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PERSONAL ALARMS

Anyone over 65 years of age who needs a Personal Alarm please contact St. Catherine's Services, St. Joseph's Road, Carlow for an application form or phone 059 9138700.

TULLOW ACTIVE RETIREMENT ASSOCIATION

Mystery Tour arranged for Thursday 25th July. A great day guaranteed. Coach will leave Church Car Park Tullow at 9 a.m. sharp. Tea and scones enroute, 3 course meal at end of tour. Return to Tullow at 7.30 p.m. Price: €75 per person to include coach, all meals and entrance fees. Contact Jim on 086 1200466.

TULLOW TIDY TOWNS

Meet at the library every Wednesday evening at 6.30pm Lets come together and make our town shine!!

TULLOW ACTIVE RETIREMENT

Are hosting a table quiz in aid of Tullow Day Care Centre On Thursday 20th June at 8pm in The Tara Arms Table of four €40

New and enhanced Transport for Ireland local link services are been added to TFI network as part of the connecting Ireland rural mobility plan which is a major national public transport initiative developed and funded by the NTS, if you would like Ardattin to be included please email info@nationaltransport.ie and speak to local elected representatives.

TULLOW, GRANGE & ARDATTIN **PARISH NEWSLETTER** 16th June, 2024

Eleventh Sunday in Ordinary Time.

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

Mass Times this week: Monday, 11 a.m.

Service of the Word and Holy Commun-

Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Fri-

day at 9.30 a.m.

"It is good to give thanks to the Lord to make music to your name, O Most High".

The Psalm from to-days Mass articulates our sentiments and feelings as we join Monsignor John Byrne, his family and friends as they celebrate John's Golden Jubilee of Priesthood. We congratulate John and with him thank God for the gift and privilege of serving God's people as a priest in the diocese of Kildare and Leighlin.

In to-days Gospel we read: Jesus said "This is what the Kingdom of God is like: A man throws seeds on the land. Night and day, while he sleeps, when he is awake, the seed is sprouting and growing, how he does not know And when crop is ready, he loses no time but starts to reap because the harvest has come".

Monsignor John has spent his priestly life "throwing seed on the land", preaching God's word and being guided by the wisdom of Isaiah:

> He has sent me to bring good news to the poor to bind up hearts that are broken to proclaim liberty to captives freedom to those in prison to comfort all those who mourn to proclaim a year of favour from the Lord.

We wish Monsignor John every blessing on this happy occasion and pray that the words of to-day's Psalm may be fulfilled in his life:

> "Still bearing fruit when they are old, still full of sap, still green, to proclaim that the Lord is just. In him, my rock, there is no wrong".

R.I.P. Kathleen Ann Waite, (nee Callaghan), Tullow, Tom Butler, Newstown, Ardattin, Sam Smith, Crosslow and Nancy Doran, St. Patrick's Park who died during the week.

MASSES FOR SATURDAY 15TH JUNE, 7.30 P.M.

John & Bridie Cummins and son Jim, Shillelagh Grove. Robyn Hutton, 2 Shroughan Close. Stephen Abbott, Mill Street. Zofia, Poland. Caroline Dowling, Hawthorn Drive. Christina (Dinah) Kirwan, Pairc Mhuire. Vincent O'Brien, Templeowen. Noreen O'Toole, Slaneyquarter. Michael Timmins, 5 Upper Station Road.

ANNIVERSARY: Noel Gorman, Ardattin today Sunday 16th June at 10 a.m. in Ardattin Church.

MASSES FOR SATURDAY 22ND JUNE, 7.30 P.M.

T.J. Doyle, Pairc Mhuire. Margaret Lucas and her mother Beth, 41 Hillbrook Estate. Jim & Marie Healy, John Street. Jimmy Doyle, Shillelagh Grove. Edward & Jane O'Neill, St. Olivers Villas and son James. Donal McMahon, Pairc Mhuire. John & Sheila Kelly, Castledermot Road. Bridie Ralph and family, Rathlyon.

MASSES FOR SUNDAY 23RD JUNE, 11 A.M.

Paddy McDonald, The Hermitage, Tullowhill. Paddy & Kit Dawson, Grange and daughters Joan & Mary. Alice Conlon, Dundalk.

CEMETERY MASSES 2024

Tullow: Sunday 7th July, 12 noon **Grange:** Friday 12th July, 7.30 p.m. **Ardattin:** Friday 19th July, 7.30 p.m,



Parish Collections

Envelope Collection: €1,480. **Basket Collection**: €651. Many thanks.

ACCORD

Marriage preparation programme dates available for 2024 6th & 7th September, 11th & 12th October & 8th & 9th November.

To book: www.accord.ie

TABLE QUIZ: Tullow Active Retirement Association are having a Table Quiz on Thursday 20th June at 8 p.m. in The Tara Arms, Tullow. Table of 4 and entry fee is €40 per table.

SUMMER VOLUNTEERS NEEDED Carlow Regional Youth Service

Are you 16+ and interested in volunteering with us this summer?

If so please text your name to 086 67712198.

Open to all abilities and a disability.

TULLOW DAY CARE CENTRE

Holiday 2024 to Limerick City Hotel
Wednesday 26th to Friday 28th June
2nights/3 days (bed, breakfast, evening meal & all tours)
€320 (pps) or €380 (single)
Payment in full by Friday 14th June,
Contact Tullow Day Care Centre on 059 9151833

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