Cong Cross The Neale Parish Newsletter

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Mass Intentions for the week

Church of the Sacred Heart, Cross

Saturday July 18th at 5.00pm
William Nalty (Anniv)

Thursday July 23rd
No Mass in Cross

Saturday July 25th at 5.00pm
Bríd Egan (6th Anniv) her husband Peter & dec of the Egan & Walsh Families
Annie (Anniv) & Jim Foy
Peggy & Mick Varley & their daughter Dympna Mullins
Mary, Miko & Joseph O'Connor

St. John the Baptist Church, The Neale

Sunday July 19th at 9.30am
Special Intention

Wednesday July 22nd
No Mass in The Neale

Sunday July 26th at 9.30am
Patrick Heskin, Fr. Tom Heskin & Frank Heskin

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

Mass Times in Neighbouring Parishes

Corr na Móna Saturday at 6pm
Clonbur Sunday at 10.30am

Ballinrobe Saturday at 6.30pm
Sunday at 11.00am

St. Mary of the Rosary Church, Cong

Sunday July 19th at 11.30a
Nancy Moriarity, (2nd Anniv) Cong & London

Tuesday July 21st
No Mass in Cong

Sunday July 26th at 11.30am
Peter McHugh (40th Anniv) his wife Lily, their daughter Yvonne & Grandson Conor.

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Baptisms can be booked by contacting the Parish office. Baptisms take place on Saturdays at 2pm

Weekly Church Collection
Thank you to all who contribute so generously to the weekly offertory collection which goes towards the upkeep and maintenance of our three Churches. A total of €2,080 was lodged to the Parish account this week.

Zambian Housing Project
A total of €59.30 was lodged to the account this week. Many thanks for your continued support to the project.

Remember in your prayers;
Josie Philbin (nee Tierney)
Liskillen, Ballinrobe,
sister of Perry O'Dowd of Creevagh, whose funeral took place in Ballinrobe on Saturday.
May she Rest in Peace.

Parish Notice Board

Daughters of Charity of St. Vincent de Paul
The Daughters of Charity will visit The Parish of Cong-Cross– The Neale **next weekend** 25th/26th of July to speak at all Masses about their work in Africa.

Cemetery Masses
This year there will be Cemetery Masses in four of the Cemeteries in the Parish, with the remaining Cemeteries to have Mass next year.
Saturday August 15th; Cross East Cemetery at 3pm (This Mass will replace the Saturday Evening Mass)
Sunday August 16th; The Neale Cemetery at 9.30am
Sunday August 16th; Cong Abbey Cemetery at 11.30am
Tuesday August 18th; Lisloughrey Cemetery at 7pm

Reek Sunday is on the 26th July. This year the Annual Pilgrimage takes place on the weekend of 24th – 26th July. On this weekend we also celebrate World Day for Grandparents and the Elderly. Sunday 26th July Masses hourly on the summit from 8.00am – 2.00pm. Confessions 7.30am – 2.00pm

P.T.A.A. Pilgrimage to Knock
The Annual Pioneer pilgrimage Mass at Knock Shrine will be celebrated in the Basilica at 3pm this Sunday 19 July 2026.Pioneers extend a welcome to families and relatives of people who are undergoing treatment for addiction at this time. Pioneer emblems and certificates will be available in St John's Rest and Care Centre from 1pm. People who are in recovery / aftercare and who live by the 12 Step Programme are particularly welcome to Knock during this Golden Jubilee Year of the Basilica of Our Lady Queen of Ireland. Further information from Fr. Robert **prayer@pioneers.ie**

Grandparents and Eldery Join us at Knock Shrine!
Sunday 26th July at 2:30 pm,
Celebrate the National Grandparents Pilgrimage and the World Day for Grandparents and the elderly.
A day of Grace, Blessing and Prayer for families, our Church and our future. All are welcome. Bring your family - Bring hope and Joy.
Anointing of the Sick in the Basilica at 2.30pm. Mass at 3pm Rosary Procession after Mass (Weather Permitting) Celebrant Archbishop Francis Duffy. Music by Una Nolan and Choirs, Guest Soloist Dana

Gardaí attached to Mayo South Community Engagement Area are planning to host a property marking event on Saturday the 25th of July 2026 between 14.00hrs & 17.00hrs at The Neale GAA Club, Lisloughrey, Cong, Co. Mayo F31HK02. Should you have any queries in relation to this event please contact Community Garda John Monaghan at Claremorris Garda Station.

Best of Luck
Best of luck to the Galway Hurlers and Management team as they take on Limerick in this weekend's All Ireland Hurling Final.
"Let's bring The Liam McCarthy Cup home to the west!!

Thank You Cong Community
The Cong Food Village Festival Committee would like to extend our heartfelt thanks and gratitude to the community of Cong.
To our sponsors, supporters and friends of the festival, thank you for believing in our vision and helping to make this year's festival possible.
To our incredible volunteers, thank you for giving your time, energy and enthusiasm. From welcoming visitors and managing traffic to setting up, lending equipment and helping behind the scenes, your dedication ensured the festival ran smoothly from start to finish. Events like wouldn't be possible without a community that comes together the way Cong does. With sincere appreciation,
Ray, Jenny, Bernie, Rosaleen, Lorraine & Mairead
1 SEP, Cong Food Village Festival Committee

Cong, Cross, The Neale Community Bingo will take place on Saturday 25th July at 8pm in The Crossroads Community Centre. Great night out for the whole community.

Lough Mask/Creevagh Group Water Scheme
Members of Lough Mask/ Creevagh Group Water Scheme are asked to check, and if necessary repair any leaking pipes or troughs.
This is due to a large increase in usage recently.
Many thanks for your cooperation.

Neale GAA Weekly Lotto Results
The winning numbers drawn were; 10, 12, 17 & 19.
There was no Jackpot winner.
Two Gold members winners; Mick & Dympna Curley and Noel Feerick each winning €30.
Online lucky dip winner of €25; Ann Conroy
Offline lucky dip winner of €25; Michael Mellot-
Next week's Jackpot is €7,000,
Next Lotto draw takes place on Tuesday next July 21st at 9.30pm in O'Malley's, Cross.
Thank You to everyone who continues to support our Lotto. Tickets can be purchased in Cong P.O., Ryan's Hotel, Lydon's Lodge, Danagher's, Melotte's, Midway Stores, and O'Malley's Cross
Online tickets available at: www.smartlotto.ie/theneale

Ballinrobe Musical Society will stage the popular fairytale "The Clockmaker's Daughter" in Ballinrobe Community School from Sunday March 28th to Saturday April 3rd 2027. Auditions for principal roles will be held in November.