

## TULLOW COMMUNITY GROUP CLG COMMUNITY EMPLOYMENT SCHEME

Have part-time job vacancies based in the following locations in Tullow.

(As advertised on [www.jobsireland.ie](http://www.jobsireland.ie))

**Cáirdeas** - Activity/Support Worker, Carer, Housekeeping, Driver/Maintenance, Gardening

**Cheshire** - Clerical worker, Driver/Maintenance, Housekeeping.

**Tots to Teens** - Receptionist

**Tullow Parish** - Caretaker, Cleaner, Maintenance

**Tullow Tidy Towns** - Environmental Worker

Please note-you must be eligible to take part in a CE Scheme. Training will be provided.

For more information contact Liz or Jeni on 059 9180977 or

[info@tullowcommunitygroup.ie](mailto:info@tullowcommunitygroup.ie)

## PETER MCVEERY TRUST

Are organising a charity cycle from Dublin to Wexford on Saturday 17th of September. Open to all abilities. Transport back to Dublin after the cycle is available to all cyclists. Register at [www.pmvtrust.ie/cycle](http://www.pmvtrust.ie/cycle) or call 01 8230776.

## KCETB: Training Services

Are you interested in: Rejoining the Workforce.  
Developing New Skills.  
Apprenticeships.  
Getting that Promotion.  
Changing Career.

For further information contact 056 7813014 or email [tsu.recruit@kilkennycarlowetb.ie](mailto:tsu.recruit@kilkennycarlowetb.ie)

## MOVING ON PROGRAMME FOR MOTHERS

St. Catherine's Community Services Centre, Carlow.  
Achieve an Employment Skills Level 4 Major Award.  
Starting in September 2022.

Limited free childcare spaces available.

Contact: 059 9138700 / 085 1628570 Email: [tonyd@catherines.ie](mailto:tonyd@catherines.ie)

Web: [www.catherines.ie](http://www.catherines.ie)

## Kirwan Academy of Irish Dance

Classes begin on Thursday 8th September in Tullow Parish Centre at 4.30 p.m. Contact Emily Kirwan A.D.C.R.G on 087 2140324.

## TULLOW, GRANGE & ARDATTIN PARISH NEWSLETTER

4th September, 2022.

23rd Sunday in Ordinary Time.

### PARISH CONTACTS

Parish Office: 059 9151277.

Email: [tullowparish@outlook.com](mailto:tullowparish@outlook.com)

Fr. Brian Maguire: 059 9181253.

### MASS TIMES:

Monday at 9.30 a.m.

Friday: 9.30 a.m.

Sunday: 11.00 a.m.

Grange: Sunday at 9.00 a.m.

Ardattin: Sunday at 10.00 a.m.

Service of the Word and Holy Communion:

9.30 a.m. : Tuesday Wednesday & Thursday.

## 23rd Sunday in Ordinary time

The words of Jesus in our Gospel today are very harsh.

### An explanation

Bishop Robert Barron explains;-

**Spiritual shock therapy.** "Hate your mother and father, your children, your wife, your very self," he says to the uncomprehending crowds—and to us. His purpose is to shake us out of our complacency and into a whole new way of thinking, acting, and being .

### The message for us.

We are Baptised Christians, a new creation, and we are trying to live good Christian lives and enter heaven. In our Gospel today God our creator asks us to begin our journey towards salvation, by loving Him above all others.

He asks us to love Him on a consistent basis and not be like the person in the Gospel who " started to build and was unable to finish."

### The message remains the same

Jesus' request in the Gospel today is exactly the same as the important request in Mark's gospel - And you shall love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your mind and with all your strength.' The second is this: 'You shall love your neighbour as yourself.' There is no other commandment greater than these.'`

Jesus does not seek that we stop loving the most treasured people in our lives. He does however ask that we love him above these cherished beings. Then in the words of Saint Augustine we can "love God and love everything else for the sake of God."

### How do we love God?

We love God in the same way as we love all our cherished ones. We spend time with Him. We listen to Him and talk with Him and try to be like Him through the ultimate example of Love of God - His son Jesus Christ.

