

# PARISH OF AGHALURCHER

**Sunday 3rd September 2023**

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**Parish Mass Times – Holy Cross:** Monday 10am – Lay Led Liturgy  
Tuesday 7pm  
Wednesday & Thursday 10am  
Sunday 11am  
*St. Mary's:* Friday 5.30–6.55pm (Adoration)  
Saturday 6pm

**Livestreaming:** [www.churchservices.tv/lisnaskea](http://www.churchservices.tv/lisnaskea)

[www.churchservices.tv/maguirebridge](http://www.churchservices.tv/maguirebridge)

**Parish Website:** [www.lisnaskeamaguirebridgeparish.com](http://www.lisnaskeamaguirebridgeparish.com)

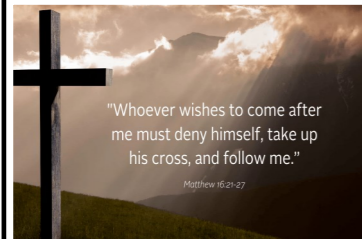
**Parish Instagram Account:** [aghalurcher\\_parish](https://www.instagram.com/aghalurcher_parish)

**Parish Twitter:** @Aghalurcher **Parish Facebook Page:** Parish of Aghalurcher

**Parish Radio** can now be accessed for Holy Cross at 90.1FM & St. Mary's on 90.6FM

**Parish Office Tel.** 028 677 21088 (Monday–Thursday: 2–6pm; Friday 10.30am–1pm)

7pm – Lay Led Liturgy



## Anniversary Mass Intentions

### HOLY CROSS

#### Sunday 3rd September

**11.00am:** • (First Anniversary): Michael Reihill, Barnhill.

- Gerald Curran, 29 Lakeview.
- Patrick & Mary Jane Carney, Hollybrooke, sons Jim & Patrick, his wife Jean and son Paul, Antrim.

#### Monday 4th September

**10.00am:** Lay Led Liturgy.

**Tuesday 5th September - Novena Mass to St. Peregrine for all the sick.**

**7.00pm:** Private Intention.

#### Wednesday 6th September

**10.00am: NO MASS THIS MORNING**

#### Thursday 7th September

**10.00am:** Private Intention.

#### Sunday 10th September

**11.00am:** • Michael Mohan, Lakeview

- Brian Óg Maguire, Macknagh
- Rose Slevin, Coalhill.

### ST. MARY'S

#### Saturday 2nd September

**6.00pm:** • Mary Cosgrove.

**Friday 8th September - The Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary, Feast.**

**5.30pm - 6.55pm: Eucharistic Adoration**

**7.00pm:** Lay led Liturgy.

#### Saturday 9th September

**6.00pm:** • (Month's Mind): Felix Hannigan, Killyrover

- John & Ernie Trimble & decd family members & Vincey Maguire.
- Tom and Kathleen Gavin, Aughnaskew.

### School Prayer

Dear Lord, we dedicate our school to Your mighty hands. We also dedicate to You all the children who study here, and all the teachers and staff who work here. We pray that You make our school a great place to form, inform, transform and reform our children so that they grow physically, socially, and mentally. Make our school a place where they feel loved, where they love and learn to love. Make our school a place where every person is respected, feels respected, and highly valued. We place our trust in You. **Amen.**

**Congratulations** and best wishes to Bronya Jackman and Daniel Teague who were married in St. Mary's last week-end. **May they have many happy days together.**

**Children's Mass Committee Meeting** on Monday 11<sup>th</sup> September at 7pm in the Parish Centre.

**Parish Baptismal Team Meeting** on Tuesday 12<sup>th</sup> September at 7.45pm in the Parish Centre.

**Harvest Thanksgiving Mass** on Saturday 16<sup>th</sup> September at 6pm in St. Mary's and on Sunday 17<sup>th</sup> September at 11am in Holy Cross.

