

## **Parish of Tynagh and Killeen Newsletter.** **Portumna Faith Community Area.**

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**Defibs:** Tynagh NS H62 AW74. Tynagh Hall H62 EH70. Killeen NS H53 DP84.

### **Mass Times in Tynagh Church and Killeen Church from 9<sup>th</sup> to 17<sup>th</sup> Dec.**

**Saturday 9<sup>th</sup>** Killeen 8pm. Mary, Thomas, Tom Joe and Michael Dillon, Rehan. John and Annie Ryan, Abbey. The Deceased Members of The Dillon and Ryan Families.

**Sunday 10<sup>th</sup>** Tynagh 11am. Jack and Mary Lyons, Derrywilliam. Anniversaries.

**Monday 11<sup>th</sup>** Tynagh 9.30am. Martin and Mary Kate Callanan, Laurencetown. Anniversaries.

**Tuesday 12<sup>th</sup>** Killeen 9.30am. Thanksgiving Mass.

**Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup>** Tynagh 8pm. Johnny Costelle. Lecarrow. Anniv.

**Thursday 14<sup>th</sup>** Killeen 9.30am. Personal Intention.

**Friday 15<sup>th</sup>** Tynagh 9.30am. Personal Intention.

**Saturday 16<sup>th</sup>** Killeen 8pm. Elizabeth and Jimmy Molloy, Lisduff. Anniversaries.

**Sunday 17<sup>th</sup>** Tynagh 11am. Thomás Geoghegan. Fr Michael Geoghegan. Sr Phil Geoghegan and The Deceased Members of The Geoghegan Family, Shangarry.

### **Ministers of The Word: 16<sup>th</sup> / 17<sup>th</sup> December:**

Saturday: Killeen – Margaret Callanan. Sunday: Tynagh – Anita Broderick.

### **Ministers of The Eucharist 16<sup>th</sup> / 17<sup>th</sup> December:**

Saturday: Killeen – Margaret Callanan. Sunday: Tynagh – Pauline Mc Keon.

### **Tellers for Sunday 17<sup>th</sup> December:** Cepta Ryan and Clodagh Ryan.

**Priests Christmas Collection:** towards the Priests salary is next weekend.

**Rest in Peace:** Martin Hughes, Shrule. Nephew of Patsy Gohery, Gurrane. Sincere sympathy to Patsy, the Hughes family and relations.

**Tynagh National School:** will be Carol Singing before Tynagh Mass next Sunday 17<sup>th</sup> December. They are also having a cake sale before and after Mass next Sunday 17<sup>th</sup>. Both are fundraisers for Tynagh school.

**Killeen National School Lotto Syndicate:** This is the last week to purchase your €25 Lotto Syndicate Ticket. There are only 80 tickets remaining so don't miss out and purchase your ticket from the school, Harney's shop, Holohan's shop or by contacting Gerry on (086) 6667522.

**Omna Singers – Portumna:** Omna Singers present "Ring Christmas Bells", a short fun, family performance of festive songs and carols in Christ Church Portumna on Monday 18<sup>th</sup> Dec, 7.30pm-8.15pm. Conductor: Liz Powell. Come along and sing. A collection will be taken up for UNICEF Gaza Children's Fund.

**Tynagh Abbey Duniry GAA Lotto:** Numbers drawn 4, 10, 12, 30. No Jackpot winner. Four match three. Next draw Monday 11<sup>th</sup> Dec. Jackpot €16,200.

**Christmas Bingo Half Time Party:** is this Sunday night, December 10<sup>th</sup> at 8pm. The Jackpot is €1,000 in 45 numbers or less. Please come along to Tynagh Community Centre and join in the festive fun.

**Portumna SVP Annual Appeal:** This Christmas please support the Portumna Area Appeal. Please visit: [svp.ie/portumnaannualappeal23](http://svp.ie/portumnaannualappeal23) Or send donation to Vincents Shop, St Brendan's St, Portumna. SVP Envelopes in our churches.

**Pioneer Association, Clonfert Diocese Christmas Mass and Social:** in the Emerald Ballroom, Society St, Ballinasloe, next Friday 15<sup>th</sup> December from 8pm to 9.30pm. All Pioneers and friends of the Association very welcome.

**Portumna Players:** Presents – 'Marrying Mike' by Jimmy Keary \*\*Extra date added\*\* on Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> December at 8.30pm sharp in Portumna Town Hall. Fundraiser for Portumna Christmas lights. Tickets €10 on the door.

**Pieta House Wren Run:** on St Stephen's Day, 26<sup>th</sup> December at 11.30am in Woodford. Family friendly 3km walk also a 7km run option. See you there.

**Annual Charity Fundraiser:** Orders taken for fresh holly grave/door wreaths and floral arrangements. Proceeds to Mary's Meals to fund the Tynagh sponsored Primary School in Milimba, Zambia. Mary's Meals feed and educate 2.4million children each school day in 18 countries worldwide. Contact Helen or Gerry Keane, Pallas (086) 8160344, (087) 6820965. Please support!

**Thought:** Be the reason someone believes in the goodness of people.

