

For those who have the St Paul Sunday Missal you will find this week-end's Mass on Page 368/372

**Adoration:** Every Thursday/Friday-2pm-6.45pm.

**Confessions:**6pm-6.20pm each Saturday at St Brigid's Church **Or** by appointment, then please contact Parish Office-090-9741092.

**Minister of the Word:**

**Sat 19<sup>th</sup> Oct 6.30pm/** Shane Connors

**Sun 20<sup>th</sup> Oct 10.30am/** Jack Dolphin

**Sat 26<sup>th</sup> Oct 6.30pm/** Courtney Duane

**Sun 27<sup>th</sup> Oct 10.30am/** Adrian Hoare

**Minister of Holy Communion:**

**Sat 19<sup>th</sup> Oct 6.30pm/** Helena Cunniffe

**Sun 20<sup>th</sup> Oct 10.30am/** Siobhain Smith Tuohy

**Sat 26<sup>th</sup> Oct 6.30pm/** Cara O'Hare Avagliano

**Sun 27<sup>th</sup> Oct 10.30am/** Padraig Lohan

**All Ministers of Holy Communion & Ministers of the Word:**

Please note that the given names will be printed on the newsletter twice monthly. Could I ask you to take note of when you are ministering and should you be unable to serve please contact the Parish Office.

**Exploring Priesthood Open Days:** For the West of Ireland is on 26<sup>th</sup> October in University of Galway. Visit [vocations.ie/exploring](http://vocations.ie/exploring).

**Tús Opportunities:** Galway Rural Development has a number of part-time administration and other vacancies available. Supported by Tús Programme- if you are a year or more on jobseeker's payment and would like to contribute to a charity or community group in you locality, this is your chance. Placements are 12-18mths with pay and PRSI contributions recorded. On completion it provides employers with evidence of work experience. Training, a reference and a CV. **Tel-** 087-9335477 or **E-Mail-** [tusadmin@grd.ie](mailto:tusadmin@grd.ie).

**NB:** Those who wish to make a contribution directly into Parish Bank account or ongoing works to St Brigid's Church, please bank details as follows;-

**BIC-**BOFIE2DXXX **IBAN:** IE88BOFI90394726882574

**NB:** The protection of your personal data is important to us. We are happy to include your notice in our Parish Bulletin, **BUT** please ensure that you have received the consent of any persons referenced before submitting notice.

**Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults(RCIA):**

Are you interested in learning more about the Catholic tradition? The RCIA offers a pressure-free, non-judgmental environment where you can learn about Catholicism and what Catholics believe and are called to witness to. The RCIA is for people who are unbaptized, as well as those who are baptized Christians but have not received the Sacraments of Holy Communion and Confirmation. You do not have to journey alone! Please contact the Diocesan Office(091-841560 or [e-mail-office@clonfertdiocese.ie](mailto:e-mail-office@clonfertdiocese.ie)) for further information.

**Yoga Classes:** In an Gáirdín Ecological Centre,Portumna on Tues 15<sup>th</sup> Oct. for 8wks-6pm-7.15pm at a cost of €100.00. It is a mixed ability class. Further information-Tel: Grainne McLoughlin-086-8518321 or e-mail [gmclaughlin011@gmail.com](mailto:gmclaughlin011@gmail.com).

**Portumna & District Lions Club:** Holding a Table Quiz In Treacy's Bar, Killimor on Fri. 18<sup>th</sup> Oct at 7.30pm in aid of SPCA, Killimor.

**East Galway Speakers:** Next meeting is the club humorous speech and impromptu speaking contests on Mon. 14<sup>th</sup> Oct at 8pm in Comworks,Loughrea, H62 VN56. Guests very welcome.

**Christmas Arts/Crafts:** In Killimor on Sunday 1<sup>st</sup> December. If you would like to display/sell your produce/product please Tel: 087-9528054. Places limited.

Fr. Michael Byrnes P.P.,J.V. Tel: 090-9741092  
Mobile: 087-6227468 Email: pp.portumna@clonfertdiocese.ie  
St. Vincent de Paul 087-3650922.

### **Holy Mass Times: St. Brigid's Church**

Sat 12<sup>th</sup> Oct 6.30pm (A) Michael & Dora Fallon  
(A) Christy Martin, Agnes Muldoon & Willie Kevin Muldoon

Sun 13<sup>th</sup> Oct 10.30am (A) Sheila Tuohy  
(A) Michael & Phyllis Fahy & deceased members  
of the Fahy & Diver families

Mon 14<sup>th</sup> Oct 10.00am (A) Tom Madden, Nonie Kelly & Pearl Kelly  
Private Intention

Tues 15<sup>th</sup> Oct 10.00am Private Intention + People of the Parish

**Wed 16<sup>th</sup> Oct No Mass**

Thurs 17<sup>th</sup> Oct 7.00pm Private Intention x 2

Fri 18<sup>th</sup> Oct 7.00pm (A) Jack & Maureen Muldoon & deceased family members  
(A) Jack & Annie Mannion, Fr John Mannion & Thomas Mannion

Sat 19<sup>th</sup> Oct 6.30pm (A) Pat Connors & Lar Connors  
(A) John & Nan Dillon & John Dillon Jnr.

Sun 20<sup>th</sup> Oct 10.30am (A) Patricia Kilroy  
(A) John & Tessie Mannion, Thomas Mannion & Tom Mannion

Mon 21<sup>st</sup> Oct 10.00am Private Intention x 2

Tues 22<sup>nd</sup> Oct 10.00am Private Intention + People of the Parish

**Wed 23<sup>rd</sup> Oct No Mass**

Thurs 24<sup>th</sup> Oct 7.00pm (A) Bertha Duddy  
(A) Henry Mullins, Matthew & Catherine McKenna  
& deceased family members

Fri 25<sup>th</sup> Oct 7.00pm (A) Gerry Ryan

Sat 26<sup>th</sup> Oct 6.30pm (A) Michael & Sheila Darcy  
(A) Christy Fleming

**Boula Mass Offering:** (A) Billy Donohue

Sun 27<sup>th</sup> Oct 10.30am (A) Chris Smith  
(A) Vera Burke

**Gortanumera Mass Offering:** (A) Bill & Eileen Tuohy

**Mon 28<sup>th</sup> Oct No Mass**

## **Portumna Faith Community Area**

# **Portumna Parish Newsletter**

**Sunday 13<sup>th</sup> October 2024  
Twenty-Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time  
&  
Sunday 20<sup>th</sup> October 2024  
Twenty-Ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time**

**Portumna Parish Office: Tel: 090-9741092 or Parish Mobile: 087-6227468**

**Parish Newsletter online: [www.clonfertdiocese.ie](http://www.clonfertdiocese.ie) OR**

**[www.visitportumna.com](http://www.visitportumna.com)**

**Parish Office Open Monday-Friday from 10am-3pm. (Lunch-1pm-2pm)**

**Parish Office will be CLOSED from Mon 14<sup>th</sup> October  
and Re-Open Mon 21<sup>st</sup> October**

**E-Mail: [pp.portumna@clonfertdiocese.ie](mailto:pp.portumna@clonfertdiocese.ie)**

**Live Stream: All Masses on webcam**

**[www.portumnaparish.ie](http://www.portumnaparish.ie)/[www.churchservices.tv](http://www.churchservices.tv)/Portumna**

**OR Radio Link-102.8fm.**