**International Mass:** Like many other Parishes we are now blessed with Parishioners from many nations, besides our own. This International Mass is our way of saying 'Welcome' to our new parishioners from all over the world, their presence is bringing so many new gifts and talents to our culture, and hopefully creating a greater respect for diversity and difference. All those from the international community are especially welcome to this Mass on Sunday 1<sup>st</sup> October 2023 in Holy Cross Church Lisnaskea, followed by refreshments in the Parish Centre where an opportunity to meet and greet will be extended. In a time when our world seems so troubled and divided, we want to ensure that our Parish community is one of welcome, as different languages and cultures are fully embraced as we grow our community of faith. We would especially welcome involvement in the Mass and if willing to do so, contact the Parish Office - 028 67721088 or [aghalurcher@clogherparishes.ie](mailto:aghalurcher@clogherparishes.ie)

On Palm Sunday 2024, we are planning to bring the entire Parish together in Holy Cross Church to pray the Stations of the Cross in preparation for Holy Week. Each area of the town will gather all their neighbours at a particular time and pray the first station of the cross. They will then begin to make their way towards Holy Cross, carrying their own made cross, praying the rosary as they move along. Along the way they will stop to pray another station. On arriving outside Holy Cross they will pray a third station. The people of Maguiesbridge will begin at St. Mary's Church, pray their first station there, drive to the Parish Centre Lisnaskea, pray their second station there and make their way to Holy Cross. All made crosses will be erected around the sanctuary on arrival, followed by the remaining stations prayed. We are beginning our initial plans and need a contact in each area/estate to invite the neighbours and make the crosses. We will also need lots of stewards along the route. If you would like to be involved in any way, please give your name into the Parish Office.

**Lisnaskea Versus Arthritis** are having their next monthly meeting on Wednesday 13th September at 7.30pm in Holy Trinity Hall, Lisnaskea. All members and new members are welcome.

**Parish/Diocesan Pilgrimage to Knock, this Wednesday 6th Sept.** - The bus will leave the Parish Centre at **8am sharp.**

**SVP Annual Pilgrimage to Knock** is on Sat 9th Sept. The bus costs £15 and will be leaving the Diamond at 9am sharp. If anyone wishes to book a seat please contact Kate on 07792251079.

**SVP** are holding their monthly collection next weekend before both masses on Sat. 9th & Sun. 10th Sept. Thank you for your donations which are used to help those in need in our own parish.

**Faith and Light** are going on their Annual Pilgrimage to Lough Derg on Sunday 10th Sept. The cost of the trip for the bus, boat, lunch and entertainment is £20 and £10 for our Special Friends. Bus will be leaving Lisnaskea Firestation at 9.30am sharp. To book a seat contact Kate 07792251079.

The **4th Fermanagh Scouts** would like to welcome back all scouts for the new scouting year week beginning 18th September. New members are always welcomed and more details can be found by emailing [4fermanagh@gmail.com](mailto:4fermanagh@gmail.com) We are also always looking for leaders of all ages to help out at any of the three scout rallies each week. This is a rewarding and fun way to instill confidence in young people while promoting a healthy friendly environment for all that attend. More information can again be found by emailing the above address.

**Cuilcagh Dawn Trek** in association with World Suicide Prevention Day - Creating Hope through Action: Saturday 9th Sept. at 7am. Registration Fee £25(includes t-shirt & parking), registration and full details via Eventbrite <https://bit.ly/3QNbFTQ> For information visit [www.theaislingcentre.com](http://www.theaislingcentre.com) Tel 028 66325811.

**RADIO MARIA IRELAND** are launching their Belfast Studio, located in St Marys Church, Chapel Lane, BT1 1HH this Thursday 7th September, the Vigil of the Feast of the Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary. Starting with 6pm Mass in St Mary's Church followed by tea/coffee and an information evening on its Mission, Vision and how it can help support the faithful in Ireland today. Why not come along and bring some friends!

**You are asked to pray for all our recently deceased. May they now Rest in Peace.**

**Parish Contributions - 27th August**  
First Sunday: £281.00      Offertory: £1518.64 & €28  
Standing Orders for July: £6086  
**Many thanks for your continuous generosity.**

**This week's bulletin has been sponsored by Clodagh's Bakes.**