FIRST HOLY COMMUNION: We are delighted to announce that we will be celebrating First Holy Communion in our parish as follows:

- **St.Joseph's N.S:** on Saturday 26th September at 12noon in St.Mary's Church, Carrick-on-Shannon.
- **St.Bridgets N.S. Kilnagross:** on Saturday 26th September in St.Patrick's Church, Gowel.
- Scoil Mhuire N.S: on Saturday 3rd October in St.Mary's Church, Carrick-on -Shannon

FETAC/QQI: Are you looking for a career in caring for the elderly, have you recently retired or have your children now left home? Home Instead Senior care are always looking to recruit carers. Whether you can work a couple of hours a week or you want to work full time, we would like to hear from you. Experience and FETAC/QQI level 5 qualification in Healthcare is an advantage but not compulsory. Your own transportation is preferable.

HEDGE CUTTING GRANT SCHEME 2020/2021: Leitrim County

Council invites Applications for the Hedge Cutting Grant Scheme 2020/2021. This scheme aims to encourage the cutting of roadside hedges/trees along the Public Road Network. The Scheme is open to individual applicants and Groups of Applicants/Residents. Minimum length of road network per application is 2 km. Further information and Application Forms are available from our website

www.leitrimcoco.ie or by contacting the Roads Department at 071 9620005 Ext. No. 617. E-mail – roads@leitrimcoco.ie.

Closing Date is Friday 29th January, 2021.

PIONEER PRIVATE MEMBERS DRAW (2020-2021): Because of Covid-19 all fundraising events, including Church Gate collections, the June Raffle and many more were cancelled. Going forward into the future and staying focused on the promotion of the PTAA, it is essential to maintain a steady level of income to sustain the Association. The Private Members' Draw is one of our key fundraising initiatives and its continued success over the years is due to the continued generosity and loyalty of all who subscribe. As in previous years the Draw will run for six months. The draw will take place on the third Wednesday of each month, beginning in November 2020 and continuing each month until April 2021 inclusively. 1st Prize each month will be €1,000, 2nd Prize is €400, 3rd Prize is €200 and the 4th Prize is €100. There are six promoter prizes of €40 monthly. The monthly membership is €7 or €40 for the entire six draws. The Kiltoghert Pioneer Association is appealing to pioneers and non-pioneers alike to support the 2020-2021 draw. Those wishing to join can do so by contacting Seán Murray (086-1266738), Attracta O'Connor (086-1912334), Pádraig Gilbride (087-2221201), Imelda Carty (0863324917).

SATURDAY 19th & SUNDAY 20th SEPTEMBER TWENTY FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME PRIEST ON DUTY: FR. MARK BENNETT C.C. 071-9650881

MASSES FOR SATURDAY 19th & SUNDAY 20th SEPTEMBER

ST. MARY'S:

Saturday Vigil 8pm: Padraig Griffin (7th Anniv)

Sun 9am: 10.30am: 12noon:

MASSES FROM MONDAY 21st - SATURDAY 26th SEPTEMBER

Monday 8pm:

Tuesday 10am: Kathleen & John Monaghan (Anniv) Kiltoghert

Wed 10 am: Michael Reilly (Months Mind)

Thursday 10am:

Friday 8pm:Private Intention

Sat 10am:

LEITRIM Tuesday 8pm:Frankie Farrell (Anniv) his cousin James (R.I.P)

GOWEL Friday 7pm: Cheryl Mulvey (Anniv)

MASSES FOR SATURDAY 26th & SUNDAY 27th SEPTEMBER

ST.MARY'S

Sat Vigil 8pm: Billy Gilligan (10th Anniv)

Sun 9am: 10.30am:

12noon: Mary Brennan (1st Anniv)

CHURCH NOTICES:

EUCHARISTIC ADORATION: Eucharistic Adoration in St. Mary's Church started on Thursday last 17th September . It takes place immediately after mass until 4 pm. We will review this arrangement at the end of October. We hope it will provide an opportunity for those who wish to come and pray in silence in the presence of the Blessed Sacrament.

DAILY ROSARY: At 6pm in St. Joseph's Church Leitrim. All are welcome.

PLEASE NOTE: There will be no Confessions on Saturday 26th or Saturday 3rd Oct in St.Mary's Church, Ck on Shannon due to First Holy Communion.

DEATHS: We pray for the happy repose of the soul of James Farrell (Birmingham, nephew of Willie Joe Farrell, Ballinwing) May he rest in the peace of Christ.