

WE REMEMBER THOSE WHO HAVE DIED

MASSES FOR SATURDAY 3RD OCTOBER, 7.30 P.M.

Annie Byrne and sons Paddy & Tommy, Ballymurphy. Kathleen Doyle and parents Jim & Julia Doyle, Castledermot Road. James Farrell Jnr, Pairc Mhuire. Kathleen Maxwell, 4 Courtview, Tullow. Ann & Thomas Kirwan, Abbey Street.

MASSES FOR SUNDAY 4TH OCTOBER, 11 A.M.

FIRST ANNIVERSARY: John Doran, Castledermot Road and also for his wife Maura whose anniversary occurs at this time.

ANNIVERSARY: Tess O'Connor, The Square.

MASSES FOR SATURDAY 10TH OCTOBER, 7.30 P.M.

FIRST ANNIVERSARY: Sheila O'Neill, Tankardstown.

Catherine O'Flaherty (nee Ryan) late of Abbey Street, Tullow and Foxhill, Athy and deceased family members of the Kelly and Ryan family. Eamon Nolan, 65 Hillbrook Estate. Jim Kennedy, Coppenagh. Michael & Paddy Whelan, Elmgrove, their parents and deceased family members. Brigid O'Neill, Bellwood Drive.

MASSES FOR SUNDAY 11TH OCTOBER, 11 A.M.

Kathleen Grace, Knocklow. Tom & Liz Abbey, St. Austins Terrace and daughters Peg, Mary and Ann. Patrick Griffin, 2 St. Patrick's Park, his mother Mary Griffin and brother Bill, Leeds.

SYNOD NEWS

The National Synodal Assembly takes place on Saturday 17th October. Over twelve people from our diocese will be present, along with Bishop Denis, as either diocesan delegates, as a member of a working group of the synod, or as a member of the National Synodal Team. Over the next number of weeks K&L attendees will have the opportunity to meet twice to help prepare for the assembly. In their preparations they will be prayerfully considering if the proposals being presented at the assembly are orientating the Irish Church towards where God wants us to be. Please keep them and the work of the synodal pathway in Ireland in your prayers.

TULLOW, GRANGE & ARDATTIN PARISH NEWSLETTER

4th October, 2026

Twenty Seventh Sunday
in Ordinary Time

PARISH CONTACTS

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Registered Charity No: 20015848

Mass Times: Monday, Wednesday and Friday at 9.30 a.m.

Service of the Word & Holy Communion: Tuesday and Thursday at 9.30am.

Confessions: Saturday 7pm or by request



Prayer of St. Francis

Lord, make me an instrument of your peace
Where there is hatred, let me sow love
Where there is injury, pardon;
Where there is doubt, faith;
Where there is despair, hope;
Where there is darkness, light;
Where there is sadness, joy.

O Divine Master,
grant that I may not so much seek
To be consoled as to console
To be understood as to understand
To be loved as to love.
For it is in giving that we receive
It is in pardoning that we are pardoned
And it is in dying
that we are born to eternal life.

ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

Tuesdays and Wednesdays 10am to 6pm in Parish Church.

PARISH COLLECTIONS W/E 26th/27th September

Envelope Collection: €2,160. Basket Collection: €837. Many thanks.

HOLY COMMUNION TO THE SICK & HOUSEBOUND

If you or someone known to you is housebound and would like to receive Holy Communion monthly please contact Fr. Ger or the Parish Office.

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Confirmation:

Saturday 10th April: Grange 10.30am. Ardattin 12.30pm

Saturday 17th April: Tullow 10.30am (Boys) 12.30pm (Girls).

First Communion: 11am

Saturdays: 8th May: Ardattin. 15th May: Grange. 22nd May: Tullow.

Irish Cancer Society Volunteer Drivers

The Irish Cancer Society is expanding the volunteer driver service in the Carlow and Laois area, and we are seeking compassionate volunteer drivers to join our pool of drivers. We are specifically looking for drivers who can take patients to Naas Hospital, as well as St James' Hospital and the Mater Hospital in Dublin. Gifting your time means that cancer patients will have comfortable (one on one) transport to attend appointments for their life saving treatment. If you can spare 2 days per month, have a valid driving license, and a safe, reliable vehicle, you are the perfect candidate to make a significant difference. Your generosity not only eases the journey for many during a challenging time but also offers comfort and support when it's needed most. For more information and to become a volunteer driver, please contact Monica or Emily at volunteer@irishcancer.ie.

TULLOW DAY CARE CENTRE DRAW

Tickets now on sale, up to €900 to be won each week.

PRIZES: 1st - €400, 2nd - €200, 3rd - €100, 4th - €100, 5th - €50. Promoters prize - €50.

Tickets are €20 for the 4 draws or €5 per week.

Draw dates: Thursday 8th/15th/22nd & 29th October.



The Rosary will be recited at the Statue of Our Lady
(Tullow Church) every Sunday at 3 p.m. for the month of October.

MENSANA FEST 2026: A month of free Mental Health Event will take place across

County Carlow in October:

Tuesday 6th October: 10 a.m. – 3 p.m. Information stand at the Woodford Dolmen, at the Carlow County Development Partnership Let's Talk Menopause event.

Thursday 8th October: 6 – 7 p.m.: Marita Delaney Wellwood Centre talks about "How your Mental Health impacts our Physical Body" over a cup of coffee in Sweet Baking Mama's, Castlehill, Carlow.

Saturday 10th October: 10 a.m. – 12 noon: Outside Broadcast with KCLR. Carlow Garda Station. Live radio. Luna is going to be unveiled in her new home.

Learn to Play Bridge

Keep mentally fit and have fun. Bridge is Social. Bridge is Fun. Bridge is for ALL AGES. Beginners Bridge Lessons in Buncloody Golf Club starting on Tuesday 6th October from 7.30 p.m. – 9.30 p.m. Contact Liz on 087 6450867.

TULLOW MUSEUM

Have digitised all our old photographs and 19 editions of OGHAM magazine. These are now available on our new website tullowmuseum.ie. We would encourage you to view the photographs and email us if you recognise any of the older groups. Please note that these photos and articles can only be published elsewhere with the permission of the Museum committee.



Captain Murphy Memorial Hall

Times during the week available. The rates for the use of the hall are as follows:
Up to 6pm: €20 per hour. After 6pm: €25 per hr. Heating is an additional €10 per hr.
Bookings can be made by calling: (Nicola) 085 7150412.

TULLOW LIBRARY KNITTING CLUB

Tullow Library would love to host a monthly club where participants can share a fascinating skill. An opportunity to join other knitter/crafters in a welcoming space. Everyone at every skill level welcome. Last Wednesday of each month from 5.30pm. For further information please drop in to the Library or contact zdermody@carlowcoco.ie or call 059 9136299.

PLÉ AGUS TAE

Irish Conversation Group continues in Teach Bhríde
on Tuesdays at 11am. Fáilte go gach duine!

JustRuns Events

Ardattin Sprint and Stride 5k and 10k run/walk in aid of Ardattin Community Group. Taking place on 18th October, starting at 11.30 a.m. from Ardattin Village. Adults €20, U16s €12. Medals and spot prizes on the day. Register on the day or at JustRuns Events.