

# PARISH OF AGHALURCHER

**Sunday 9th June 2024**

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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) 7pm – Lay Led Liturgy

Saturday 6pm

*No one can enter a strong man's house and plunder his property without first tying up the strong man.*

*Mark 3:27*

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

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

## Anniversary Mass Intentions

### HOLY CROSS

#### Sunday 9th June

11.00am: • (Month's Mind) Eddie Slevin, Coalhill.  
• Noel Murray, Killyrover.

#### Monday 10th June

10.00am: Lay Led Liturgy.

Tuesday 11th June - *Novena Mass to St. Peregrine for all the sick.*

7.00pm: • Peter Smith, Carrowshee Park.

#### Wednesday 12th June

10.00am: • Private Intention.

#### Thursday 13th June

10.00am: • Jimmy Maguire, The Acres and deceased family members.

#### Sunday 16th June

11.00am: • Penelope O'Reilly, Eshcarcoge  
• Barry McManus  
• John, Peggy and Eugene McElroy, Eshmeen.

### ST. MARY'S

#### Saturday 8th June

6.00pm: • Vincent McCusker, Derrybrick, Derrylin.

#### Friday 14th June

5.30pm - 6.55pm: Eucharistic Adoration      7.00pm: Lay Led Liturgy.

#### Saturday 15th June

6.00pm: • Margaret Hannigan and deceased family members.



You are asked to pray for Rachel Swift, Achill Island, Co. Mayo and Bernie Bradshaw, Rossvew, Lisnaskea.  
**May Rachel and Bernie now Rest in Peace.**

We welcome into the Christian community Cara Ann Gallagher and John Óg O'Reilly, who were baptised last weekend in St. Mary's.

**Gift Aid:** The Parish recently wrote out to parishioners who kindly donate to the Parish through their weekly envelopes or standing order, but hadn't recently signed a gift aid declaration form. I would appreciate if you would return the yellow cert to the Parish Office this coming week to enable us submit a claim to Revenue for Gift Aid on your donations. **Please note:** you have to have paid tax equivalent to a quarter of the value of your yearly donations to be eligible – this is at no cost to yourself. Thanks.

We welcome back to the Parish Fr. Saghar from Pakistan who will join us for the summer months, covering both Aghalurcher and Galloon Parishes. At times he will be the only Priest in the Parish and will be responsible for all that happens, and this will include **all Funerals**. I ask that you respect that, and do not be looking for any other Priest from outside the Parish to celebrate any of these events.

**SVP** are holding their monthly collection this weekend Sat. 8th & Sun. 9th June before both Masses. The collection in May came to £455.20, thank you for your donations. The local Conference are looking volunteers to join and help assist people in our Parish who are in need. If anyone would like to consider joining the Conference and would like more information, please contact Kate on 07792251079.

The monthly meeting of **St Joseph's Young Priests Society** is on Wednesday, 12th June in the Parish Centre at 7.30pm. Please come along to our last meeting before the summer break. Promoters can return their Collections to this Meeting or to the Treasurer, Teresa, no later than 15th June.

**St Joseph's Young Priests Society Pilgrimage to Knock** is on 22nd June. To book a seat on the bus please contact Betty on 07870735723 or 02866387643. Our Promoters are currently visiting homes for the Annual Subscription. Thank you all for your generosity and Prayers for Vocations.

**Faith and Light** are travelling to Knock on Sat. 29th June for their Annual Pilgrimage. If anyone would like to book a seat please contact Kate on 077 92251079. More details next week.

**Parish Pilgrimage to Lough Derg:** Friday 19<sup>th</sup> July– Sunday 21<sup>st</sup> July. This is the three-day pilgrimage. Bus fare **only:** £20, leaving the Parish Centre at 10am. Booking through the Parish Office.

**Cemetery Blessings:** St. Mary's, Sat. 27th July after 6pm Mass; Holy Cross, Sun. 28th July after 11am Mass.

**Parish Pilgrimage to Knock:** Wednesday 7<sup>th</sup> August. Non-refundable bus fare £20. Bus leaving the Parish Centre at 7.45am. Booking through the Parish Office.

**Lough Derg Three-Day Pilgrimage** continues until August 15<sup>th</sup>. More details can be found at [www.loughderg.ie](http://www.loughderg.ie), booking essential.

### Parish Contributions 2nd June

First Sunday: £1618.88 & €110

Offertory: £450

**Many thanks for your continuous generosity.**

**Eucharistic Ministers and Reader's Rotas**, July to December 2024 are available on the church noticeboards, parish website and in both Sacristies. If you are unable to fulfil your duty please arrange cover.

## Exam Prayer

As many of our young people prepare for exams we ask for your divine guidance and wisdom. Grant them clarity of thought & focus and the ability to recall everything they have studied. Calm their nerves and help them to remain confident in their abilities.

Bless their efforts and hard work, and give them the strength to overcome any challenges that may come their way. May your peace, which surpasses all understanding, guard their hearts and minds. Let them trust in your plan for their lives, knowing that you are always with us.

May they enjoy restful sleep, good health and the support of their loved ones during this time. Help them to remember that their worth is not defined by their results, but by the goodness in their lives.

We make this prayer through Christ, our Lord. Amen.



**This week's bulletin has been sponsored in memory of the McGoldrick family.**