

Person required for office administration role.
Please send CV to david@brophyagri.ie or call 059 9151242 for more information.

Tullow Community School are delighted to introduce their Lotto fundraiser.

This is a fundraising initiative, and all money raised from this will be spent in the area of extra-curricular activities and student support. Their first goal is to update the canteen facilities.

You can play 1 line for €2.50, 2 lines for €4.00 or 3 lines for €5 per week. There is a weekly prize of €20 & bonus prizes for the first draw. It would be hugely appreciated if you can contribute €5 for 3 lines, and you never know you might just win. To sign up *or for more info* please visit <https://www.ourfundraiser.ie/org/tulowcs>

Annual Bus to Knock will take place on Sunday 4th May, leaving from Tullow Church Carpark at 7.30 a.m. If you would like to book a place please contact Brendan on 087 6537753 or Josie on 087 2543235.

Tullow Day Care Centre are delighted to announce that their Laundry Service is now open to the public. If you would like information on our Washing, Drying and Ironing facilities please contact the Centre on 059 9151833.

Ardattin Fundraisers are having a Table Quiz on the 26th April in the Ardattin Inn at 9 p.m. Table of 4 will be €40. All money raised will be going to the Carlow/Kilkenny Home Care Team.

Slaney Valley Cycling Club based in Tullow caters for cyclists of all fitness levels aged 18 plus. We provide weekly training spins every Sunday throughout the year and Mid Week Evening spins during the summer months. Our most recent development is our facility providing indoor Smart turbo training sessions during the winter months. We have all weathers covered! New members welcome, enquiries to slaneyvalleycc@gmail.com

**TULLOW, GRANGE
& ARDATTIN
PARISH NEWSLETTER**

20th April, 2025

Easter Sunday

PARISH CONTACTS

Parish Office: 059 9151277.

Email: tullowparish@outlook.com

Fr. Ger Ahern: 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.



We all experience moments of dying in our lives.
We get a foretaste of death
when we live in bitterness,
when prejudice blinds us,
when loneliness enfolds us,
when fear oppress us,
when sadness overwhelms us,
and when we give in to despair.
In those moments the world is closing in on us,
and we have one foot in the grave already.

But we also experience moments of resurrection in our lives:
when we know true love,
when we are accepted,
when we are forgiven,
when we open our hearts to our neighbour,
and when hope returns.
In those moments our horizon is widening
and we are emerging from the tomb.



Lord Jesus,
May the power of your resurrection
touch whatever is dead in us and bring it back to life.
Let the splendour of your resurrection light up the world,
scattering the shadows of death,
and helping all of the Father's children
to walk in radiant hope towards the kingdom that is to come.

R.I.P. Pat O'Connor, Dublin Road and Eileen Flynn, Ashbrook who died during the week.

MASSES FOR SATURDAY 26TH APRIL, 7.30 P.M.

MONTHS MIND: Thomas Byrne, Hillbrook Estate.

FIRST ANNIVERSARY: Joseph Kehoe, Knocklow.

Anne Howard, Hillbrook Estate. Loretta Butler, Knocknatubrid. Edward Canavan, Ellen Murphy, Michael Murphy and Annie Canavan, Knocklow. James & Hannah Gartland, Dublin Road, daughter Kathleen, son in law Chris, son Sean and daughter in law Adrienne. Mick Norris, St. Austins Terrace. Ned & Bridie Madden, late of Pairc Mhuire. Br. Justin Madden, Patrician Brothers. Helen Scrutton (nee Archibold) Grange and Peter Archibold, Grange.

ANNIVERSARY: Helen Fitzpatrick, Downings next Sunday 27th April at 9 a.m. in Grange Church.

MASSES FOR SUNDAY 27TH APRIL, 11 A.M.

Martin & Sarah Tobin, Monaseed. Ursula O'Farrell and deceased family members, Barrack Street. Lucy Connolly, Tullow.

The Annual Commemoration will be held at The Thomas Traynor Memorial today (Easter Sunday) at 3 p.m. All are welcome.



PILGRIMAGE TO MEDJUGORJE

Wednesday 27th Aug to 3rd Sept. 2025 Dublin to Medjugorje return.

Half Board. Cost: €865 Spiritual Director: Fr. Ger Ahern

For information contact: Parish Office 059 9151277 or 087 629 8881

Easter Collection for The Clergy Fund

Please use your special envelope from your envelope box or from your seat in the church. Thank you sincerely for your support throughout the year.

SHRINE CANDLES: Due to an increase from our candle supplier the Shrine Candles will increase to 50 cent per candle.

BANK HOLIDAY: Monday 21st April is a Bank Holiday. Mass at 11 a.m. in Tullow Church.

Parish Collections

Envelope Collection: €1,925. **Basket Collection:** €820. Many thanks.

**FORWARD STEPS RESOURCE CENTRE, TULLOW
COMMUNITY GARDEN GROUP**

Would you like to volunteer in our Community Garden Group. Come and learn about gardening, enjoy some fresh produce, have a cuppa and a chat. We meet up every Friday morning from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. Please contact reception on 059 9152776 or Molly on 086 7937321 if you would like to join.

TULLOW ACTIVE RETIREMENT ASSOCIATION

Tuesday 13th May - A fantastic day outing to Athlone and Banagher. Our first port of call is the Shamrock Lodge Hotel for Tea/Coffee/Scones. Then onto Banagher where we board the River Queen, we head to Victoria Lock and take a walk in the weir. Back to Athlone, to visit the oldest bar in Ireland and then to the Shamrock Lodge hotel for a four course meal. Maximum capacity of boat: 50. Bus leaves Tullow Church Car Park at 8.45 p.m. Cost is €75. Contact Jim McCormack on 086 1200466 or 059 9152925.

Mat Pilates: Grange GAA, Mondays at 7.30 p.m. Suitable for all levels. Contact Sue on 087 2288156. Qualified ITEC Pilates Instructor.

BLOOD DONATION CLINIC

Tullow Community School

on Sunday 27th April from 12 noon to 3.30 p.m.
Check your eligibility and book your appointment at
giveblood.ie or call us on 1800222111.

Parish of Tullow, Grange and Ardattin

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