

**Confessions:** Every Saturday-6.15pm-6.45pm in St. Brigid's Church,Portumna

**Adoration-**2.00pm-7.00pm every Thursday & Friday

**NB:PLEASE NOTE: When there is a Funeral Mass during the week, there will be NO REGULAR MASS on that day,UNLESS there is a 1<sup>st</sup> Anniversary Mass or a Months Mind. Any Intention will be offered at the funeral mass.**

**Word of Thanks:** My sincere thanks for your generosity towards the priest's Summer Collection.

**Calvary Cemetery:** The Committee of Calvary Cemetary would like to thank most sincerely all those who contributed to the cemetery collection on Mon. 25<sup>th</sup> June last which amounted to €2269.00.

**R.I.P:** Sincere sympathy to Jarlath Keady,Portumna whose father T J Keady,Headford died last week Also to Ita Hynes,Portland whose mother Anna Marie McEvoy,Killimor died during the week and to the family of Leanne Kennedy,Borrisokane(formerly Lorrha) who died during the week.

**Lough Derg 3 Day Pilgrimage:** Currently open until Mon. 13<sup>th</sup> Aug. & you may begin on any day. For details [Tel:Lorraine-071-9861518](tel:071-9861518) or [e-mail:info@loughderg.org](mailto:info@loughderg.org).

**"Some Enchanted Evening":** A variety of music & songs from much loved musicals in aid of St. Brigid's Church Fund Raiser will take place in Portumna Town Hall on Fri. 20<sup>th</sup> July @ 8pm. Cheese & Wine Reception(sponsored by Donie O'Meara) from 7pm. Tickets available shortly for this event priced at €10 each available on the night or beforehand at the parish office( during office hours). **Tickets available from Wed. 11<sup>th</sup> July onwards.**

**Annual Concelebrated Mass of St. Feichin:** On Sun. 15<sup>th</sup> July @7pm in St. Feichin's Cemetery,Lackan,Abbey to honour the 1438<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the birth of St. Feichin,Patron Saint of Abbey Parish. Covered seating available with refreshments afterwards. All welcome. Follow the signs from Abbey village.

**Portumna Town Hall Rental:** Some dates available for rental in July/August & September as follows:-**Sat. 07<sup>th</sup> July & Sat. 21<sup>st</sup> July & Sat. 04<sup>th</sup> August & Sat. 18<sup>th</sup> August & Sat. 01<sup>st</sup> September.** For bookings contact Jim Hynes-Tel:087-6411711.

**Dyslexia & Literacy Difficulties:** One to One tuition for children and adults with literacy difficulties. Classes will run throughout the summer break. Please contact Breda Mahony-Tel:-086-1604461 for further details.

**Portumna GAA:** No winner of Jackpot last week. Numbers drawn were 3,8,25,27. One person matched 3 numbers-Mary O'Sullivan.Current Jackpot is €3900.00 The Kelloggs G.A.A. Cul Camp on Mon. 16<sup>th</sup> July in Portumna G.A.A Grounds @10am for all boys/girls aged-6yrs-13yrs. Recommended to book on line to guarantee gear of camp week.

**Portumna Social Services Day Care Centre Draw Results:**

**5 Winners of €150.00-Anne Rabbitte**,Forest Glade,Portumna, **Anne Marie McNulty**,The Spires,Portumna,**Nora Moloney**,Gortanumera,**Niamh Madigan**,C/O B Byrne,Forest Glade,Portumna, & **Murt Byrne**,Askamore,Gorey,Wexford.

