

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.

The A.G.M. of Develop Tullow Association Clg will take place on Tuesday 10th January 2023 at 7.30 p.m. in Teach Bride, Tullow. New members welcome.

Daniel O'Donnell in Concert

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

Eist Cancer Support Centre

The Eist Cancer Support Centre has moved to 46 Idrone Park, Carlow. Eist continues to provide emotional support and practical help to all affected by cancer. To make an appointment or for more information please contact us on 085 8661499 or info@eistcarlowcancersupport.ie



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

8th January, 2023

The Baptism of the Lord

PARISH CONTACTS

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

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

MASS TIMES:

Monday & 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.

The Baptism of Jesus

Baptism is practised by most religions including many forms of the Jewish religion. What makes Baptism special?

- Baptism is the start of something new and promising. It is associated with cleansing from sin and a return to living well. In some people, it can be a turning point, a commitment to a new direction in their lives.
- It is often a child's introduction to a wider world and a declaration by the person and their family that they wish to have God in their life and in their dealings with the wide world.

The Baptism of Jesus signalled the start of his ministry-something new and promising. It marked His introduction to life outside of his home in Nazareth. It went deeper than this too.

Deeper Meaning

- Jesus was without sin. There was no need for Him to be baptised. The late Pope Benedict believed Jesus agreed to be baptised to confirm his status as a human being and to acknowledge the sinful aspect to every human being.
- At his baptism, Jesus received an assurance and approval from heaven. And a voice spoke from heaven, *'This is my Son, the Beloved; my favour rests on him.'*

New Year— New You

Today we finally say goodbye to Christmas. Ahead we have a new year and a fresh start. The baptism of Jesus tells us all we need to know about the love and commitment Jesus has for us. Let us start again with Jesus at the beginning of this New Year.

Vincent Crowley
Deacon

R.I.P. Eamon Hogan, Ballymurphy and John Bermingham, Killinure and formerly of Dublin Road, Tullow who died recently.

MASSES FOR SATURDAY 7th January, 7.30 P.M.

James O'Toole, Ardoyne. Elsie McNabb, Church Street. Nora & Michael McLoughlin, Barrack Street. Paddy Byrne, 12 Dublin Road. Martin Byrne, Wales. Joseph & Betty O'Neill, Tullowbeg & Alice O'Brien, The Abbey. Michael Abbey, Ardoyne & parents Jack & Mary Abbey & Catherine Keegan, Rathvilly. Elizabeth Hogan, 73 Hillbrook Estate. Kathleen McEvoy, Ballymurphy Road. Jane Tobin & deceased family members, St. Austin's Terrace. Nell Canavan, Monacurragh, Carlow and formerly of Tullow. Thomas Byrne, 19 Hillbrook Estate. Joseph & Anna Doyle and deceased-family members, Tankardstown. Mary Sheerin, Station Road. Sean Hade, 76 Pairc Mhuire. Billy Black, 6 Abbey Close, Tullow.

MASSES FOR SUNDAY 8th JANUARY, 11 A.M.

FIRST ANNIVERSARY Betty Mc Hutcheon, Templeowen, Tullow.
ANNIVERSARY: John Archibold, Grange.

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.

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 Envelopes 2023

We would appreciate if Distributors could collect their envelopes for distribution at the Parish Office. Thank you to all distributors for your help.

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.

Books for Sale in Parish Centre

1. **Jimmy O'Toole's Book:** The Bicentenary of Grange Church 1822 - 2022
2. **Fr. John Cummins, R.I.P.:** A book in his memory - collection of his homilies.

Parish Collections

Envelope Collection: €1,547. **Basket Collection:** €603. Many thanks.

Tullow Senior Citizens Party on Sunday 15th January from 3 p.m. to 6.30 p.m. in The Tara Arms, Tullow. Please give names to Tullow Day Care Centre or to Kieran on 087 6283046.

THANK YOU: The charity walk on St. Stephen's Day in Bro. Leo Park raised €1,052 for Tullow Day Care Centre. Thanks to all who supported this fundraiser.

MABS

South Leinster Money Advice & budgeting Service.

Carlow MABS, 72D Tullow Street, Carlow.

Phone 0818072070. Free, independent and confidential.

Money Management and Advice Service.

Assisting people in dealing with their existing debts, Mortgage arrears and helping them to begin to manage their own resources.

MABS offer free Debt Relief Advice under Personal Insolvency options.

Phone 0818072070.

Tullow Parish Community Centre. Phone: 059 9151277.