



PARISHES OF PORTARLINGTON & EMO



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PARISH OFFICE

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MASS TIMES

St. Michael's Church, Portarlington

10am Daily Mass (Mon. – Fri.)
6.15pm (Vigil – Saturday),
9am & 12.15pm Sunday

St. John's Church, Killenard

10.30am Sunday



MASS TIMES

St. Paul's Church, Emo

7.30pm (Vigil – Saturday),
11am Sunday

Sacred Heart Church, Rath

9am Sunday



SUNDAY 11TH AUGUST, 2019 ☞ NINETEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME ☞ YEAR 'C'

ANNIVERSARIES PORTARLINGTON

Mon. 12th August 10am ---
Tues. 13th Aug. 10am Paddy Murphy, Avondale
Wed. 14th August 10am ---
Thurs. 15th August 10am Sr. Pacifique;
Sr. Albert; Josie & her husband, Pat
Thurs. 15th August 7.30pm ---
Fri. 16th Aug. 10am John & Lill Tinkler, Stn. Rd.

Saturday 10th August – 6.15pm

Elizabeth (Lizzie) Maree (nee Kinsella), (M.M)
Gracefield & her brother, Michael Kinsella;
Edward Geoghegan, Cushina (1st Anniv.);
William (Bill) Sheerin, Marian Hill (1st Anniv.);
Deirdre Nolan, Arlington Est; Carmel Elizabeth
Tynan, Patrick's Ave. (5th Anniv.); May Shanley,
Patrick St; Margaret Knight, St. Mary's Tce.
Michael (Chips) Dunne, Deerpark; Frank Wyer,
Cushina; (6th Anniv) Ann Mullen, Bracklone St;
(21st Anniv) Charlie Raleigh, Bracklone St.

Sunday 11th August – 12.15pm

Paddy Burbage & dec. members of the Burbage
Families; Jack & Mollie O'Neill, St. Michael's
Park; Oliver Andrews, London;
Lydia Allman, St. Joseph's Tce.;
John Joe Allman, St. Mary's Tce.

Saturday 17th August – 6.15pm

Michael Moore, St. Michael's Park (1st Anniv.);
Patsy & Bridie Lawlor; George & Catherine
McKay, The Square; Joe & Andy Donagher,
Derrylea; Dec. members of the Keating Family,
Emo; Margaret, Fintan & Adrian Booth, Caron;
Jer & Matthew Kelly, Caron, Patrick Burke,
Ballybrittas, Ger O'Reilly, Marian Hill,

Sunday 18th August – 12.15pm

Michael Dempsey, Barrowbank (1st Anniv.); Ann
Murphy, St. Brigid's Sq; Patrick O'Meara & his
Father, Donie, Annamoe; Margaret O'Neill, St.
Brigid's Sq; (10TH Anniv) Martin & Catherine
Carter, St. Patrick's Terrace

ANNIVERSARIES - KILLENARD

Sunday 11th August – 10.30am

Thomas McHale Snr., Killenard
Sheila & Liam O'Mahony, St. Brigid's Square

Sunday 18th August – 10.30am

Thomas O'Connor, Old Pound; Sean Morris

PRAYERS ARE REQUESTED FOR THE FOLLOWING WHO DIED RECENTLY:-

Bill Brady, Droughill formerly Killeigh



ANNIVERSARIES - EMO

Saturday 10th August – 7.30pm

Elizabeth Duff, Limetree
William & Kathleen Byrne, Killimy

Sunday 11th August – 11am

James & Margaret Morrin; Willie Morrin

ANNIVERSARIES - RATH

Sunday 11th August – 9am

Patrick O'Connell, Killagulush

✠ BAPTISMS ✠

*We welcome into the Christian Community through
Baptism*



PORTARLINGTON

Samuel Martin Roycroft, Spire View,
Patrick Street

Daniel Raymond Eyquem, Arlington Estate
Leo Michael Rice, Arlington Estate
Olivia Donald, The Birches, Kilnacourt

EMO

Oscar Tom Wheeler, Straboe, Portlaoise

CEMETERY MASSES 2019

Emo Old Cemetery

Thurs. 15th Aug. 7.30pm

Portnahinch Cemetery

Sun. 11th Aug. 7.30pm



PRAYER AT THE PLOUGHING 2019

Bishop Denis is asking people all around the
diocese to choose the prayer they like most, such
as the Rosary or the Lord's Prayer or perhaps a
prayer learned at their mother's knee or handed
down *Ó ghlúin go glúin* in the family. He is also
inviting people to submit a personal prayer (no
more than 100 words) about the environment,
which they compose themselves. Submit to
prayerattheploUGHing@kandle.ie before
10th September of post to Bishops' House.
A short list of prayers will be displayed at the
Ploughing Championship which takes place in
Fenagh, Co. Carlow from September
17th – 19th.

