



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 13TH AUGUST, 2017 ✕ Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time ✕ YEAR 'A'

ANNIVERSARIES - PORTARLINGTON

Mon. 14th Aug. 10am Marie Sutton, Clonmel
Tues. 15th Aug. 10am Judy Egan, Kilmalogue & Son, Jackie Egan & daughter Josie Willcocks
Tues. 15th 7.30pm James & Catherine Walsh
Wed. 16th Aug. 10am ---
Thurs. 17th Aug. 10am ---
Fri. 18th 10am Patrick O'Meara & Donal O'Meara, Annamoe / Margaret O'Neill, St. Brigid's Square

Saturday 12th August – 6.15pm

Andy & Joe Donagher, Derrylea; Ann Mullen, Bracklone St. (19th Anniv.); David Mullen, Bracklone St. (7th Anniv.); Charlie Raleigh, Bracklone St. (25th Anniv.); Matt O'Callaghan, Deerpark; Matthew & Jer Kelly, Emo; Patsy & Bridie Lawlor, Marian Hill; Catherine & George McKay, The Square; May Shanley, Patrick St., Lee Bryan, Na Cluainte; Frank W'yer, Cushina; Deirdre Nolan, Arlington Estate; Bridget Donoherty, Courtwood (2nd Anniv.)

Sunday 13th August – 12.15pm

Patrick Mitchell (2nd Anniv.)
Jake Connolly, Mountmellick & Doolagh, (Birthday Rem.); Paddy Burbage, Main Street & deceased members of the Burbage Family

Saturday 19th August – 6.15pm

Terry Higgins, The Denary (1st Anniv.)
Patsy Dempsey, Garryhinch (1st Anniv.)
Gerard O'Reilly, Ballymorris Manor & Marian Hill (5th Anniv.); Margaret & John Delaney, Lough; Patrick Burke, Ballybrittas (10th Anniv.)

Sunday 20th August – 12.15pm

Charles Green, St. Mary's Tce. (1st Anniv.)
Patrick O'Meara, Annamoe & his Father Donal O'Meara; Margaret O'Neill, St. Brigid's Square; John & Marcella Tynan, Main St. & dec. members of the Tynan & Brennan Families.

ANNIVERSARIES - KILLENARD

Sunday 13th August – 10.30am

Noreen Harkin (nee Hyland), 10th Anniv.
Thomas O'Connor, Old Pound;
Thomas McHale Snr., Killenard; Ronnie Gregory; Marie Sutton, Clonmel (2nd Anniv.)
Sheila O'Mahony, St. Brigid's Square

Sunday 20th August – 10.30am

Annie Culleton, Rathleash

DECEASED

Prayers are requested for the following who died recently:



Patrick (Paddy) Connolly, Doolagh
Frank Grumley, Clonaghadoo, (Father of Caroline Noons, Ballyadden)

ANNIVERSARIES - EMO

Saturday 12th August – 7.30pm

Michael Dunne, Killimy (1st Anniv.)
Patrick Culleton, Limetree

Sunday 13th August – 11am

Arthur McCluskey, Kilbride & Emo (6th Anniv.)
Margaret Morrin & Willie Morrin, Emo

Saturday 19th August – 7.30pm

Patrick & Anne Behan, Morette

ANNIVERSARIES - RATH

Sunday 13th August – 9am

Bridget Donoherty, Courtwood (2nd Anniv.)

Sunday 20th August – 9am

Patrick Burke, Ballybrittas (10th Anniv.)

BAPTISMS

We welcome into the Christian Community through Baptism:

PORTARLINGTON PARISH

Haroldas Mozuras, The Glen, Kilnacourt
Tadhg Alfie Dobson, Lea Road & England
Aishling Joyce, Lea Road & Canada
Eva Jay Finlay, Lea

EMO PARISH

Emma Breda Lynch, Kilmainham
Aaron Edmond Maxwell Gleeson, Mountmellick

FEAST OF THE ASSUMPTION OF THE

BLESSED VIRGIN MARY

Tuesday 15th August 2016

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 Tuesday 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

PRAYER

*Almighty God,
You gave a humble Virgin
the privilege of being
mother of your Son,
and crowned her
with the glory of heaven.*

*May the prayers of the Virgin Mary
bring us to the salvation of Christ
and raise us up to eternal life.*

*We ask this through our Lord Jesus Christ your
Son who lives and reigns with you and the
Holy Spirit, one God, forever and ever.*

