

ARDATTIN FUNDRAISERS are having a Table Quiz in aid of Carlow/Kilkenny Homecare team on the 16th November. A table of 4 will be 40, starting at 9 p.m. in the Ardattin Inn.

Volunteer Required for service user from Cheshire Ireland - Driver/PA role. Any queries please contact Majella on 087 1391132.

CAPTAIN MURPHY MEMORIAL HALL, TULLOW

A.G.M. will be held on Wednesday 20th November at 8 p.m. in Murphy Memorial Hall. Nominations forms are available from Tullow Parish Office.

Cleaner Wanted: 5 hours per week. Hours and Days flexible, Tobinstown/Hacketstown area. Phone 086 8757346.

Jingle Bell Jog (5k) on Sunday 1st December at 11.30 a.m. starting at the Barrow Track Carlow in aid of Carlow Regional Youth Services. Registration online at www.popupraces.ie or in person on the day. Adults €20. Under 18's €10. Further information phone 059 9130476.

Ardattin National School are proud to host **Michael English** and his band in the Church of the Most Holy Rosary, Tullow *on December 1st at 8 p.m.* Tickets at €30 are available from The Parish Centre, Tullow and the Parish Centre, Castledermot. Come along with family and friends for a wonderful night of music. All proceeds to Ardattin National School.

FOREVER FIT TULLOW: Resistance Weight Training Classes for Over 60's. St. Patrick's GAA, Tullow. €60 for 6 weeks (Two Sessions per week). Contact 085 8014138

PARISH BEREAVEMENT SUPPORT GROUP: People are heartbroken by the loss of a loved one. Each member of the family is changed forever. This four week session parish bereavement program is designed to bring hope and healing to parishioners facing the long and lonely path of loss. It also serves to help people better understand the grief process, their emotions and how to deal with them. During the sessions participants are given an opportunity to express their grief's in a safe environment. The group is open to those who have experienced the death of a loved one. Each 4 week session will last 75-90 minutes, which will include light refreshments. Sessions are free and start on Tuesday 12th November for 4 weeks in Tullow Parish Centre from 7.30 p.m. to 9.00 p.m. To register, contact Sr. Teresa Phelan, csb on 083 3928708 or Sr. Teresa Carter, csb on 089 9705761

TULLOW, GRANGE & ARDATTIN PARISH NEWSLETTER

17th November, 2024
Thirty Third Sunday
in Ordinary Time

PARISH CONTACTS

Parish Office: 059 9151277.
Email: tullowparish@outlook.com
Fr. Brian Maguire: 059 9181253.
Mass Times:
Monday: 11 a.m.
Wednesday and Friday at 9.30 a.m.
Service of the Word and Holy Communion:
Tuesday and Thursday at 9.30 a.m.

The God-Money Idol

God did not want an idol to be at the center of the world but man, men and women who would keep the world going with their work. Yet now, in this system devoid of ethics, at the center there is an idol, and the world has become an idolater of this "god-money". Money is in command! Money lays down the law! It orders all these things that are useful to it, this idol.

And what happens? To defend this idol, all crowd to the center, and those on the margins are done down, the elderly fall away, cause there is no room for them in this world!

Pope Francis - Address, Meeting with Workers, September 22, 2013.

Reflection: Where do you see this "god-money" as an idol in our culture? How does it become an idol in your own life? What's one practical step you can take to fight against this idol during the upcoming week?

R.I.P. Peter Jackman, Crosslow, Margaret Corcoran, 2 Barrack Street and Krzysztof Slusarczyk, The Green and Poland who died during the week.

MASSES FOR SATURDAY 16TH NOVEMBER, 7.30 P.M.

FIRST ANNIVERSARY: Rita O'Brien, Mt. Wolseley.

FIRST ANNIVERSARY: Seamus Clynch, John Street.

MONTHS MIND: Leon Murphy Hennessy, 6 Hawthorn Drive.