HOLY WATER FONT ✠

BLESSING

Keep holy water font by the front door. As people
leave sprinkle and say

*"God Bless you, safe journey,
God bring you back safely"*

LECTORS

Portarlington

**Thurs. 15th Aug (Feast of the
Assumption)** 10am Lector /
7.30pm Anita Donohoe

Sun. 18th Aug. 6.15pm (Vigil) Sarah
Dunne / 9am Dan Fingleton /
12.15pm Emma Dunne

Sun. 25th Aug. 6.15pm (Vigil) Margaret
Doyle / 9am Tom Hainsworth /
12.15pm Micheline Murphy

Killenard

Thurs. 15th Aug. 10.30am Clare Kirrane
Sun. 18th Aug. 10.30am Jerome Kelly
Sun. 25th Aug. 10.30am Lector

Emo

Sat. 17th Aug. 7.30pm Kieran McEvoy
Sun. 18th Aug. 11am SADBHB Hanneffy
Sat. 24th Aug. 7.30pm Niamh Conroy
Sun. 25th Aug. 11am Frances Kerry

Rath

Thurs. 15th Aug. 9am Greg Fogarty
Sun. 18th Aug. 9am Mark Behan
Sun. 25th Aug. Michelle Carroll

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS

Portarlington

Thurs. 15th Aug. Team C
Sun. 18th Aug. Team D
Sun. 25th Aug. Team A

Killenard

Thurs. 15th Aug. Team B
Sun. 18th Aug. Team C
Sun. 25th Aug. Team D

FEAST OF THE ASSUMPTION OF

THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY

Thursday 15th August, 2019

We celebrate Mary's day of glorification,
her 'Passover' into the resurrected life of
her Son. The Feast of the Assumption
honours 'the fullness of blessedness that
is Mary's destiny'. This Feast Day is a
Holy Day of Obligation.

Masses as follows on Thurs. 15th August.

St. Michael's Church, Portarlington

10am & 7.30pm

St. John's Church, Killenard

10.30am

Sacred Heart Church, Rath

9am

St. Paul's Church, Emo

7.30pm (In the Old Cemetery, Emo)

RUN TO REMEMBER

CHARITY 5KM WALK / RUN

It is a charity 5km walk/run in aid of the Portarlinton Community Centre renovation project and the Laois/Offaly palliative care team - Sunday 8th Sept. Registration from 9am - Race starts at 10.30am. Cash prizes, refreshments, bouncing castle, memory tree and remembrance slide show in the community Centre hall afterwards. Fun for all the family. Entrance fee: €5 child / €10 adult / €20 family.

PORTARLINGTON CREDIT UNION

Portarlinton Credit Union will hold three open evenings to facilitate parents and third level students who may need to discuss their financial needs for College fees etc.

The dates are Wednesday August 14th / 21st / 28th from 7pm to 8pm. Our Lending Officers will be available to answer your questions or take loan applications.

CLONEYGOWAN

GOOSEBERRY FAIR

All roads lead to Cloneygowan Sunday 18th August for the Gooseberry Fair. A wonderful day out for all the family. All proceeds go to Lourdes fund and the Senior Citizens Party.

YOUTH 2000 SUMMER

FESTIVAL

Clongowes Wood College, Co. Kildare.
15th – 18th August, 2019

Workshops / Music / Talks / Fun.

The Youth 2000 Summer Festival is a four day Catholic event for young people aged 16 to 35. The festival brings young people from across the country together to grow in faith, to form new friendships and celebrate with music and prayer. Donation only. Free buses. For further information check out www.youth2000.ie or search 'youth2000' on social media Ph. 01 6753690 / 083 8405552.

O'DEMPSEY'S G.A.A.

Lotto Results 06 /08/2019.

Numbers were: 13,14,15,30. No Jackpot winner this week. Match 3 winner Louise Foster. Promoter - Brian Noone. Next weeks Jackpot: €13,200. Thanks for your continued support of our weekly Lotto.

LEGION OF MARY

The annual Young Adult Catholic Conference takes place in All Hallows College, Dublin on Sat. Aug. 31st & Sun. Sept. 1st. This is a fantastic weekend packed full of interesting events for young Catholics. Price range from €25-€50 – Accommodation also available.

Further details visit:

<http://www.legionofmary-deusetpatria.com/>
or Lucy on 087-9959803

NATIONAL DAWN WALK FOR CANCER

Sat. 24th August commencing 5.45am in the Presentation De La Salle College, Bagenalstown, Co. Carlow. Registration online www.nationaldawnwalk.com. Support of this event is great appreciated.

