

WALTZ, JIVE etc... will return with Frances in Griffins Lounge on Tuesday 10th of January from 7 - 8 p.m for beginners. It will return on 17th January in Captain Murphy Memorial Hall from 8.30 - 10 p.m. for beginners & advanced.

Footcare by Nóirín: Foot health practitioner available for routine footcare in your own home. Phone 085 8487808.

Daniel O'Donnell in Concert

on Wednesday 23rd August in Mt. Wolseley Hotel, Tullow.
Tickets now available. Please contact Carmel Dawson on 087 2221434.

Scoil Mhuire Lourdes, Tullow.

Annual Admission Notice: Scoil Mhuire Lourdes will commence accepting applications now for the coming academic year 2023/2024. The school will cease accepting applications on 26th January, 2023.



St. Brigid's National School, Grange.

Fundraiser Lotto: This is a new fundraising initiative by the Parent's Association with the support of the Principal and BOM. The money raised will be used to directly support your children's education and purchase resources for the school including sports equipment, IT equipment, tour buses, etc.

Play: Pick 4 numbers. The same numbers will be played for you each week.

Pay: 1 line for €2.50, 2 lines for €4 or 3 lines for €5.

Win: Match 4 numbers to win the jackpot.

TULLOW COMMUNITY SCHOOL E-NEWSLETTER

<https://sway.office.com/JUBRCRofGIUor2XD?ref=link>

Tullow Youth Project @ Bishop's House, Tullow. We are a wider part of Carlow Regional Youth Services Provision. We offer a variety of fun activities and programmes for Young People ages 12-18 and 18-24. Contact Cathy on 085 8338732, Emma 086 7806405 or the office on 059 9152297.

TULLOW, GRANGE & ARDATTIN PARISH NEWSLETTER

15th January, 2023

Second Sunday in Ordinary Time.

PARISH CONTACTS

Parish Office: 059 9151277.
Email: tullowparish@outlook.com
Fr. Brian Maguire: 059 9181253.

Service of the Word and Holy Communion:
Tuesday and Thursday at 9.30 a.m.

MASS TIMES:

Monday, Wednesday & Friday at 9.30 a.m.
Saturday: 7.30 p.m.
Sunday: 11.00 a.m.
Grange: Sunday at 9.00 a.m.
Ardattin: Sunday at 10.00 a.m.

Second week in Ordinary Time

This year the Gospel Readings will be from Mathew's Gospel starting next Sunday. One of the more significant decisions of the Second Vatican Council (1962—1965) was to open the Scriptures for us especially at Mass and the celebration of all of the Sacraments. One of the Psalms cries out:

“ O that to-day you would listen to his voice
Harden not your hearts
The document on the Liturgy reminds us:
“When the Scriptures are read at Mass,
it is Christ who is speaking to us”

First Reading and Gospel linked.

Our first reading is from the prophet Isaiah. It was written 800 years before the birth of Jesus Christ. We hear about a “servant” who God “formed in the womb”. This servant was to “gather Israel” to God. This servant was to be made “the light of the nations so that my salvation may reach to the ends of the earth.” Isaiah is predicting the coming of the Messiah, the Chosen One who will bring salvation to the world. In our Gospel John the Baptist tells us of his belief in Jesus. “Look, there is the lamb of God that takes away the sin of the world.” Later John says “Yes, I have seen and I am the witness that he is the Chosen One of God.” John is telling us the prophecy of Isaiah has been fulfilled in the person of Jesus Christ the Chosen One.

Believe in God and Jesus

Pope Francis says:- I believe in God - not in a Catholic God; there is no Catholic God. There is God, and I believe in Jesus Christ, his incarnation. Jesus is my teacher and my pastor, but God, the Father, Abba, is the light and the Creator. This is my Being. Let us pray for this same belief in our lives.

Vincent Crowley (Deacon)

MASSES FOR SATURDAY 14TH JANUARY, 7.30 P.M.

MONTHS MIND: Colum Doyle, Pairc Mhuire.

MONTHS MIND: Peter Ronan, 36 Hillbrook Estate.

ANNIVERSARIES: Tom Lyons, Templeowen. Annie Darcy & deceased family members, St. Austins Terrace. Lena O'Grady, Knocklow. Arthur Thompson, Castledermot Road. Lily Smith, The Links, Tullow. Hilary Doherty, Park Gate. Patrick & Rose Kelly, Knocklow and daughter Mary, Galway. William Lawlor, Tullowclay. Elizabeth O'Byrne, Barna, Galway. Josie Hade, Dublin Road.

MASSES FOR SATURDAY 21ST JANUARY, 7.30 P.M.

Mary Lucas, Ballymurphy. Pee Kavanagh, 20 Templeowen. Frank Bailey (Senior) Ballymurphy. Joseph & Bridget Healy, Deerpark. Shane O'Neill, 75 Hillbrook Estate. William (Billy) Doyle, 5 Abbey Close and late of Liscolman.

MASS FOR SUNDAY 22ND JANUARY, 11.00 A.M.

Kathleen Kealy, Killamaster.

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.

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

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TAP TO DONATE

We have installed two 'Tap to Donate' Machines at the rear of Tullow Church. They are set at €5. This is a convenient way of donating to the Church and your generosity is appreciated.

Parish Collections

Envelope Collection: €1,850. **Basket Collection:** €948. Many thanks.

St. Brigid's National School Grange is now open for admission for the 2023/2024 school year. To receive an Application Form please phone the school on 059 9163881 or email msmulhall@stbrigidsgrange.ie

Yoga with Pam Butler starts on Tuesday January 17th, 7—8 p.m. in Teach Bhríde. Stretch, strengthen and relax! Beginners welcome. Full term 100 half term option also available. Book at pambutleryoga.com/shop. Queries to 086 0891141.

St. Patrick's Day Parade, 2023

A public Meeting will take place in Tullow Parish Centre on Tuesday 24th January commencing at 7.30 p.m. for all those who would like to be involved in the preparations for the Annual St. Patrick's Day Parade on 17th March. Representatives of the business community, town traders, local representatives, members of all voluntary organisations, marching bands, clubs, sports associations, schools and societies as well as all interested individuals are encouraged to attend.

We welcome suggestions, new ideas and offers of assistance in stewarding on the day. Without your help and support the St. Patrick's Day Parade cannot go ahead. Enquiries to 087 8538596, email developtullow@gmail.com or message us via our Facebook Page.

THANK YOU: The family of the late Colum Doyle, 74 Pairc Mhuire, Tullow would like to thank everyone who supported them during their recent loss. The greatest comfort during our sorrow was the expressions of sympathy and kindness conveyed to us in many ways. We deeply appreciate your thoughtfulness and thank you all most sincerely. Your support at this difficult time was very much appreciated and the Holy Sacrifice of Mass will be offered for your intentions.

Tullow Parish Community Centre. Phone: 059 9151277.