage Day - We're looking for home baking donations and volunteers for the Vintage Day Kitchen on Sunday, 3<sup>rd</sup> August. If you would like to contribute, please bring your homemade baked goods to the Keepers Arms closer to the event date. Your support is greatly appreciated!

**Temple-Lotto Results: 21st July -** Numbers Drawn 11,14,21,26. No Jackpot winner. 5 Lucky Dip Winners Mary Donohoe, Donabate. Frankie Dolan, San Francisco. Eileen Gallagher, Corlough. Aidan Rudden, Lakefield. Shona McKiernan, Derrylin. Next week's jackpot is €11,900. Draw closes 6pm on Sunday with draw taking place on Sunday night.

**Prayer on Visiting the Grave of a Loved One:**

Father in heaven, as we stand before the resting place of our beloved (name of person), we remember the gift they were and continue to be to each of us here present. We thank you for their life, the love they shared with us and we pray that they are with you now, enjoying the fullness of eternal life. Comfort us in our sadness, strengthen us with your hope, until we are united with them again in the love of Christ and we are with you and our loved one forever. Amen.

**CORLOUGH/TEMPLEPORT PARISH NEWSLETTER**



*Sunday 27th July, 2025 - 17th Sunday in Ordinary Time*  
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Parish Website: [www.corloughtempleport.com](http://www.corloughtempleport.com) Parish Radio: FM108 (All churches)  
Webcam: [www.churchTV.ie/bawnboy](http://www.churchTV.ie/bawnboy) [www.churchTV.ie/corlough](http://www.churchTV.ie/corlough)  
Facebook: Corlough-Templeport parish  
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Mass Times			
Saturday	8.15pm	Corlough	Pat McBrien, Altachullion
Sunday	9.30am	Kilnavart	<b>Mass followed by the Blessing of the Graves</b> Noel McKiernan Francis and Brigid Corrigan, Burren Annie Heyneman, Kilnavart Maureen and Dan McLoughlin, Gortnaleck Hugh and Mary Ellen McHugh and deceased members of the McHugh family, Kilnavart
	11.00am	Bawnboy	<b>Mass followed by the Blessing of the Graves</b> Jack and Brigid Tierney and deceased family members, Munlough Deceased members of the McKiernan family, Aghnakelly James and Mollie Murphy Jim Doyle and deceased members of the Murphy family, Clintycannahan and Mullaghlea Fr John Murphy, Bawnboy
Monday		Kilnavart	<b>NO MASS</b>
Tuesday	9.00am	Bawnboy	People of the Parish
Wednesday	9.30am	Corlough	
Thursday	9.00am	Bawnboy	
Friday	8.00pm	Kilnavart	Aidan, Anna and Sr Marie McAweeney, Killywilly

Saturday	8.15pm	Corlough	
Sunday	9.30am	Kilnavart	
	11.00am	Bawnboy	

**Offertory Collection Templeport. 20/07/25 €935.00**

**Bawnboy: Reader     Sunday** Ann Maguire

**Eucharistic Minister. Sunday** Mary Fee, Sean O’Reilly

**Kilnavart: Reader     Sunday** Rosemary Brady

**Eucharistic Minister   Sunday** Mairead McAweeney

**Collectors for August:** John Corrigan, Ellen Murray

**Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament**

<b>Wednesday</b>	<b>Corlough</b>	<b>9.55am-10.30am</b>
<b>Friday</b>	<b>Kilnavart</b>	<b>7.00pm-8.00pm</b>

**Blessing of the Graves 2025**

The Blessing of the Graves takes place in Templeport today. The Pastoral Council would like to invite you for light refreshments after the Blessing of the Graves in Bawnboy in St Aidan's N.S.. It will be an opportunity to catch up with parishioners and those who are back home for the occasion. Today, we remember all those who are buried in our cemeteries and especially those who were buried since the Blessing of the Graves last year.

**Kilnavart Cemetery:** Maura Daly, Cross; Joseph (Eddie) McGee, Currin; Sean McHugh, Portaliffe; Tomás Brady, Cavanaquill; Michael Coyle, Cross and Annie Heyneman, Kilnavart; Sadie and Olivia McGovern, Kildoagh.

**Bawnboy Cemetery:** Seamus O' Reilly, Gortmore (Killaghduff cemetery); Pat Monaghan, Boley; Canon John Murphy, Bawnboy; Bridget McPartland, Killarah (Port cemetery); Peter Prior, Bawnboy (Corraleehan cemetery); Joan Brady, Meenaghan and Jim O' Reilly, Owengallis.

Eternal Rest Grant unto them O Lord and let perpetual light shine upon them, May they rest in peace, Amen.

**Sunday, 27th of July** - Port Cemetery at 12.45pm.

Workhouse Cemetery at 1.15pm.