PORTARLINGTON RUGBY CLUB

Are hosting a Summer Camp for minis 6-12 yrs Starting the 20th August until 23rd August 10am to 2pm each day. Registration starts at 9.30am. Please bring a packed lunch and a drink for breaks. €50 for the 4 days of €15 per day. Booking through the website or on the day @Portarlintonrugby.com

EMO/RATH PARISH

Lotto

Next draw will take place Mon. 12th August
Jackpot of €5,800

GROW

Community Mental Health Movement

Support Group meet every Thursday at 2.30pm in the Social Services Centre, Link Road, Portarlinton. All welcome. Contact Assumpta 086 8114135. Visit www.grow.ie. GROW Promoting Positive Mental Health

MEDJUGORJE CONFERENCE & DAY OF PRAYER

Medjugorje Conference and Day of Prayer with Sr. Briega McKenna. Saturday 31st August, Neptune Stadium, Cork. Tickets €20 available from Benedictus bookshop & St. Anthony's Stores Cork. Also available from Muintir Mhuire Charity shops Youghal and Midleton. Online at Eventbrite.ie. Contact Sean O'Shaughnessy 0862959380.

PORT COMMUNITY ALERT NEWS



The Text Alert Group carries out a very important role supporting the Gardai to prevent criminal activity in our rural community.

If you would like to sign up for Text Alerts, you can drop or post your fee, along with your details, into the Loveport office, Portarlinton Community Centre, Link Road Portarlinton. Contact 085-8568801.

CPR COURSES

Portarlinton Community Responder Group We will be running a couple of courses soon for people to learn CPR free of charge. For further information contact 087-1449028.

ACTING OPPORTUNITY

The Porterhouse Players, a local Drama Group, urgently require one lady for a production which will be presented at The Mountmellick Theatre in October. If interested please contact Frank on 086-6004628.

PORTARLINGTON SOCCER CLUB

LOTTO RESULTS

6th August 2019

Letters B, O, I, E – No Jackpot winner. €25 to Ann Molloy & to Luke Carey. Sellers prize Dessie Molloy. Next draw 20th August – Jackpot €10,000.

B SHARP STUDIOS, PORTARLINGTON



B Sharp Studio, Portarlinton Music school are having registration for their new term on Tuesday 20th August and Wednesday 21st August from 6 to 9pm. All new and existing students welcome. All ages and levels catered for in all instruments and voice. Please all attend to get the time slot that suits you. Contact Conor 086-1639153 or Keith 085-7516595.

NATIONAL GRANDPARENTS

PILGRIMAGE

Sun. 8th Sept. 2019. Anointing of the sick at 2.30pm / Mass 3pm followed by Rosary. Celebrants Bishop Kevin Doran of Elphin & Apostolic Nuncio Archbishop Jude Thaddeus Okolo.

EMIGRANT NEWSLETTER



Club reports and articles for publication in this year's "Emigrant Newsletter" to be submitted to Portarlinton Parish Office not later than Saturday 31st August. Group photos from the past especially welcomed. (All photos will be returned).

You can e-mail

portarlintonparishoffice@eircom.net

USED POSTAGE STAMPS

Used postage stamps wanted for charity. Place through the letter box of the "Nook", Patrick Street, Portarlinton.

PORTARLINGTON LIONS CLUB FREE FAMILY FUN DAY

(TODAY – SUNDAY 11TH AUGUST)

Our annual Free Family Fun Day takes place on Sunday 11th August (today) in The People's Park, Portarlinton - from 2pm to 5pm. Activities include bouncing castles, face painting, athletics for all the family, games, music, dancing exhibitions, Teddy Bear's Picnic (0-6 years) - just bring your Teddy Bear and we will do the rest and much much more.



We are looking for clubs / organisation/ pubs / street leagues (ladies and gents) to take part in our Tug of War Competition - fantastic prizes for the winners (contact Tricia 086 1604363) HOPE TO SEE YOU THERE - **Main Sponsor: Portarlinton Credit Union.**

SUMMER ART & CRAFT CAMP



Mount Henry Art Studio, Killenard 12-15th August (4 days) 11am – 1pm. Classes for 5 – 12 year olds. Dress for a mess (bring old T-shirt). Cost €60 (Discount for siblings).

Art for Teenagers:

12-15th August (4 days) 7pm – 9pm. Cost €70 (discount for siblings) Booking essential. Contact Mary on 087-9063363.

CHILDMINDER

Childminder wanted – Emo area. To look after two children in their own home. Mon. – Fri. Afternoon – Contact 086-3686453.

PORTARLINGTON TENNIS CLUB



Portarlinton Junior Club Championships, Midi, Mini and Beginners Tournaments will be held on week commencing Mon. 19th July. Time-tables are available in the Clubhouse and on our Facebook page. Portarlintontennisclub.ie For further information phone 087-1231135.

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