**We pray today for the strength to consistently prioritise our love for God above all else.**

The things that we love tell us what we are . Thomas Aquinas.

### **MASSES FOR SATURDAY 3rd SEPTEMBER, 7.30 P.M.**

Sean Griffith, Tullowhill. Bill Canavan, Tintean Phadraig. Maura & Larry Kenny & son Ger & deceased family members of the Kenny & O'Byrne families, Tullow. Elena Detko. Michael & Clare Timmins, Upper Station Road.

### **MASSES FOR SUNDAY 4TH SEPTEMBER, 11.00 A.M.**

**FIRST ANNIVERSARY MASS:** Tom Nolan, 9 Shroughan Close, Tullow.

**FIRST ANNIVERSARY MASS:** Tom McDonald, Slaneyquarter today Sunday 4th September in Grange Church at 9 a.m.

**ANNIVERSARY MASS:** Annie & Michael McGrath & deceased family members, Farnyard, Ballintemple in Ardattin Church today Sunday 4th September at 10 a.m.

### **ANNIVERSARY MASSES FOR SATURDAY 10TH SEPTEMBER, 7.30 P.M.**

Bríd Cosgrove, 23 Templeowen. Patrick Keogh, 11 Dublin Road. Sean Doyle, Tobinstown. Pat Doran, Hillbrook Estate. Martin Doyle, Ouragh. Brigid & Patrick Cannon and their daughters Peg & Una. William, Elizabeth & John McHutcheon, late of St. Austins Terrace. Ellen Archbold and family, late of Thomas Traynor Road. Elizabeth Tyler, Kilpedder. Maureen Browne, Church Street. Pauline Canning, Dublin Road.

### **Masses for the coming week:**

**Tullow:** Monday: 9.30 a.m.  
Tuesday: 9.30 a.m. (Service of The Word and Holy Communion).  
Wednesday: (Service of The Word and Holy Communion).  
Thursday: 9.30 a.m. (Service of The Word and Holy Communion).  
Friday: 9.30 a.m.  
Saturday: 7.30 p.m.  
Sunday: 11.00 a.m.  
**Grange:** Sunday: 9.00 a.m. Sunday Mass  
**Ardattin:** Sunday: 10 a.m. Sunday Mass

Parish of Tullow, Grange and Ardattin: Registered Charity Number: 20015848

Email: [tullowparish@outlook.com](mailto:tullowparish@outlook.com)

## **BAPTISMS**

**Tullow:** First three Saturdays of the month at 12 noon & 1.30 p.m.

**Grange & Ardattin:** The last Saturday of the month rotating.

Please give at least three weeks notice for a baptism.

**PILGRIMAGE:** To Our Lady's Island on Thursday 8th September. Bus will leave the church carpark at 4 p.m. Cost is €20. Ring the Parish Office on 059 9151277 to book your seat.

**DATE FOR YOUR DIARY:** Develop Tullow Association Clg are holding an Auction on 16th October in the Town Hall, Tullow. Donations of items suitable for sale appreciated. Please note no Sanitary Ware, No Beds and No large suites of furniture accepted. Electrical items must be in working order. Enquiries Margaret Kirwan on 087 8538596 or Denis Ryan on 087 6701091.

### **Alzheimers Memory Walk 2022**

The Alzheimers Society of Ireland have launched a memory walk, proudly supported by Irish Life. It takes place on Sunday 18th September to mark "Alzheimers Month". Family friendly and all ages welcome. To register for the walk, please visit <https://alzheimers.ie/register-below-for-memory-walk/>

**The Tullow Marathon Runners** are back and their presentation of cheques to local charities and clubs will take place on 31st October, thank you for your continued support, if you would like to sponsor us our account is in Tullow Credit Union under 'Marathon Runner'. We would be so grateful with anything big or small.

Frances Codd will not hold her Dance Class on Tuesday 6th September, all other classes as normal.

### **Parish Collections**

**Envelope Collection:** €1,365. **Basket Collection:** €700. Many thanks.

**African Mass:** An African Mass is held on the 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday of the month in St Brigid's Church, Kildare at 2pm. All welcome.

Tullow Parish Community Centre. Phone: 059 9151277.