**Monday, 4th of August** - Jubilee Year of Hope Celebration. Mass and the Blessing of the Graves celebrated by Bishop Martin Hayes at 3pm on St Mogue's Island.

**Sunday, the 10th of August** - Mass in St Patrick's Church, Corlough at 12.30pm followed by the Blessing of the Graves. Refreshments will be provided in St Patrick's N.S. afterwards.

**WORLD DAY OF PRAYER FOR GRANDPARENTS AND ELDERLY:** Archbishop Francis Duffy will be the principal celebrant at Knock Shrine for the celebration on Sunday 27th of July. Ceremonies begin at 2.30pm.

**CORLOUGH CHURCH MONTH OF AUGUST**

**MINISTERS OF THE WORD:** Emer Devine, Muineal.

**EUCCHARISTIC MINISTER:** Kathleen Cassidy, Tonlagee,

**OFFERTORY COLLECTION:** Jim Joe Heavey, Tullyveela & Gerard McGovern, Derryconnessy.

**ALTAR SOCIETY:** Ann Marie McTeggart, Clarbally & Katrina McGovern, Tonlagee.

**Jubilee Year Mass on St Mogue's Island, Bawnboy, Co. Cavan:** Bishop Martin Hayes will celebrate a special Jubilee Year Mass on the Bank Holiday Monday, the 4th of August 2025 at 3.00pm. Archbishop Francis Duffy and the priests of the diocese will concelebrate. There will be a short Camino-style walk beforehand from the grounds of the former Wonderland Ballroom (H14 HH50) and the Blessing of the Graves will take place afterwards. A coffee cart will be at the shore from 12 noon and toilet facilities will be provided. Due to the expected crowd, please allow enough time to walk to the shore and be transported across by boat to the island. We would encourage people to park at the Wonderland Ballroom and take part in the Camino walk but a shuttle bus will also be in operation from 1pm-5pm. The Mass will be transmitted to the shore for those who would like to participate but would rather not cross over to the island. This event is being organised in conjunction with the Bawnboy Community Festival and all proceeds of the collection will go towards cancer charities and other local organisations. A warm invitation is extended to people across the diocese to this Jubilee Year of Hope event in honour of St Maedhóg, who was born on the island around the year 558 A.D..

**Corlough Church Webcam:** A webcam has been installed in Corlough Church and weekend Masses and other occasions will be now live streamed. Please let your family and friends who are living away from home know that they can now view Mass from their local church by clicking the following link: [www.churchTV/corlough](http://www.churchTV/corlough). Please note that Mass will continue to be broadcast from Corlough on radio (FM108) to those living within a 10km radius or so of the church.

**Job Opportunity - Bawnboy and Kilnavart:** Male and Female Environmental workers to participate on C.E. Scheme required in Bawnboy and Kilnavart. 19.5 hours per week. C.E. rates. To start immediately. Duties include moving, strimming, weed and litter control, hedge trimming, painting and general upkeep of the area to a high standard. Training will be provided. Eligibility to participate on C.E. is generally linked to those who are over 21 and in receipt of a qualifying social welfare payment for a year or more. Contact Vera on 049-4334842 at Midwest Cavan CE

**Kilmore Diocesan Jubilee Year of Hope Pilgrimage to Knock Shrine** will take place on Saturday, 9th of August, the Feast of St Felim, the Patron Saint of the Diocese. Mass will be celebrated at 3pm by Bishop Martin Hayes. The Anointing of the Sick will be offered at the Mass. The Stations of the Cross and Rosary will take place outdoors at 2pm. The choir from the Church of the Immaculate Conception, Belturbet, will provide the Sacred Music, while people from the Parish of Annagh will participate in the liturgy. Knock Shrine, is one of the three designated national pilgrimage sites for the Jubilee Year, along with Lough Derg and Croagh Patrick and so people throughout the diocese are cordially invited to participate in the annual pilgrimage, especially during this Jubilee Year of Hope. If you are residing in the parish of Corlough-Templeport, you can book a place on the bus which will leave Bawnboy at 8.30am and Corratillion at 8.45am by contacting Nóirín McCaffrey on 0879027102.

**John Paul II Awards in Corlough Templeport Parish** The Awards were created to commemorate the late Pope John Paul II. Through these Awards young people will be enabled to take an active part in the life of their Church and in the life of their community and society. The awards are for young people between the ages of 16 and 18 years of age who have completed their Junior Certificate. The Awards are non-competitive, flexible and voluntary. An information evening will be held soon, but in the meantime if your son/daughter would be interested in taking part can you contact Martina on 086 3461227 as soon as possible as they will be tasks for them to get involved with over the Bank Holiday festival weekend.