Cong Cross The Neale Parish Newsletter

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Mass Intentions for the week

Church of the Sacred Heart, Cross

Saturday November 1st at 6.30pm
Feast of All Saints
Novena for the Holy Souls
Sr. Victoire Whelan (Recently Deceased)
John Maye, Ballinchalla (4th Anniv) & dec of the Maye & Mannion Families
Kitty Hughes (Anniv) & dec family members
Michael & Nora Morrin, Carheens
James & Kathleen Laffey

Thursday November 6th at 7pm
Novena Mass for the Holy Souls

Saturday November 8th at 6.30pm
Novena Mass for the Holy Souls
Tommy Morrin & his wife Phil Castletown

St. John the Baptist Church, The Neale

Sunday November 2nd at 9.30am
Feast of All Souls
Novena Mass for the Holy Souls
Tom Farragher (Months Mind)

Monday November 3rd at 7pm
Novena Mass for the Holy Souls

Wednesday November 5th at 7pm
Remembrance Mass for the Deceased of the Past Year

Sunday November 9th at 9.30am
Concluding Novena Mass for the Holy Souls

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

"Though we may feel their absence deeply, we trust that love is stronger than death, and that our loved ones now rest in the light and peace of God. The season of Remembrance invites us to slow down, to pray and to carry those we miss gently in our hearts. As we do we discover that they are never truly gone –they remain with us in the quiet moments , in prayer and in the enduring love that connects us all."

St. Mary of the Rosary Church, Cong

Sunday November 2nd at 11am
Feast of All Souls
Funeral Mass for the late Jerry Coakley
John O'Malley, Killimor (5th Anniv) & dec of the O'Malley Family

Tuesday November 4th at 7pm
Novena Mass for the Holy Souls

Friday November 7th at 7pm
Novena Mass for the Holy Souls

Sunday November 9th at 11.00am
Concluding Novena Mass for the Holy Souls
Stan Glynn (10th Anniv) & dec family members
Micheál Walsh & his Grandmother Mary Walsh, (Annivs)
Michael V. Ryan

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Weekly Church Collection
The amount lodged to the Parish account this week was € 2,305. Many thanks to all who contribute to the weekly collection, which goes towards the upkeep and maintenance of our three churches.

Zambian Housing Project
A total of €208.85 was lodged to the account this week. Many thanks for your continued support to the project.

Gluten Free Hosts are available in our three Churches. People can come forward and consume the Host themselves. A Ciborium will be left on a table at the front of the sanctuary.

Remember in your prayers;
Jerry Coakley, Drumshiel, Cong, Jerry's funeral Mass will take place on Sunday at 11am in Cong Church. May he Rest in Peace.
We extend our sympathy to the family and friends of the deceased.

Parish Notice Board

November Novena of Masses for the Deceased

A nine day novena of Masses for the Holy Souls will commence on this **Saturday November 1st** with the 6.30pm Mass in Cross Church. Mass is at 7pm each day of the Novena. (Except the weekend Masses) A special Mass to remember the deceased of the past year will take place in The Neale Church on **Wednesday November 5th at 7pm.**
Anyone that has lost a loved one from outside the parish and would like them remembered at this Mass , please give your name to Marie or Fr. Declan before the 5th of November
Novena 1; *Cross Church November 1st 6,30*
Novena 2; *The Neale Church November 2nd 9.30am & Cong 11am*
Novena 3; Monday *November 3rd Neale 7pm*
Novena 4; Tues; *Nov 4th –7pm Cong 7pm*
Novena 5; Wed; *Nov 5th-7pm The Neale Deceased of the past year*
Novena 6; Thurs; *Nov 6th – Cross 7pm*
Novena 7; Fri; *Nov7th – Cong Church 7pm*
Novena 8; Cross *Church Nov 8th 6.30 pm*
Novena 9; *The Neale Church November 9th at 9.30am and Cong at 11am.*

November Envelopes are available in the porches of the three Churches, people are asked to bring their November envelopes along to the First of the Novena Masses. November trees will be up in the Churches also, so you can put the names of your deceased loved ones on.

Monthly Communion Calls
Fr. Declan will be doing the Monthly Communion calls on Friday next November 7th. If you would like Fr. Declan to call to your home, contact him or the Parish Office before Friday.

Young at Heart/ Cake Sale Thank You!

The Committee would like to thank all who contributed in any way and supported the recent Cake sale.
A total of €821 was raised which will more than help with Christmas party.
Winners in the Raffle were Linda McGrath, Margaret Keane, Damien McGrath, Mary Butler, Catherine Winters, Maureen O'Dea and Sally Kennedy

Annual Mass and Gathering for Bereaved Parents.
The annual Mass for bereaved parents will take place at Knock Shrine on Sunday the 9th of November at 3pm in St John's Rest & Care Centre. The names of all the deceased will be read out as candles are lit in their memory. All bereaved parents, grandparents and families are welcome to attend.

Cong N.S. – Part Time School Caretaker Required
Cong National School is looking to hire a School Caretaker on a part-time basis. The role will include minor repairs, painting, general maintenance and upkeep of school, etc.
If you are interested, please contact Michael at deputyprincipal@congns.ie or call the school on 094 9546725.

Comhaltas Dhúiche Sheoigheach

Are organising music classes for children in Clonbur. These classes are for children who are beginners and improvers and will start in early November. Concertina & Keyboard on Tuesdays , Tin Whistle on Wednesday's.
More information/
Booking: comhaltasds@gmal.com

Neale GAA Lotto Weekly Results
The winning numbers drawn were; 10, 14, 28 & 32.There was no Jackpot winner.
Gold members winners; Fr. Declan Carroll & Clive Casey each winning €30. The **Offline winner** of €25 was Paula Johnston and the **Online winner** of €25 was Anne McGahon.
.Congratulations to all the winners. Next week's Jackpot is €3,300, and the draw takes place in Ryan's, Cong on Tuesday next 4th November in at 9.30pm. Thank You to everyone who continues to support our Lotto.

Neale GAA AGM
The AGM of The Neale GAA takes place on Friday November 21st. All nominations and notices of motions/proposals must be submitted to the Club Secretary by: Friday November 14th.
Email: secretary.theneale.mayo@gaa.ie
Positions to be filed at the AGM;
Chairperson, Secretary, Communications Officer. All members and parents are welcome to attend.

Return of Card Games
25 Card Game is back in **The Neale Hall** on Thursdays at 8.30pm.
25 Card Game resumes in **Cross Community Centre** on this Monday November 3rd 8.30pm
Restarting Tuesday 2nd December 8.30pm in **The Crossroads Community Centre Cong.**
New players are always welcome.
Come along for a game and a cuppa!

Recent Baptisms
We welcome into the Christian Community;
Fiadh Deirdre Joyce, daughter of David Joyce and Ciara Heaphy of Carn, The Neale.
Congratulations and every blessing to Ciara and her family.