

St. Joseph's Rathmullan & St. Catherine's Oughterlin

# Parish Newsletter



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DATE	TIME	CHURCH	INTENTIONS
Saturday 24 <sup>th</sup> June	7.00pm	St. Joseph's	
Sunday 25 <sup>th</sup> June	9.00am	St. Joseph's	
	11.00am	St. Catherine's	Winnie Coyle (Anniversary)
Monday 26 <sup>th</sup> June	10.00am	St. Joseph's	Mary Eliza Mortell (Anniversary)
Tuesday 27 <sup>th</sup> June	10.00am	St. Joseph's	
Thursday 29 <sup>th</sup> June	10.00am	St. Joseph's	
Friday 30 <sup>th</sup> June	7.00pm	St. Joseph's	
Saturday 1 <sup>st</sup> July	7.00pm	St. Joseph's	Tony Connolly (Anniversary)
Sunday 2 <sup>nd</sup> July	9.00am	St. Joseph's	Martin & Kathleen Walsh (Anniversary)
	11.00am	St. Catherine's	James McGrory (Months Mind)

## NOTICES

The Weekly collection amounted to €1,619. Thank you for your generosity

A big thank you for the donation of €200 received towards the restoration work of the stained glass windows.

Pray for Geraldine Ryan whose funeral mass took place in Bradford during the week.

Our Parish Pilgrimage to Lough Derg is from Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> July to Wednesday 5<sup>th</sup>. Anyone interested please contact Fr. Collum or write your name on the sheet at the back of the Church.

Fr. Brian Johnston – a Franciscan Missionary is preaching at the weekend masses. The Blessing of Cars and bicycles will take place on weekend masses of 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> July. Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament will cease on Monday, June 26<sup>th</sup> until further notice.

## **Upcoming Activities, Events and News for Rathmullan**

### **SERVING UP A SUMMER OF TENNIS**

Parks Tennis Summer Camps Coaching for boys & girls starts for 4 weeks from 3<sup>rd</sup> July to 28<sup>th</sup> July at Rathmullan Tennis Court. Fee - €30 per child or €80 family rate. All equipment: racquets and balls supplied. For further info phone Mary on 087 977 3957.

### **Rathmullan Tennis Court**

Bookings to play on the Tennis Court can now be taken. Please contact Rathmullan and District Resource Centre on [rdrc10@gmail.com](mailto:rdrc10@gmail.com), phone 074 9158724 or send us a Facebook message. €6.00 per hour or annual subscription €50.00 per person. Family/Couple subscription €75.00 per annum.

### **Rathmullan Walking Tour**

[Donegal Heritage Trails](#) - a journey through time. Starting in Rathmullan next Thursday 6<sup>th</sup> July at 3pm and will continue every Thursday at 3pm during July & August. Meet at the Putting Green Hut, Rathmullan. Cost is €5 per person. Children accompanied by adults are free. For more details contact Deirdra on 086 2421008.

### **Flight of the Earls Exhibition at An Bonnan Bui**

Get your tickets in An Bonnan Bui Café, exhibition is upstairs. Admission is €2 per person. Kids under 12: €1 Family ticket (2adults & 2 kids) is €5.

**RATHMULLAN 5K RUN/WALK** – takes place on Friday July 14.

**FREE RATHMULLAN WALKING TOUR GUIDES NOW AVAILABLE AT LOCAL BUSINESSES** A colourful guide outlining a walk which explores Rathmullan's history surrounded by stunning scenery. It also details our rich history of the Abbey and The Flight of the Earls, as well as giving details of sea angling, sailing, golf and guided walking tours.

**RATHMULLAN FOROIGE YOUTH CLUB** Rathmullan Youth Club will start in September. The club will have two groups – 10 – 12 years, and 13 – 18 years, and will meet on Friday evenings in the RDRC. If your kids want to join, or you can help us run the club by volunteering on a rota basis, just give the RDRC a call on 9158724 or email on [rdrc10@gmail.com](mailto:rdrc10@gmail.com).

## **CLASSES**

**RATHMULLAN WALKING GROUP – EVERY WEDNESDAY AT 12.30PM** Rathmullan Walking Group meets at the RDRC every Wednesday at 12:30pm. This is part of the Get Ireland Walking initiative. The walking group is facilitated by Maria McGill. Maria provides tips and advice to the group which is aimed at walkers of all ages, abilities and fitness levels. It's great fun, very sociable, and there's a welcome cuppa at the end.

### **RATHMULLAN CELTIC KIDS SOCCER COACHING – EVERY WEDNESDAY 5.45PM –6.45PM**

Rathmullan Celtic kids' soccer coaching sessions are now on every Wednesday from 5.45pm to 7pm at the Flagpole Field. Make sure the kids bring plenty of warm clothes, and a drink. The soccer academy will keep running until Wednesday 12<sup>th</sup> July 2017. Any questions call **Mark Curran** on **086 873 2749**

**BABY & TODDLER GROUP – THURSDAY’S 10.30AM – 12.30PM IN RDRC** With so many new babies being born in Rathmullan last year and since 2017 started, we’re looking forward to meeting them all at our weekly Baby & Toddler Group which plays every Thursday at the RDRC from 10.30 a.m. – 12.30 p.m. Everyone is welcome to join in the fun – parents, grandparents, child minders. Cost is **€3.00 per family**. Come along for a play and some fun, a healthy snack, and a cuppa for the adults Looking for lots of cute babies and active toddlers (and cute and active adults too) to join in the fun .

**RATHMULLAN SAILING & WATERSPORTS SCHOOL** is now taking bookings for Summer Courses 2017. Visit [www.rathmullansailing.com](http://www.rathmullansailing.com) for more details. TO BOOK: Please email [rathmullanwatersports@gmail.com](mailto:rathmullanwatersports@gmail.com) or phone **086 812 3019/074 91 58724**

**RATHMULLAN BEACH WHEELCHAIR:** The beach wheelchair is free and available for anyone to avail of. Phone **086 812 3019** to get access to the chair.

**FOROIGE –YOUTH MENTORING PROGRAMME - MONDAYS FROM 6-7pm AT RDRC**

The Big Brother Big Sister Youth Mentoring Programme is seeking male and female adult volunteers who can make a real difference by sharing 1 – 2 hours a week with a young person. For more information contact us here at the RDRC or **Catriona** on **086 8213756** or **086**

**0484459**. Email: [bbbs.info@foroige.ie](mailto:bbbs.info@foroige.ie) [www.foroige.ie/bbbs](http://www.foroige.ie/bbbs)

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