

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 1st to 9th March.

Saturday 1st Killeen 8pm. Annie and Michael John Mc Donagh, Cappagh. Anniversaries.

Sunday 2nd Tynagh 11am. Tim and Rose Killeen, Rehan. Anniversaries.

Monday 3rd Tynagh 9.30am. Personal Intention

Tuesday 4th Killeen 9.30am. Personal Intention.

Wednesday 5th Killeen 9.30am. Mass for Ash Wednesday.

Wednesday 5th Tynagh 8pm. Mass for Ash Wednesday.

Thursday 6th Killeen 9.30am. Personal Intention.

Friday 7th Tynagh 8pm.

1. Tom and Chrissie Donnellan, Ballinasmall. Bridie and Johnny Broderick, Gurrane. Anniversaries.

2. Mattie Mitchell, Ballinasmall. Anniversary.

Saturday 8th Killeen 8pm. Paul Heagney, 4th Anniversary. Dolly Heagney, 3rd Anniversary.

Sunday 9th Tynagh 11am. Gene Forde, Pallas. Anniversary.

Ministers of The Word for 8th / 9th March:

Sat: Killeen – Josephine Finnerty. Tynagh – Mary Killeen.

Ministers of The Eucharist for 8th / 9th March:

Sat: Killeen – Josephine Finnerty. Tynagh – Tom Shiel.

Tellers for Sunday 9th March: Margaret Callanan and Mary Quirke.

Tynagh Church Flowers for March: Mary Quirke and Sinead Hassett.

First Friday Calls: takes place this Friday 7th March beginning at 9.45am.

Ash Wednesday Masses 5th March: Killeen at 9.30am. Tynagh at 8pm.

Season of Lent: Lent begins this Wednesday with Ash Wednesday. Please think about attending Mass for the season of Lent. With priests now covering extra parishes, the availability of daily mass in every parish will not be as accessible as we move forward in changing times in many Dioceses.

Stations of the Cross: Outdoor veneration of the Stations of the Cross will take place in St Feichin's Cemetery, Lackan, Abbey this Ash Wednesday, 5th March at 5pm. The Rosary will be prayed there also. Everybody is welcome.

Trocaire Boxes: Please take a Trocaire Box from the Church Porch. The box is a great and simple way to contribute to those less fortunate in the world.

Lenten Collection: Saturday 8th and Sunday 9th February. This collection is for Clonfert diocesan administration in our own diocese.

Rest in Peace: Eileen Shaughnessy, Tynagh. Mary Ann McGuire, Loughrea. Stepsister of the late Junie Mc Donagh, Ballyleen. Mary Hackett, Portumna, nee Donnelly, Rehan. Sincere sympathy to the families and relations.

New Eucharistic Ministers and Readers: Interested candidates please let me Fr Séamus know. Eucharistic Ministers formation on Monday 24th March 7.30pm to 9pm in Gullane's. Readers formation Wed 2nd April 7.30 to 9pm in Gullane's. Both evenings are also suitable for you already involved in these ministries. Registration Forms must be completed & returned to the Diocese.

Tynagh Abbey Duniry GAA Lotto: Numbers drawn 6, 10, 25, 26. No Jackpot Winner. Three match three. Next draw Monday 3rd March. Jackpot €5400.

Tynagh Bingo: Bingo this Sunday 2nd March in Tynagh Hall. Jackpot €1000.

Set Dancing Classes: takes place every Tuesday night in Portumna Town Hall from 8pm to 10pm. €10 per session. All are welcome.

Get Fit: Come Dancing Starts Monday 3rd March at 8pm. €40 for 5 classes. Beginners' classes; Jive / Quick Step / Waltz in Ballinakill Community Hall.

Davitts 50/50 Draw: Congratulations to Clodagh Gormley, Moyglass winner of €600 in last week's draw. Next draw takes place on Monday 10th March.

Lenten Scripture Initiative: drawing on the riches of St Luke's Gospel begins this Sunday 2nd March at 6.30pm in Clonfert Family Centre, Ballinasloe. See www.creideamh.ie/luke for more details. All welcome.

Thought: Encouragement is the fuel on which hope runs.