

## FINAL MASS AT BUANGOR

On Sunday, September 22, a crowd of approximately sixty people attended the final Mass at St Joseph's Catholic Church at Buangor. Fr Justin Driscoll celebrated Mass and spoke eloquently about those founding people who built the church and the fact that on completion of the building, there was no money owing for the build. He also spoke about the fact that the Church was more than the building, but more about the community. Fr Justin remarked on the many memorable and moving occasions that had taken place in our faith community over the many years.

John Jess welcomed the gathering and spoke about the significance of the event and that the local community was pleased the church was to be restored and looked after, as part of a project for the new owner.

The Stations of the Cross, an important feature in the church, were gifted to the Lexton Catholic Community (also St Joseph's) and Toni Cini graciously accepted these with some very kind and respectful words.

Following Mass the congregation were treated to a lovely morning tea in the Buangor Sports Centre. A great day was had by all with lots of wonderful memories shared.



*Bernadette Franc*