**10 Winners of €50.00-Josephine Hickey**,Ballyshrulie,**Jim Moran**,Gortanumera,**Mixie Harty**,C/O IT Dept. UHG,**Francis O'Halloran**,Clonmoylan,Ballyshrulie,**Sinead Larkin**,Clare Rd,Kiltormer,**Rita Treacy**,Ramore,Killimor,

**Sarah Darcy**,Coolnageeragh,Gortanumera,**Jennifer Madden**,C/O A Heagney,**Paoric Purcell**,Marian Pk. Portumna,**Charles Felle**,Loughenroe,Killeen,

**10 Winners of €25.00-Fiona O'Meara**,Marian Pk,Portumna,**Nora**

**Flaherty(Fahy)**,Derryoover,**D Kelly**,Gurtlusky,Portumna

**Siobhan Tuohy**,Oakley,Portumna,**Sharon & Aimee Robinson**,St. Brigid's

Rd,Portumna,**Anne Lawless**,Killeen,Tynagh,**Josephine**

**Canning**,Coolnageeragh,**Kathleen Hanley**,Stoneyisland,Portumna,**Sean**

**Conroy**,Lissenard,Tynagh,**Bill Doray**,Monbay,Craunford,Gorey,Wexford.

A Special word of thanks to all who supported the draw and Enjoy the winnings to all who had the luck of the draw.

**NB: Portumna Day Care Centre is Celebrating the 25<sup>th</sup> Anniversary** of it's opening with mass at 12Noon in the centre on Mon. 18<sup>th</sup> July followed by light refreshments and general get together. All Members of the community very welcome to attend.

**Woodford Garden Centre:** Summer Sale now on. Open-Mon-Sat-9am-6pm & Sun.-1pm-5pm. [Tel:090-9749222](tel:090-9749222).

**Portumna Tennis Summer Camp:** On 06<sup>th</sup> Aug.-10<sup>th</sup> Aug-1hr sessions each day for 5yrs-15yrs. At a cost of €35 for non member & €30 for a member. To book-Text-087-3906067.

**Summer Stars Reading Adventure:** Taking place at Portumna Library. Call to register your name & receive starter pack. More information contact Portumna Library at 090-9741261.

**To view the parish newsletter online:** [www.clonfertdiocese.ie](http://www.clonfertdiocese.ie) or [www.visitportumna.com](http://www.visitportumna.com)

**Please Note:** Items for newsletter must reach parish office no later than **11am each Thursday**. Local parish events get priority.

**Parish Office Hours:** Mon-Fri-10am-3pm.

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**Portumna Parish Holy Mass Times:**

**Sun 08<sup>th</sup> July. 2018 14<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time**

Sat. 07<sup>th</sup> July 7.00pm (A) Michael & Annie Hogan  
(A) Tom Madden & Nonie & Pearl Kelly

Sun. 08<sup>th</sup> July 11.00am (A) Frank Quinn  
(A) Con Mahony

Mon. 09<sup>th</sup> July 10.00am Private Intention x 2

Tues. 10<sup>th</sup> July 10.00am Private Intention  
People of the Parish

Wed. 11<sup>th</sup> July 10.00am (A) James & Helen Horan

Thurs. 12<sup>th</sup> July 7.00pm Private Intention x 2

Fri. 13<sup>th</sup> July 7.00pm (A) Christy Callanan  
Private Intention

Sat. 14<sup>th</sup> July 7.00pm (A) Frank Ward  
Private Intention

Sun. 15<sup>th</sup> July 11.00am (A) Eugene & Dympna McDonagh  
(A) Brendan Tuohy

**Minister of the Word: Sat. 14<sup>th</sup> July & Sun. 15<sup>th</sup> July**

**7.00pm:** Denis McLoughlin

**11.00am: 1<sup>st</sup> Reading:** Emma Burke & **2<sup>nd</sup> Reading:** Rose Dolphin

**Ministers for Holy Communion: Sat. 14<sup>th</sup> July & Sun. 15<sup>th</sup> July**

**7.00pm:** B Mitchell, M Fahy, S Fahy **11.00am:** J Gannon, M Blaney, S O'Dwyer

**Mass Servers: Sat. 14<sup>th</sup> July & Sun. 15<sup>th</sup> July**

**7.00pm-**Team(B) & **11.00am-**Team(C)

**Masses: Church of the Ascension, Gortanumera**

Sun. 08<sup>th</sup> July. 09.30am

Sun 15<sup>th</sup> July. 09.30am

**Reader:**

Mary Rourke 09.30am

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**Sunday**

**08<sup>th</sup> July 2018**

**14<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time**