



# ABBEYFEALE PARISH



14th October 2018

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28th Sunday in Ordinary Time

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### Intentions for this weekend

**6.30pm** Margaret & Michael Healy and deceased family members Grogeen Anniv.  
Theresa Fitzgerald, Dromtrasna Anniv.  
Mary Ann & Tom Moloney, The Hill and deceased family members  
Ray Stryker, Kilmanihan Anniv.

**9.15am** Eileen & Timothy O'Donoghue Anniv.  
Ellen O'Connor, Knockbrack,  
Knocknagoshel Anniv.

**12noon** Tom & Joan Murphy, Ballaugh Anniv.  
Maurice O'Flaherty Month Mind.

### Intentions for the week

**Thurs 10am** Eily Hartnett, Kilconlea and  
Tadghen Harnett

**Sat 11am** Jimmy Sweeney, Dromtrasna Anniv.

### Intentions for next weekend

**6.30pm** Tim & Maureen O'Connor, Fealesbridge  
Matt & Josephine Daly and  
Billy Buckley  
Garry McMahon  
John Joe Broderick, Purt Anniv.

**9.15am** Patrick & Kit Riordan, Purt Anniv.

Fr Bill Lane and Sr De Panzzi Lane Anniv.

**12noon** Jonathan Irwin, Knocknasna 1st Anniv.

**Mon 7pm** William M Harnett, Knockbrack  
Danny O'Connor, Grogeen Anniv.

*Those who leave everything in God's hand  
will eventually see God's hand in everything*

### Sympathies

Fr. Tony Mullin's brother, Michael, who was living in England died during the week after a short illness. May he rest in peace.

Our thoughts and prayers are with Fr. Tony and his family at this very sad time.

We offer our sympathy to the family of Bridie Corridan, Kilmanihan whose funeral took place on Saturday. Our thoughts and prayers are with Paddy, Mairéad, Gearóid and family members at this sad time.  
May they rest in peace.

**Mission Sunday Collection** on 20th Oct The collection towards the Missions will be taken up at all masses that weekend.

### Station dues

Station envelopes for the support of the clergy can be handed in at all Masses this weekend or during the week.

### Youth Service collection will take place on the 27th & 28th Oct

**Dromtrasna Challenge 2018** in aid of Miriam Joy Cancer Treatment Fund and Breast Cancer Ireland will take place on Saturday 20th October. 2K Kids Run, 4K Walk/Run and 10K Run. Something to suit everyone. Lets all TAKE THAT STEP. Online registration and further details available at [www.dromtrasnachallenge.com](http://www.dromtrasnachallenge.com).

### Promoting emotional wellbeing

A public presentation by John Lonergan ( former governor of Mountjoy prison) entitled  
How to be Happy and Content Date 17th October in the Longcourt House Hotel NCW at 7.30pm Contact Cora 086/1014373

**Wednesday Prayer:** Parishioners are invited to gather in the Blessed Sacrament Chapel on Wednesday afternoon at 3p.m to recite the Divine Mercy Chaplet for Vocations to the Priesthood and Religious Life.  
This prayer meeting will take place every Wednesday.

### Prayer

We are in God's love all the time, but we forget. When people find God's love and kindness they always do loving actions like caring and minding children, doing work everyday helping others being grateful for all the wonders of nature the colours of the day, the new inventions, that make life exciting. They are treasures that fill our hearts with surprise. (Liam Hickey)

### Reflection

Heaven, seeing The Face of God, Is like a happy birthday party. Everyone is invited. Everyone is happy, St Peter will meet us at The Door of Heaven, and give us a big welcome. We don't need to bring any presents to heaven.  
We need only empty hands to receive all God's gifts. Fr Liam Hickey

### October 2018

Pope Francis has decided to invite all the faithful, of all the world, to pray the Holy Rosary every day, during the entire Marian month of October, and thus to join in communion and in penitence, as the people of God, in asking the Holy Mother of God and Saint Michael Archangel to protect the Church from the devil, who always seeks to separate us from God and from each other.

In recent days, before his departure for the Baltic States, the Holy Father met with Fr. Frédéric Fornos, S.J., international director of Pope's Worldwide Prayer Network and asked him to spread this appeal to all the faithful throughout the world, inviting them to conclude the recitation of the Rosary with the ancient invocation "Sub tuum praesidium", and with the prayer to Saint Michael Archangel that he protect us and help us in the struggle against evil (cf. Revelation 12, 7-12).

The prayer – the Pontiff affirmed a few days ago, on 11 September, in a homily at Santa Marta, citing the first chapter of the Book of Job – is the weapon against the Great Accuser who "goes around the world seeking to accuse". Only prayer can defeat him. The Russian mystics and the great saints of all the traditions advised, in moments of spiritual turbulence, to shelter beneath the mantle of the Holy Mother of God pronouncing the invocation "Sub tuum praesidium".

The invocation "Sub tuum praesidium" is recited as follows:

*We fly to Thy protection, O Holy Mother of God. Do not despise our petitions in our necessities, but deliver us always from all dangers, O Glorious and Blessed Virgin.*

With this request for intercession the Holy Father asks the faithful of all the world to pray that the Holy Mother of God place the Church beneath her protective mantle: to preserve her from the attacks by the devil, the great accuser, and at the same time to make her more aware of the faults, the errors and the abuses committed in the present and in the past, and committed to combating without any hesitation, so that evil may not prevail.

The Holy Father has also asked that the recitation of the Holy Rosary during the month of October conclude with the prayer written by Leo XIII:

*Saint Michael Archangel, defend us in battle, be our protection against the wickedness and snares of the devil; may God rebuke him, we humbly pray; and do thou, O Prince of the heavenly host, by the power of God, cast into hell Satan and all the evil spirits who prowl through the world seeking the ruin of souls. Amen.*

**AFTERNOON TEA DANCE:** A group of friends of the late Joan O'Keeffe, Ballymacjordan have come together to raise funds for the Palliative Care Unit at Kerry General which was a great support to Joan during her illness. There will be a Tea Dance in Fr. Casey's Clubhouse on Sunday, October 28 with dancing to Mike Condon from 3-6pm. Admission €5. A raffle for a Christmas Hamper and assorted spot prizes will also take place. Afternoon tea including Phil's famous apple tart, Mary's selection of sandwiches, scones, buns and gluten free almond and apple slices will be served

**ABBEYFEALE FOR AFRICA:** As Fr. Tim Galvin is in the area at the moment, Abbeyfeale for Africa are having a few fundraising events to help with his Mission in South Sudan. On Friday, October 26 there will be a pub quiz in J.D's pub in Church St. On the weekend of November 17/18 Fr. Tim will speak on his work at the 12 noon Mass, there will be a church door collection and following the Mass there will be a gathering for light refreshments at St. Ita's Daycare Centre. Then, as usual in early December, the annual cake sale takes place in St. Ita's Hall. We ask for your support and look forward to assisting Fr Tim with much needed funds as he returns to his parish in South Sudan.

**Men on the move exercise** class men over 40 starts Tuesday 6th Oct in Teach na Féile, New Street, Abbeyfeale.

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