Betty Tobin, 18 St. Austins. Ann & Richard Sinnott, Ballywilliamroe, Bagnalstown. James and Esther Hennessy, Butlersgrange, their son Paddy, granddaughter Sandra Dooley and son in law Johnnie Dooley. Kitty Kavanagh, Templeowen. Sean Darcy, Steepleview Crescent. Eamon Darcy, St. Austins Terrace. James & Mary Watchorn and deceased family members, Pairc Mhuire. Eamon and Bridie Byrne, Killinure. Elizabeth & John Dalton, late of Dublin Road. Kathleen O'Brien, Templeowen. Aileen Dunne, Dublin Road. Paddy Kirwan and deceased members of the Kirwan family, Tullowland. Phyllis Minchin, Dublin Road and Maureen Senter (nee Black), Dublin Road.

MASSES FOR SUNDAY 17TH NOVEMBER, 11 A.M.

Maura O'Sullivan, Ardoyne and Mary & Jim Carroll. Dan, Nancy and Christine O'Brien, The Hollow. Mary Maher, Hillbrook Estate, son Colin Smith and The Keating, Whelan and O'Neill family. Margaret & Patrick Butler, Newstown. Patrick & Elizabeth Doyle, Castlemore.

ANNIVERSARY: Hugh Farrell, Newry today Sunday 17th November at 9 a.m. in Grange Church.

Mass for deceased members of The Legion of Mary on Wednesday 20th November in Tullow Church at 9.30 a.m.

MASSES FOR SATURDAY 23RD NOVEMBER, 7.30 P.M.

FIRST ANNIVERSARY: Olive Murphy, Ouragh.

Anthony & Vimy McQuinn, Pairc Mhuire. Sammy & Nancy Smith, Templeowen.

MASSES FOR SATURDAY 24TH NOVEMBER, 11 A.M.

Des & William Pullen, Cardiff Close, Naas and grandmother Mary Johnston. Jim Kealy, Russelstown. Pat Coady, Dublin Road.

Parish Collections

Envelope Collection: €1,401. **Basket Collection:** €612. Many thanks.

Advent/Christmas Retreat: Morning of Prayer and reflection on the deeper meaning of Christmas at Teach Bhríde, Tullow on Saturday December 7th starting at 10 a.m. and finishing with lunch at 1 p.m. Facilitators: Brigidine Sisters: Sr. Teresa Phelan and Sr. Teresa Carter. €15 fee. RSVP by calling 089 9705761 or 083 3928708 no later than Tuesday December 3rd.

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

GRANGE CEMETERY COMMITTEE has received some complaints about dogs running freely around the graveyard and disturbing graves. We ask that if you do need to bring your pet through the graveyard please keep them on a lead and pick up after them if they foul in the areas as you would do anywhere else. It is very upsetting for families to find graves disturbed by animals. Thank you for your co-operation.

DEVELOP TULLOW ASSOCIATION

Join Us for the Christmas Lights Switch-On! Saturday November 23rd from 4 p.m. in The Square, Tullow. Celebrate the start of the festive season with a joyful evening of carols, community spirit, and Christmas cheer! Local choirs will fill the air with beautiful songs as we gather to turn on the Christmas lights together. Warm up with mulled wine generously provided by Morgan's Medical Centre, continuing a beloved holiday tradition.

The next meeting of **Tullow Active Retirement** will be held on Tuesday 26th November in The Parish Centre. This will be preceded by an AGM commencing at 2 p.m.

Afternoon Christmas Concert in Mount Wolseley Clubhouse on Sunday December 8th at 3 p.m. Featuring Regina Hanley, Debra Stuart, The Wolseley Singers, Rathmore National School, Carlow Ukulele Band, The Wellness Choir and many more. Tickets €10 Adults, €5 children, €25 family. Available from 087 6286288 or on the door. In aid of Carlow/Kilkenny Homecare.

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

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