Cong Cross The Neale Parish Newsletter

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Mass Intentions for the week

Church of the Sacred Heart, Cross

Saturday August 22nd at 5.00pm
Kathleen Haire (Anniv)
Patsy King (Anniv) & his parents Dennis & Nellie
James & Mary Ann May & dec family members

Thursday August 27th
No Mass in Cross

Saturday August 29th at 5.00pm
Judy Harte (3rd Anniv) Kenneth Rogan & Nell (who died recently) & Michael Harte

St. John the Baptist Church, The Neale

Sunday August 23rd at 9.30am
Delia Laffey (40th Anniv) & her husband Thomas

Wednesday August 26th
No Mass in The Neale

Sunday August 30th at 9.30am
Special Intention

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

Gluten Free Hosts are available on the table in front of the Sanctuary in all three Churches.

Mass Times in Neighbouring Parishes

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

Ballinrobe Saturday at 6.30pm
Sunday at 11.30am

St. Mary of the Rosary Church, Cong

Sunday August 23rd at 11.30am
Mary O'Brien (Anniv)
Bridie, Patrick & Mike Hopkins & dec family
Michael Kelly, Ann Dwyer & Gerard Kelly
Mary & Jim Rodgers
Sean, Mae & Micheál Ryan
Henry Byrne & Sean McDaid
James Butler (40th Anniv) & dec family members

Tuesday August 25th at 7pm
No Mass in Cong

Sunday August 30th at 11.30am
John O'Toole Months Mind
Mary, John & Paddy McManus
Micheál Ryan & Henry Byrne
Paddy Moran, Cong & dec of the Moran Family
Jack & Mary Jennings & son Mattie (Creevagh)

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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 €2,130 was lodged to the Parish account this week.

Zambian Housing Project
A total of €56.80 was lodged to the account this week. Many thanks for your continued support to the project.

Mayo Mental Health Assoc.
The Annual Collection for The Mayo Mental Health Assoc. will be held in all three Churches in the Parish , **this weekend August 22nd/23rd.**
Any support you can give would be greatly appreciated.

Parish Notice Board

Leaving Cert Results
We congratulate and wish all those students from the Parish who received their Leaving Cert results on Friday. We pray that God will bless them on the road ahead as they face new adventures and challenges.

Daughters of Charity of St. Vincent de Paul
Sr. Geraldine will visit our Parish next weekend August 29th/30th to speak at all Masses about their work in Africa. We extend a warm welcome to Sr. Geraldine.

Neale Choir Practice
The Neale Parish Choir will resume regular rehearsals on Wednesday 9th September from 6.30-7.30pm. New members are welcome to reach out to the director, Emily at; thenealeparishchoir@gmail.com

CHY 3 Forms
A big thank you to all of you who have signed and returned the CHY 3 forms to the Parish Office. For those who haven't returned them yet , please do so at your earliest convenience. Many thanks.

Family Life Centre Castlebar
The Family Life Centre in Castlebar has two **FREE** training days coming up in September;
SAFETALK; **Suicide Alertness for everyone**
Date: Tuesday, 8th September 2026
Time: 10am-1.30pm
Understanding Self-Harm
Date: Wednesday, 16th September 2026
Time: 10am-5pm

Back to School Prayer
Loving God, we thank you for the rest & relaxation we enjoyed over the summer. Today we pray for our children as they prepare to return to school. Bless them with joy at seeing their friends, learning new experiences and a love of learning. Watch over all who learn, Grant teachers wisdom, patience and joy in serving their students.
In Jesus name we pray. ***Amen***

Cong, Cross & The Neale Community Bingo
Cong, Cross, The Neale Community Bingo will take place on Saturday 29th August at 8pm in The Crossroads Community Centre. Great night out for the whole community.

Student Requiring a lift to Westport
A Student requires a lift to Westport from September 9th for College.
Contact 087-4184582, if you can help.

Neale GAA Lotto Results
The winning numbers drawn were; 9, 12, 19 & 34. Next week's Jackpot now stands at €2,300
Gold Member Winners; James Waldron & Anne Casey each winning €30.
Online Winner; Sharon Costello
Offline Winner; Sally Gibbons
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

Remember in your Prayers;
Margaret Costello, Creevagh, Cong/Dublin
Mary Kelly, Clogher, Claremorris, (Mother of Nora King , Cross)
Mary Jennings (nee Heskin) Dublin & formerly of Muckerasaune, The Neale
Paul Devereaux, Dublin (Brother of the late Tom Devereaux of Caherduff, Cong, whose funerals took place during the week.
Remembering also Brian & Anne Herrieven, Brother & Sister-in-law of the late Angela Carroll, Lisloughrey & Dublin who both died recently in Dublin.
May the souls of all the Departed Rest in Peace.

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Ministries for Cross Church

"I invite people to sign up for some of the following Ministries in Cross Church.
Please sign along with your name and number and cut out and place in the Offertory Basket on Saturday next or drop it into the Parish Office." Many thanks, Fr. Declan

Reading; Name;_____ **Number;**_____

Eucharistic Minister; Name; _____ **Number;** _____

Stewards/Collectors; Name; _____ **Number:** _____