Amen



LECTORS

NEXT WEEKEND 19th / 20th

FEAST OF THE ASSUMPTION

Portarlington: 10am Morning Lector

7.30pm Sinead Dunne

Sat. 19th 6.15pm Sarah Dunne

Sun. 20th 9am Tom Hainsworth /
12.15pm Noel Brennan

Killenard:

Tues. 15th 10.30am Lector

Sun. 20th Aug. 10.30am Niall Briody

Emo: **Tues. 15th 7.30pm** Ann Deering

Sat. 19th 7.30pm Paul Donnelly /

Sun. 20th 11am Frances Kerry

Rath: **Tues. 15th 9am** Greg Fogarty

Sun. 20th Aug. 9am Deirdre Hartigan

EUCHRISTIC MINISTERS

NEXT WEEKEND 19th / 20th

**PORTARLINGTON TUES. 15TH TEAM D /
SAT. / SUN. 19TH & 20TH TEAM A**

**KILLENARD: TUES. 15TH TEAM A / SUN.
20TH TEAM B**

CEMETERY MASSES

2017



Emo Old Cemetery – Tues. 15th Aug. 7.30pm

EUCHARISTIC ADORATION

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament is a form of Eucharistic cult which is particularly widespread in the Church and earnestly recommended to her Pastors and faithful. Its initial form derives from Holy Thursday and the altar of repose following the celebration of the Coena Domini Mass. This adoration is a most apt way of expressing the connection between the celebration of the memorial of the Lord's



Sacrifice and his continued presence in the Sacrament of the Altar. The reservation of the Sacred Species, so as to be able to administer Viaticum to the sick at any time, encouraged the practice among the faithful of recollection before the tabernacle and to worship Christ present in the Sacrament.

**DIocese OF KILDARE & LEIGHLIN
FAMILY PICNIC DAY**



Bishop Denis invites families to join him for a Family Picnic Day on Sun. 27th Aug. at Punchestown Racecourse from 1pm – 6pm. Official opening at 3pm. FREE ADMISSION

Bring your own picnic. A great afternoon of entertainment and fun is planned, including live entertainment; face painting / 2K track walk / Pony rides / Family Fun / Special guests and lots more. All very welcome.

**EMO/RATH PARISH LOTTO
31st July 2017**

Next Jackpot €8,200 – Draw will take place on Mon. 14th August, 2017.

PORTARLINGTON FURTHER EDUCATION & TRAINING CENTRE



Portarlington Further Education & Training Centre are offering "General Learning QQI Level 3". Subjects: Maths & Communications through I.T. Mondays 9.30am – 12pm / Tuesdays 9.30am – 11.30am. Enrolment day: September 13th at 9.30am. Contact: Pádraig Hennessy phennessy@loetb.ie - 057 8661338

LITTLE BLACK DRESS NIGHT



Will be held in O'Dea's, Main Street on Fri. 29th Sept. commencing 8.30pm. Tickets €10. Available in the Love Port / P.C.D.A. Office.

MUSIC LESSONS

Music lessons for enjoyment or Academy exams. Own Centre – Adults always welcome. 086 0673772

**PORTARLINGTON LIONS CLUB
ANNOUNCE**

THEIR FREE ANNUAL FAMILY FUN DAY



Sunday 13th August in the People's Park. (TODAY - SUNDAY)

There is free entertainment for all. 2pm-5.30pm Face Painting / Bouncing Castles / Pony Rides

2-2.20pm Jennifer McDonnell Irish Dancers
2.25-2.40pm Cathriona S.R.L.T. Irish dancers
2.45-3.05pm Kara Burbage Irish Dancers
2-4pm Marble Toss & Racket Score
2pm Display Portarlington Photography Club
2.30pm Tug of War
2.30-3.15pm Penalty Shoots out on Astro Turf
2.50pm Presentation to Tug-of-War Winners
3pm Children's Races
3-3.30pm Portarlington Comhaltas
4pm Free Swimming Compliment of Portarlington Swimming Pool
5pm Pidgeon Release / Displays from Portarlington Photography Club
5.30pm Raffle for Trailer of Food 1st Prize / Trailer of Turn 2nd Prize.



CLONEYGOWAN GOOSEBERRY FAIR



All roads lead to Cloneygowan for the 200th Anniversary of the Gooseberry Fair - Sunday 20th August, 2017. Your support will be greatly appreciated.

