



PARISH PASTORAL UNIT
ABBEYFEALE, ATHEA, TEMPLEGLANTINE, TOURNAFULLA, MOUNTCOLLINS



16th Oct 2022

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Church Sacristy 068 - 51915

Priest on Call

A priest from one of the local parishes is always available to take emergency calls on Sunday.

Rev F O Dea
 He can be contacted on 087/2443106

Mass intentions for this weekend

6.30pm Garry McMahon Mass
 Teresa Fitzgerald, Dromtrasna Anniv.
 Sr Anne O'Sullivan, The Hill Anniv.
 Ray Stryker Anniv.
10am Fr Bill Lane and Sr De Pazzi
12noon Nora & Maurice O'Connor, Knocknasna

Intentions for next week

Mon 7pm John Ward, Ballaugh & Biddy Quigley and deceased family members

Tues 10am Pro Populo

Wed 10am Special Intention

Thurs 10am Myles Kehoe
Fri 10am John & Kitty O'Rourke, Knockbrack
 Margaret & Jack Quirke
 Timmy & Mary Broderick and deceased family members Main Street

Mass Intentions for next weekend 22nd/23rd

6.30pm Richie Roche 2nd Anniv.
 Willie Maurice Harnett, Knockbrack Anniv.
10am Mary Ann & Tom Moloney, The Hill Anniv.
 P J Lane, Killarney Road Anniv.
 Michael O'Connell late of New York and Kilconlea Lower 1st Anniv.
12noon Tom & Joan Murphy, Ballaugh Anniv.
 Connie Healy, The Hill Anniv.

Deaths

We offer our sympathy to the family Batt Fitzgerald, Knocknasna whose funeral took place during the week. May he rest in peace.

Tel Contact Numbers for the Pastoral Area

Fr Willie Russell Tel 087/2272825
 Fr Tony Mullins Tel 087/2600414
 Fr Denis Mullane Tel 087/2621911
 Fr Dan Lane Retired Tel 087/2533030

Parish office 11am to 1pm 068/31133 or 086/8661651

The Web Cam is out of order at the moment. We are waiting for a new piece of equipment to be delivered. Hopefully it will be live streaming very shortly.

Mission Sunday 2022

Next weekend we will celebrate World Mission Sunday, the Holy Father's annual appeal to support overseas mission and missionaries. October and World Mission Sunday is a time for the faithful of the world to show their appreciation towards the work of overseas missionaries. The generosity offered will be used to support missionary activities in over 1,100 struggling dioceses, mostly in Africa, Asia, and Latin America. Since the pandemic, there have been less people physically attending Mass, meaning less offerings in the basket. The implications for overseas missionaries and the communities they serve over the coming months will be very challenging.

You can help right now by donating to the Mission Sunday Collection which will be held at all Masses next weekend. Please use the envelope provided in your box of envelopes or put your donation into an ordinary envelope and write Mission Sunday Collection on it and drop it into the collection boxes located at the entrance to the church. For more information log on to www.missio.ie

Eucharistic Adoration:

Currently Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament takes place every Friday in the Blessed Sacrament Chapel from after the 10.00am Mass until 7.00pm. We are grateful to all those who give of their time to this devotion. The Parish Adoration Committee are now establishing a second day of Adoration in the parish beginning on All Souls Day Wednesday 2nd of November. If you are willing to give some of your time to this devotion we ask you to sign the schedule which is located on a table at the rear of the sanctuary area. We plan to introduce the second day of Adoration on All Souls Day, Wednesday 2nd of November. Adoration can only take place if there are enough people (at least 4) in the Blessed Sacrament church during each hour of Adoration. Perhaps parishioners would consider taking on this commitment for the month of November the month of prayer for the Holy Souls.

Garry McMahon Singing Festival

We welcome all who are visiting Abbeyfeale this weekend for the Garry McMahon Singing Festival. We wish all involved a very successful and enjoyable weekend.

Abbeyfeale OSCARS Night – St Ita's Day Care Fundraising Event.

Our best wishes to all who are participating in the parish event of the year. Congratulations to all who gave of their time in making the seven films on show on Friday night next. Make sure not to miss the event. A great nights entertainment is assured for all who attend.

Abbeyfeale Youth Club

We are hoping to have the Parish Youth Club up and running very shortly. There is a need for parent volunteers to help with the running of the club. If you have some time and are willing to help contact Noreen Cullinane on Messenger on 087-2353306

PUBLIC PRESENTATION: West Limerick Mental Health Association are sponsoring a Public Presentation by Psychologist Dr. David Coleman on Maintaining Communication with children and teenagers. It takes place at the Ballroom of the Longcourt Hotel, NCW

Booking not necessary and admission is free. All are welcome

First Communion and Confirmation

The dates for Confirmation and First Communion were announced this week. Confirmation will be celebrated by Bishop Leahy on Friday 10th March and First Communion will be celebrated on the 13th and 20th of May. Times of the Masses have been issued through our parish schools.

Pastoral Council Meeting

A meeting of the Parish Pastoral Council will take place on Monday 17th of October at 7.30pm. The meeting will take place in the church sacristy.

Dromtrasna Challenge 2022 in aid of Milford Hospice will take place on Saturday 22nd Oct. Register for the 2k Kids run, 4 k walk 5k and 10k chip times runs at www.dromtrasnachalleng.com. Your support for this very worthy cause would be greatly appreciated.

Readers of The Word

16th Oct Team 2 Tess Lane Julie O'Brien Susan O' Mahony

23rd Team 3 Aoife Daly, Mary Harnett and Meabh Roche

Ministers of the Eucharist 16th Oct Teams E F D
23rd Oct Teams A B C

If your are interested in either being a Reader of the Word or an Eucharist Minister contact Fr Tony Mullins or the sacristy.

Baptisms in Abbeyfeale will be celebrated on the **first Saturday** of each month at 5.00pm. Also, on the **second Sunday** of the month after the 12noon Mass. Contact the Sacristy 068/51915 during Mass Times.

Graveyard Church gate Collection will take place on the weekend of the 5th/6th Nov.

We thank all who maintain all three graveyards in the parish. Your support will be greatly appreciated.

Coffee Morning Thanks a million to everyone who supported my recent Coffee Morning, held in aid of Recovery Haven Cancer support and Milford Care Centre. The final figure isn't available at the moment as there are a few promised donations outstanding. As soon as these are in, the presentation to both charities will be made. Should anyone wish to make a donation please feel free to contact me on 087 6377310.

The committee of Abbeyfeale Town Park are very grateful to all who helped and supported the church gate collection recently.

Donate through the Parish Website www.abbeyfealparish.ie

Or DD system forms available from the sacristy.

If you wish to receive a box of envelopes contact the sacristy 068/51915