Cong Cross The Neale Parish Newsletter

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Mass Intentions for the week

Church of the Sacred Heart, Cross

Saturday October 12th at 6.30pm
Carol Rodgers (3rd Anniv) & her son Sean (42nd Anniv)

Monday October 14th @ 7.30pm
Tess Gannon 1st Anniv & her husband Michael (Fr. Peter)

Thursday October 17th
No Mass in Cross

Saturday October 19th at 6.30pm
Paddy McTigue (12th Anniv) & dec members of the McTigue Family

St. John the Baptist Church, The Neale

Sunday October 13th at 9.30am
Mary Maloney (Months Mind)

Wednesday October 16th
No Mass in The Neale

Sunday October 20th at 9.30am
John Paul Walsh (2nd Anniv)
Mary McGrath (2nd Anniv)
Margaret & Mattie Conroy & dec family members

All Masses from the Neale Church are broadcast on Parish Radio 95FM

St. Mary of the Rosary Church, Cong

Sunday October 13th at 11am
Jim & Shiela O'Regan
Dec of the Glynn Family, Blakehill
Kitty Murphy (Anniv) her husband Jerry & their son Maurice.
Christy O'Malley
Dermot (Anniv) & Willie Costello
Charles Cavanagh (16th Anniv)
John Huddy (Anniv)

Tuesday October 15th
No Mass in Cong

Rosary on Wednesday evenings at 7pm

Sunday October 20th at 11am
Ann Martin (3rd Anniv) Lackafinna
Julia & John Collins
Annie, Daniel, Margaret, John & Danny O'Sullivan
Chris Wells & Catherine O'Hare
Dec of the Glynn Family, Gortroe

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Weekly Offertory Collection

A total of €1,800 was lodged to the parish account this week. Many thanks to all who contribute so generously to the upkeep of the three Churches in our parish.

Zambian Housing Project
A total of €62.20 was lodged to the account this week. Many thanks for your continued support to the project.

Wedding Bells
Congratulations to **Kieran Ginley & Denise Coughlan** from Bonniconlon who were married in Cong Church on Friday last. Wishing them every happiness in their future life together.

Parish Notice Board

Mission Sunday 2024

World Mission Sunday will be celebrated on **Sunday next October 20th**. It's a special day that unites Catholics worldwide in prayer, solidarity, and support for the Church's mission efforts. The collection on Sunday next will go towards the work of the Missionsaries who work in areas of poverty, conflict and oppression.

Harvest Thanksgiving Service in St Mary's Church of Ireland on Sunday next 20th of October at 4pm. All welcome.

The Neale Church Choir

The Neale Church Choir under the direction of Kathy Fahey is inviting new members to join the Choir. Rehearsals are every Wednesday from 6.30pm to 7.30pm. Please feel free to come along next Wednesday and enjoy being part of a Choir and get the opportunity to learn new music.

Cong, Cross & The Neale Young at Heart has resumed meeting after the Summer break on Thursday last. They meet every Thursday from 12 Noon to 2pm New members are always welcome.

Anam Cara, the organisation that supports bereaved parents, will hold its monthly Parent Support Evening on Tuesday 22nd October at 7:15pm in the TF Royal Hotel, Castlebar, Co. Mayo. This event is free and open to all bereaved parents regardless of the age your child died, the circumstances of their death, or how recent their death was. You do not need to register in advance. We also offer an online support group meeting. To find out more call 01 4045378 or email info@anamcara.ie

Recent Baptism

We recently welcomed into the Christian community; **Callum Hetherton-McCarthy**, son of Damien McCarthy and Katriona Hetherton, Cross. Wishing Callum and his family God's grace and blessings in the future.

Bereavement Support Group.
Life after a bereavement can feel empty and lonely. Sometimes spending time with others who know the experience can be helpful. Trained facilitators conduct a weekly **Bereavement Support Group** meeting at the Family Centre, Knock each Wednesday at 11am.

Fundraising Cake Sale

Cake Sale in The Courthouse in Cong, on Sunday October 27th, after the 11am Mass in Cong. All proceeds going to the Young at Heart/ Active Retirement Christmas Party. Donations of baked goods would be most welcome and can be dropped off to the Courthouse from 10am onwards. Your support would be greatly appreciated.

Cunga Time Again!
The closing date for submitting material for Cunga is fast approaching, Friday next **October 18th** is the closing date for submitting articles etc.

Neale GAA Lotto Results
The Neale GAA Club Lotto was held in Danagher's on Tuesday night The numbers drawn were: 08, 11, 19, 26. There was no Jackpot winner. In the Gold Members Draw, the lucky winners were Denis O Sullivan and Mary & Hugh Hennelly each winning €30. The lucky dip off-line winner of €25 was Derek Murphy. The online winner of €25 was Teresa Higgins. Congratulations to all winners. Next week's draw will be held on Tuesday 15th October in Ryan's with a jackpot of €7,100. Go raibh mile maith agaibh for your continued support.

Mayo/Roscommon Hospice Coffee Morning

A coffee morning in aid of Mayo/Roscommon Hospice will be held in Danaghers Hotel, Cong on Sunday 20th October from 11.30 - 2.pm. All your support will be greatly appreciated.

Open Night for Coláiste Naomh Feichín Corr na Mona
Please note **our school's Open Night** will be held on **Thursday the 24th of October**. The evening will start at **6:00 p.m. until 8:00** p.m. Please spread the word. All are welcome.

Mayo Recovery College continue to facilitate a suite of mental health & wellbeing modules on dates throughout OCTOBER in the ATU in Castlebar (online option also); Call/Text Karen McHale 0860294901 or email recovery.educatormrc@hse.ie to register. *New participants are warmly invited to begin at any time throughout the semester."*