SUAIMHNEAS – CAPPAKEEL



Mindfulness Meditation Practice

Will resume in Autumn 2017 - Cost €5 incl. Refreshment with delicious home baking. To book or for further details phone Anne or Mai on 057 8626541 / Email info@suaimhneas.ie or visit website www.suaimhneas.ie

WANTED!

Kind reliable trustworthy lady required 1 - 2 days per week to do housekeeping duties and mind two children in their own home (in the afternoon when they return from playschool). Killenard area. Thursday/ Friday from 10 – 6 pm. Please call 087 2346389 for further information.

**EMIGRANT NEWSLETTER
COMMITTEE MEETING**



Emigrant Newsletter Committee Meeting will be held on Wed. next, 16th August at 8pm in Fr. Noonan's house.

ARTICLES FOR EMIGRANT NEWSLETTER

Individuals, Organisations and Clubs wishing to include articles in this year's Emigrant Newsletter, please submit them to Fr. Noonan or to the Parish Office:

Closing date: Fri. 25th August, 2017

E-mail portarlingtonparishoffice@eircom.net



Held in Portarlington GAA Centre every Tuesday night 8.30pm. €2,000+ in prize money.

DANCING – MONDAY NIGHTS

Dancing continues every Monday night in the Gandon Inn from 9.30pm to 11.30pm in aid of Portarlington St. Vincent de Paul. Admission €7 All very welcome.

CHILDMINDER WANTED

Kind and responsible lady wanted to mind three school-going children in children's own home. Part-time 1-2 days per week on average, depending on schedule. Portarlington / Killenard area. Own car essential for school runs. Please text or call 087 4043772.

PART TIME CHILDMINDER REQUIRED

To look after child in child minders own home two days a week. Commencing in September. For further information please call 0876967114.

PILGRIMAGE TO FATIMA 2017



100th Anniversary Year. From 21st – 28th Sept. 2017. Flights / Hotel Santo Amaro. Two seats available – If interested phone Mary on 086-1627564.

NATIONAL GRANDPARENTS PILGRIMAGE



Sun. 10th September 2017

Our Lady of Knock Shrine, Knock, Co. Mayo
Chief Celebrant: Archbishop Eamon Martin,
Armagh – Primate of All Ireland.

Choir & Musicians: St. Mary's Secondary School Choir, Ballina / Reflection by Catherine Wiley – Founder of the C.G.A. / Special Guests: Dana, sings 'Our Lady of Knock'.

CHILDREN'S PRAYER APPEAL

An invitation to all children to write a prayer for their Grandparents. All prayers will be blessed at the pilgrimage. Prayers to be sent to National Grandparents Pilgrimage Castlebar St., Westport, Co. Mayo. E-mail info@catholicgrandparentsassociation.com www.catholicgrandparentsassociation.org
Tel: 098 24877

PRAYER FOR GRANDPARENTS

Lord Jesus,
You were born of the Virgin Mary, the daughter of Saints Joachim & Anne. Look with love on grandparents the world over. Protect them! They are a source of enrichment for families, for the Church and for all of society. Support them! As they grow older, may they continue to be for their families strong pillars of Gospel faith, guardians of noble domestic ideals, living treasuries of sound religious traditions.

Make them teachers of wisdom and courage, that they may pass on to future generations the fruits of their mature human and spiritual experience.

Lord Jesus, help families and society to value the presence and roles of grandparents.

May they never be ignored or excluded, but always encounter respect and love. Help them to live serenely and to feel welcomed in all the years of life which you give them.

Mary, Mother of all the living, keep grandparents constantly in your care, accompany them on their earthly pilgrimage, and by your prayers, grand that all families may one day be reunited in our heavenly homeland, where you await all humanity for the great embrace of life without end.

Amen:

Composed for the CGA By Pope Benedict XVI - 2008

PART TIME CHILD-MINDER REQUIRED

Part-time Childminder required – Emo / Heath area. Contact Elaine on 086-8498609.

ARLINGTON A.F.C.

BRAINS OF ARLINGTON TABLE QUIZ



Arlington AFC are hoping to crown "the brains of Arlington" on Friday 18th August at 9pm in Barrow lodge. Table quiz is €10 per head, 4 per table, video round will be included. All are welcome so please come out and support your local football club.

CHILDMINDER NEEDED

Childminder required to mind three children in the children's own home. Two to three long days per week. Non-smoker. Commencing September. Contact Claire on 086-4057311.

PORTAL TEENAGE DISCO

19th August from 8pm to 11pm at Portarlington Community Centre.