



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



1st Sept 2024

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Church Sacristy 068 - 51915

Parish Office 068/31133 11am to 1pm

Co Parish Priests of the Pastoral Area

Fr Denis Mullane 087/2621911

Fr Tony Mullins 087/2600414

Fr Willie Russell 087/2272825

Fr Dan Lane (Retired) 087/2533030

Fr James Ambrose (Retired) Tel 087/7740753

Priest on Call: Fr Tony Mullins, Abbeyfeale will be on call this Sunday. He can be contacted on 087-2600414.

Intentions for this weekend

6.30pm Michael Bob Harnett Dromtrasna Harnett
Months Mind

Bridget White Lower Knocknasna and deceased family members
Michael Griffin Anniv.
Birthday remembrance Intention
Jimmy Galvin Ballaugh 4th Anniv.
Special Intention for a 90th Birthday today

10am .Hughie McAuthur Anniv.
Mary B McEnery Anniv.

Paddy & Eily Mai Barry and deceased members of the Lane family

12noon Rebecca Leahy, Shanbally & Glenbeigh Anniv.

Intentions for the week

Mon 7pm

Tues 10am Pro populo

Wed 10am Catherine & John McKenna and son Jack & Pat and
grandson John, Tony and son in law Jim

Thurs 10am Tom Fitzgerald Knocknasna Anniv.

Fri 10am

Mass intentions for next weekend

6.30pm Mossie Lane Carrigeen Brosna Anniv.
Nora Guinane, ballaugh Months Mind

10am Monica & Michael Collins and their daughter Maureen
Higgins and deceased members of the Collins and McCarthy Families

12noon Eamonn Scannell, Mountmahon & late of Dublin Anniv.
Frank Collins, Banard Anniv.

To book a Mass intention contact the sacristy during mass times.
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Diocesan Pilgrimage to Rome: The Diocese of Limerick is running a
Jubilee Year Pilgrimage to Rome from the 20th to the 26th March 2025.
Bishop Leahy will lead the pilgrimage.

For further details contact MYRIAM TOURS on 057 -9355050

New School Year: We wish all our students, teachers and all school staff
every blessing as they begin this new school year. Congratulation to all who
have just received their Leaving Cert Results.

Visit of the Relics of St Bernadette to Limerick

The Relics of St Bernadette will visit Our Lady of Lourdes Church, Limerick
on Wednesday 11th & Thursday 12th September.

All are welcome to visit Our Lady of Lourdes Church
on Wednesday and Thursday. We extend a special welcome for Schools to
bring students on Thursday 12th between 11.30 a.m. and 3.30 p.m. Teachers
should contact Karen in the Diocesan Office to book a time.

Tel No 061-350000

The following is an outline of the schedule.

Wednesday 11th

3.00-3.30 pm Welcoming of the Relics & Water Gesture

3.30-6.30pm Veneration of the Relics. During this time Priests

will be available for Sacrament of Reconciliation

7.00-8.30 pm Celebration of the Eucharist & Ceremony of

Healing of the Sick led by Bishop Brendan Leahy

8.30 -10.00 pm Torchlight Procession concluding with private
veneration

Thursday 12th

7.00 - 10.00am Veneration

10.00 am Morning Mass

11.00am – 2.30pm Veneration & opportunity for schools to visit

3.30pm Closing Ceremony

A special box will be present for those who wish to leave petitions to
St Bernadette & Our Lady of Lourdes. Lourdes Water will be available to
take home – please bring a small container.

New Pastoral Council: An information meeting for all those
interested in establishing a new Pastoral Council for the parish will be
held on Monday 9th of September. All those who have already
expressed an interest in giving some time to this important work to
Fr Tony and Fr Willie are invited to attend.
More information next weekend.

Lourdes Pilgrims: We wish all pilgrims from Abbeyfeale who are
travelling to Lourdes with Canon John O'Shea on the 10th of
September a safe journey.

Children's choir: The children's choir will resume this Saturday August
31st. Children can be brought to the Blessed sacrament
Chapel at 5.30pm for practice before Mass. It is open to children from 1st to
6th Class. New Members are most welcome.
Contact Noreen Cotter 087/4158722

Baptismal Preparation Meeting: A preparation meeting for parents of
children who plan to have their children baptised in September and October
will take place in the parish church, Athea on Tuesday 10th September at
8pm. Parents who intend to baptise their child in the next two to three
months are required to attend. This programme is for all parents in
Abbeyfeale, Athea, Tournafulla Mountcollins and Templegalantine parishes.

Baptisms in Abbeyfeale are celebrated on the **first Saturday** of each month
at 5.00pm. And on the **second Sunday** of the month after the 12noon Mass.
Contact the Sacristy 068/51915 during Mass Times to book.

Wedding Bells

Congratulations to Fionnula Moore & David Duignam
who celebrated the Sacrament of Marriage here in Abbeyfeale on the 3rd August.
We wish them every happiness in their married life together.

Church Gate Collection for Milford Hospice. The annual church gate collection with
proceeds to Milford Hospice will take place on **Saturday, August 31** and **Sunday,**
September 1 at all Masses.

Fun Run for Axel: On **September 15** next Abbeyside Fitness are
holding a 5k fun run/2 k walk in support of Axel Horgan who is one of only 200 people
in the world suffering from a rare genetic condition called Cloves.
Axel's mom is Sarah Curtin from Abbeyfeale.

Anam Cara are holding an ONLINE Bereavement Information Evening on Tuesday 3rd
of September at 7pm. Our guest speaker for this month's talk is Bryan Nolan. Bryan has
an M.A .Healthcare Chaplaincy DCU , Certified Healthcare Chaplain, End of Life and
Grief and loss specialist, Training and facilitation expert.? For further information on
supporting bereaved parents please do Contact Numbers: Office 01 4045378.
Information Line 085 2888 888 or if call from Northern Ireland 028 95213120
Web Address www.anamcara.ie

A meeting o St Joseph's Young Priests Society will take place on Tuesday 3rd Sept
at 7.30pm in the Parish office. All are welcome.

A Prayer of Gratitude for Creation

God of the universe,
We thank You for Your many good gifts -
For the beauty of Creation and its rich and varied fruits,
For clean water and fresh air, for food and shelter, animals and plants.
Forgive us for the times we have taken the earth's resources
for granted
And wasted what You have given us.
Transform our hearts and minds
So that we would learn to care and share,
To touch the earth with gentleness and with love,
Respecting all living things.
We pray for all those who suffer as a result of our waste,
greed and indifference,
And we pray that the day would come when everyone has enough
food and clean water.
Help us to respect the rights of all people and all species
And help us to willingly share your gifts
Today and always. Amen.
— Fiona Murdoch, Eco-Congregation Ireland

**The Season of Creation runs from the 1st of September to the 4th of October Feast of
St Francis of Assisi.**

Newsletter: If you wish to include a notice in the Newsletter please contact Anne on
fealechurch@eircom.net