

Confessions: Every Saturday-6.00pm-6.20pm in St. Brigid's Church,Portumna

Adoration-2.00pm-7.00pm every Thursday & Friday

NB: No Adoration on Holy Thursday or Good Friday.

NB: This week-end's Mass is on Page 145 of St. Paul Sunday Missal.

NB: All Holy Week Ceremonies to Easter Sunday week-end will be celebrated in St. Brigid's Church ONLY.

NB: No Mass in Boula this week-end or next week-end 21st April.

NB: All Trocaire Boxes to be submitted on Holy Thursday/Good Friday.

NB: Blessing of the Hands of Ministers of Holy Communion at Holy Thursday Mass.

NB: Priest's Easter Collection next week-end.

NB: Collection for Holy Places on Good Friday.

Holy Week Ceremonies:

Holy Thursday @7pm

Good Friday @3pm/Stations of the Cross @7pm

Easter Vigil (Holy Saturday) @9pm

Easter Sunday @10.30am

Easter Monday NO MASS

Mass Servers practice for Easter Ceremonies in St. Brigid's Church from all 3 churches:

Holy Thursday @12Noon

Good Friday @12Noon

Holy Saturday @12Noon.

Please inform parish office if you are unable to serve for any of the above ceremonies.

Shrine at Our Lady of Clonfert Church 2019: May Masses and devotions with Daily Mass(Mon.-Sat.)@8pm with guest preacher. Mass at 12Noon each Friday-Nursing Homes,Schools & Groups welcome. Sunday Mass @10am & 7pm for the four Sundays in May. Special Mass for Exam Students,Anointing of the Sick,Deceased Relatives & Friends,Blessing of Children & Parents. Full programme avail at Clonfert Church,Parish Facebook Page, Parish of Eyrecourt Meelick and Clonfert, or Clonfertdiocese.ie or Parish Office,Eyrecourt-Tel:090-9675113.

Portumna G.A.A: No winner of last week's lotto jackjot. Numbers drawn were 3,12,17,20. No match three winner.Donation to St. Dymrna's Centre.Current Jackpot €5400.00.

Portumna Community Games: On Sun. 28th April @1pm in Portumna GAA Pitch. No registration on the day Please register prior to event. Forms available from Fiona Duggan-087-6632920.

Community Walk: In aid of Cancer Care West on Sun. 14th April @12noon from O'Meara's Super Value Car Park. Adult-€10 and Child-€5.

Portumna Tidy Towns: Seeking Volunteers. Meeting on Thurs. 18th Apr. in Portumna Town Hall @8.30pm. Anybody with ideas or an hour to spare please come along.

SEGAHS History Lecture: Next lecture on Thurs. 18th April @8pm in The Irish Workhouse given by Joe Loughnane on Lady Elizabeth Butler and her images of the war.

Chiropody Clinic: In Hayes Pharmacy,Portumna on 16th/29th/ & 30th April for general and diabetic footcare. Tel: Emma-086-1901247 for appointment.

Portumna Day Care Centre: Chiropodist attending Centre on Wed. 17th April. Tel: Ger.-086-3532672 for appointment.

Also home visits and evening appointments available at **The Chiropody Clinic**,Birr Rd. Portumna(10mins from town). Tel: 086-3532672.

Portumna Computer Training: Courses:-QQI Level 3 Employability Skills,QQI Level 4 Digital Media & IT with Tourism,QQI Level 5 General Studies.Further details TEL: Patricia or Lynne -090-9759092. irdheritageproject@eircom.net, <http://www.facebook.com/portumnalti>, <http://portumnalti.wordpress>.

Bramble Art Exhibition: Hosting a children's Art Exhibition of creations by students of Ute Duggan-"Bramble Art" at present-Fri. 26th April in Portumna Library. All welcome.

Killimor Camogie Club: Bingo on Good Friday night @8pm in the Community Centre. Guaranteed jackpot of €250 and lots more prizes.

Please Note: Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes-Change of Dates-Now 15th Aug.-20th Aug. 2019. This will be the annual date for the future.

To view the parish newsletter online: www.clonfertdiocese.ie or 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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Holy Mass Times: St. Brigid's Church

Sat. 13th Apr. 6.30pm (A) John & Mary Cowan & deceased family members
(A) Seamus Carty & deceased family members
Sun. 14th Apr. 10.30am (A) Paddy Fahy
(A) Mossy Dermody
Mon. 15th Apr. 10.00am Private Intention
Tues. 16th Apr. 10.00am (A) Mary Duddy
People of the Parish
Wed. 17th Apr. 10.00am Private Intention
Thurs. 18th Apr. 7.00pm Mass of the Lord's Last Supper
Private Intention
Fri. 19th Apr. 3.00pm Liturgy of the Passion of the Lord
7.00pm Stations of the Cross
Sat. 20th Apr. 9.00pm Private Intention
Sun. 21st Apr. 10.30am (A) Paddy & Bridget Morrissey & Pat Treacy
Easter Mon. 22nd Apr. NO MASS

Minister of the Word: Sat. 20th Apr. & Sun. 21st Apr.

9.00pm: 2nd Reading: Denis Mcloughlin & 3rd Reading: Isabelle Canning/
& 5th Reading: Ita Hynes
10.30am: 1st Reading: Emma Burke & 2nd Reading: Alannah Larkin

Ministers of Holy Communion: Sat. 20th Apr. & Sun. 21st Apr.

6.30pm: R O'Rourke, M Connors, N Hayes 10.30am: P Lohan, P Joyce, A Tuohy

Mass Servers: Sat. 20th Apr. & Sun. 21st Apr.

6.30pm Team (A) & 10.30am-Team (C)

St. Peter & Paul's Boula

Sun. 14th April: **NO MASS**

Sun. 21st April: **NO MASS**

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Sunday 14th April 2019

**Palm Sunday
of the Passion of the Lord**