

## **Parish of Tynagh & Killeen Newsletter.**

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### **Mass Times in Tynagh and Killeen this week**

**Saturday 28<sup>th</sup>** Killeen 8pm- Thomas and Florence Nevin and Agnes Geary, Monakeeba. Anniv.

**Sunday 29<sup>th</sup>** Tynagh 11am- Dermot and Dolly Moloney, Tynagh. Michael Moloney, Ennis and Tynagh. Pat and Kathleen Traynor, England and Cré na Cille. Anniv.

**Monday 30<sup>th</sup>** No Mass Priests Retreat.

**Tuesday 1<sup>st</sup>** No Mass Priests Retreat.

**Wednesday 2<sup>nd</sup>** Tynagh 8pm- John Joe and Mary Lowry, Carhoon. Anniv and Deceased members of the Lowry Family.

**Thursday 3<sup>rd</sup>** Killeen 9:30am- John Joe Gormally. Drimna. Anniv.

**Friday 4<sup>th</sup>** Tynagh 8pm- 1. John and Mary Ellen Cunningham, Tynagh and deceased members of the Cunningham Family.

2. Mary, Tommy, Padraig and Thomas Conway, Barnaculla. Anniv.

**Saturday 5<sup>th</sup>** Killeen 8pm- Thomas, Margaret and Betty Kelly, Clontuskert. Anniv.

**Sunday 6<sup>th</sup>** Tynagh 11am- James Blake Streamstown. Anniv.

**Married:** Congratulations and Best wishes to Leona Carney, Derryfrench and Brian Mangan, Muckcross married in the prince of Peace Church, Fossa, Killarney.

**First Friday Calls:** this Friday beginning at 10am.

**Eucharistic Ministers:** Killeen- Margaret Callanan.

Tynagh- Gerry Keane & Pauline McKeon.

**Readers:** Killeen- Tom Mc Glacken

Tynagh- Anne Coen.

**Mass Servers:** Killeen - Eleanor Finnerty & Joe Callanan

Tynagh- Niamh Jordan & Cara O'Brien.

**Tynagh Tellers:** this week- Phil Briscoe. Next week- Geraldine Gohery.

**Exposition:** Wednesdays 6:50 – 7:50pm- Josephine Burke.

**Tynagh Offertory Gifts & Collectors:** for May Shangarry & Littlewood.

**Parish Tellers:** Following our meeting with the Tynagh Tellers on Thursday night, anyone in the Parish from Tynagh and Killeen interested in becoming a teller please contact Fr Séamus 087 2304493 or Thomas Moran 087 2040826. A new rota is being put together. Two tellers will be on each week. Money will be counted Sunday morning/ Monday morning.

**Prayer Meeting:** in Aras Mhuire, Portumna on Wed 2<sup>nd</sup> May at 7:30pm.

**Clonfert Priests Retreat:** takes place in Esker this week from Monday 30<sup>th</sup> April to Wednesday 2<sup>nd</sup> May. No Mass in Tynagh on Monday or Killeen on Tuesday.

**Parish Finance Committee:** is being established to monitor the finances of our Parish. It will comprise of about five people from both Tynagh and Killeen. If you would like to be a member or need further information contact Fr Seamus 0872304493 or Thomas Moran 0872040826.

**Parish Youth Mass:** Sincere thanks and appreciation for the inspirational liturgy and music organised by our Youth for last Sunday's Parish Youth Mass. Special thanks to the main organisers Eric, Maria and Therese. Thanks to all who forwarded Marie Burke and myself words of appreciation during the week, complementing the 22 young people involved.

**Clonfert Priests Retirement Fund:** Collection next weekend Saturday 5<sup>th</sup> and Sunday 6<sup>th</sup> Envelope in box.

**TA D GAA Lotto:** No's 2-14-15-32. No winner. 5 Lucky Dips. Next week's draw in Crosscut Jackpot of €8,400.

**Tynagh Bingo:** Jackpot €5,750 this Sunday @ 8pm in Tynagh Hall.

**'Far and Away' Conference:** on Saturday May 5<sup>th</sup> with the support of Waterways Ireland, the Irish Workhouse Centre are holding a conference on the themes of famine and emigration, and the importance of the waterways in that story. The conference runs from 9:30 to 3:30.

**Parent/Guardian and Baby/Toddler Group:** takes place in Duniry Community Centre Wednesday mornings from 10am -12pm.

**Community Alert:** If any individual or any couple aged 65 or over, living alone, would like to acquire a personal alarm, please contact any of the following: Frank Burke 0860778775. Jackie Forde 0879422356. Pat O'Halloran 0877642910. Carmel McGlacken 0879598358.

**Dsk Chorus:** in the Forest Park, Sat May 5<sup>th</sup>, facilitated by the Galway Branch of Bird Watch Ireland in association with Port Omna Beo Nature Group. Meeting carpark at 7.45pm. Contact 086 3847613 or 0872845443.

**Lough Derg 2018:** Season opens for One Day Retreats on Saturday 5<sup>th</sup> May. Retreats continue on May 6, 7, 8, 12, 13, 15, 20, 22, 26, 27 & 28. Advance booking is essential. Tel +353 (0) 71 9861518 or email info@loughderg.org

**Voting Register:** To ensure you have a vote, you must have your name registered with your local Authority by the 5<sup>th</sup> May. Contact Galway Council 091 509394 or the local compiler 086 0506185.

**Thought:** All of us could take a lesson from the weather. It pays no attention to criticism.