

History Lecture: On Thursday, March 29th, James Scully will present a special lecture on the history of the Grand Canal. The second South East Galway Archaeological and Historical Society lecture of the year takes place at the Irish Workhouse Centre at 7:30pm.

Davitts C.C.: will hold a clothes collection on Friday 30th & Saturday 31st March at Duniry pitch. Bags will be accepted between 7pm -9pm on Friday 30th March and between 10am -12pm on Saturday 31st March at Duniry pitch All clean clothing , household textiles i.e. curtains, towels, soft toys , shoes, handbags ,belts are accepted. No mobile phones & laptops. So get Spring cleaning.

Portumna Players Drama Group: stage the comedy “For Better For Worse” for 4 nights only: Thu 22nd/Fri 23rd/Sun 25th & Good Fri 30th March @8pm.

TAD GAA Lotto: No’s 1-8-22-28. No winner. One match three. Next draw will be held in the cross cut for a jackpot of €7,900.

Stations of the Cross: Outdoor veneration of the Stations of the Cross will take place in St. Feichin’s Cemetery, Lackan in Abbey parish on Good Friday, March 30th at 7pm. Everybody is welcome to attend this special event.

Do you know of someone aged 100 years old or more?: Athlone Institute of Technology are conducting research into the health and wellbeing of Irish Centenarians and are looking for volunteers to take part. For further information please contact Alison on 0872635911 or at a.fagan@research.ait.ie

Stand Up for Life: A Rally will take place in the John McCormack Hall, Athlone Institute of Technology on Wed, 4th April from 6pm-8.30pm and in Leisureland, Salthill, Galway on Thurs, 5th April from 6pm-8.30pm With speakers from Ireland and abroad, these Rallies will provide a positive and hugely important expression of all that is great about Ireland’s Right to Life Amendment. Your presence at this event is vital. To find out more, visit www.loveboth.ie or telephone (087) 266 8702.

Chiropody Clinic: will be attending Hayes pharmacy, Portumna on Mon 26th, Tues 27th and Thurs 29th March for general and diabetic footcare. Contact Emma on 0861901247 for an appointment.

Choose Life: www.chooselife2018.ie website has been redesigned and updated to showcase the best pro-life resources. It hosts all published issues of the Chooselife 2018 Newsletter as well as a stunning slideshow which highlights milestones in pregnancy up to 12 weeks.

**The
Celebration
of
Holy Week 2018.
in
St Lawrence’s Church,
Tynagh
&
Sacred Heart Church,
Killeen.**

Parish of Tynagh & Killeen Newsletter.

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Mass Times in Tynagh and Killeen this week

Saturday 24th Killeen 8pm- Paddy Conway, Poulaloon and deceased members of the Conway Family.

Sunday 25th Tynagh 11am- Mary and John Joe Robinson, Littlewood. Anniv.

Monday 26th Tynagh 9:30am- Pat and May Whelan and the deceased members of the Whelan family. Rehan.

Tuesday 27th Killeen 9:30am- Tim and Mary Fahy, Brackera. Anniv.

Wednesday 28th Loughrea 8pm- Chrisim Mass.

Thursday 29th Killeen 6:30pm- Mass of the Lords Supper.

Tynagh 8pm- Mass of the Lords Super.

Friday 30th Tynagh 3pm- Good Friday Devotions.

Killeen 7pm- Good Friday Devotions.

Saturday 31st Tynagh 6pm-Easter Vigil for the People of the Parish at home and abroad.

Killeen 8pm- Easter Vigil.

Sunday 1st Tynagh 11am- Eamon O'Reilly, Derryfrench. Anniv. and the Deceased members of the O'Reilly family.

Eucharistic Ministers: Killeen: Holy Thursday- Tom McGlacken
Good Friday-Colette Burke. Holy Sat: Margaret Callanan.

Tynagh: Holy Thursday- Vincent O'Brien and Kitty Conway. Good Friday- Tom & Noreen Shiel. Holy Saturday- Gerry Keane and Pauline McKeon
Easter Sunday- W J Cunningham & Monica Carney.

Readers: Holy Thursday Killeen- Mary Felle.

Tynagh- Pauline McKeon.

Good Friday- Killeen Reader-Carmel McGlacken Passion 1
Josephine Finnerty. Passion 2- Marie Burke.

Tynagh Reader- Mary Quirke Passion 1- Pat

Jordan Passion 2- Mary Nevin.

Holy Saturday- Tynagh- Anita Broderick.

Killeen- Tom McGlacken.

Easter Sunday - Tynagh- Marie Burke.

Nominate a Substitute: Anyone unable to attend a Holy week Ceremony, Please Nominate a Substitute.

Exposition Tynagh: No exposition on Wednesday night. You are invited to be present at the Chrism Mass.

Collections: Holy Thursday- Trocaire Boxes.

Good Friday- Holy Places.

Holy Sat /Easter Sun- Priests Easter Collection.

Please Note: you return your own Trocaire Box / Envelope. It is not Parish Policy for anyone to call to your door to collect it.

Holy Week Devotions: Holy Thursday- Killeen- 6:30pm.

Tynagh- 8pm.

Good Friday - Tynagh- 3pm.

Killeen -7pm.

Holy Saturday- Tynagh- 6pm.

Killeen- 8pm.

Easter Sunday-Tynagh 11am.

Welcome: I extend a warm welcome to all home to Tynagh and Killeen for the Easter. I hope that you will enjoy your stay.

Happy Easter: I wish all of you and your families and Parishioners abroad a very Happy, Peaceful and Enjoyable Easter.

Stations of the Cross in Killeen Church: Take time out on Good Friday at 5pm to walk the way of Jesus to Calvary led with prayer, reflection and song. All welcome.

R.I.P: Patrick McDonagh, Abbey. Brother of the late Michael John McDonagh, Cappagh.

Joseph Moore, Portumna. Cousin of the Moran and Cowan Family, Pallas.

Mary Finn, Templederry, Nenagh. Cousin of Mary O'Brien, Kilmurray.

Maureen O'Rourke Ballinasloe. Mother of Fr Kieran O'Rourke, Woodford and Looscaun.

Patsy Hayes Woodford. Brother of Eileen Shuaghnessy, Tynagh.

Marian Watson, Ennis. Sister in Law of Tom Watson, Cappacur.

Confessions for Easter: Monday 26th 10am – 11am Confessions in Tynagh Church. 7:30pm Confessions in Portumna Church.

Tuesday 27th – 9:50am Confessions in Killeen Church.

Thursday 29th Confessions in Killeen at 5:50pm. Confessions in Tynagh after 8pm mass.

Priests Easter Collection: Towards priests salary os next weekend Saturday 31st and Sunday 1st.

Time Change: Put all clocks and watches forward one hour this Saturday night.

Thought: Be thankful for all the struggles you go through. They make you stronger, wiser and humble. Don't let it break you. Let it make you