



# 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

# MISSION MONTH

## MASS TIMES

### St. Paul's Church, Emo

7.30pm (Vigil – Saturday),  
11am Sunday

### Sacred Heart Church, Rath

9am Sunday

## SUNDAY 13<sup>TH</sup> OCTOBER, 2019 TWENTY EIGHT SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME YEAR 'C'

### ANNIVERSARIES - PORTARLINGTON

**Mon. 14<sup>th</sup> Oct. 10am** ---  
**Tues. 15<sup>th</sup> Oct. 10am** Eileen Haysham (nee Smith), Somerset, England & Kildare  
**Wed. 16<sup>th</sup> Oct. 10am** Stephen Ryan  
**Thurs. 17<sup>th</sup> Oct. 10am** Deceased members of Portarlington Credit Union  
**Fri. 18<sup>th</sup> Oct. 10am** John Dooley & his daughter Marie

### Saturday 12<sup>th</sup> October – 6.15pm

Eithne Hynan, Shandra (M.M.)  
Willie Slattery, St. Brigid's Square (11<sup>th</sup> Anniv.)  
Elizabeth Moore, St. Patrick's Tce. & her Son, Eddie Moore, Manchester; Sheila Creaven (nee Hanlon) & John Creaven, Gracefield & Galway; Ina Keenan, Gracefield; Michael (Mikie) Mangan, Ballymorris; John Joe Gorman

### Sunday 13<sup>th</sup> October – 12.15pm

Liam & Gerard Muldowney, Bog Road; Marie O'Brien, The Hawthorn; Olive Dunne, Cloneyhurke (21<sup>st</sup> Anniv.) & dec. members of the Dunne Family; Mai Byrne, Cloneyhurke James Murphy, Assumpta Terrace

### Saturday 19<sup>th</sup> October – 6.15pm

T.J. O'Neill, St. Joseph's Terrace (M.M.)  
Kathleen Higgins, Patrick St. (1<sup>st</sup> Anniv.)  
Larry McCann, Bishopswood  
Bernadette O'Reilly-Keogh; Patricia & Albert Haines; Thomas Flaherty; Christopher Gencairlii; John & Dinah Hehir; St. Joseph's Tce.; Mary & Joseph O'Reilly, Cushina

### Sunday 20<sup>th</sup> October – 12.15pm

Philomena (Ena) Gaffney, Main Street (M.M.)  
Maureen Weldon, Cushina (12<sup>th</sup> Anniv.)  
James & Josephine Nolan & dec. members of the Nolan Family, Walsh Island; Bernadette O'Reilly-Keogh

### ANNIVERSARIES - KILLENARD

### Sunday 13<sup>th</sup> October – 10.30am

Teresa (Tess) Whelehan, Corrig (M.M.)  
Bernard Tynan, Rathmiles House  
Pat Lawlor, Ballycarroll; Betty Moore, Springfield  
Stephen Kiernan, Rathleash (40<sup>th</sup> Anniv.);  
Patrick Murphy, Tierhogar (40<sup>th</sup> Anniv.)

### Sunday 20<sup>th</sup> October – 10.30am

Breda Fitzpatrick; Mark & Margaret Fitzpatrick, Tierhogar; John & Christina Whelehan; Michael Whelehan, Lea

### DECEASED

**Prayers are requested for the following:-**

**William (Billy) Murphy**, Bellgrove, Ballybrittas  
**Eileen Haysham (nee Smith)** Somerset UK & Kildare

**Mick Mangan**, Luggacurran & Timahoe  
(Brother of Pat & Joe Mangan)

### ANNIVERSARIES - EMO

### Saturday 12<sup>th</sup> October – 7.30pm

Una Mulhall, Cappakeel

### Sunday 13<sup>th</sup> October – 11am

Michael Lewis, Morette  
James & Ellen Lewis

### Saturday 19<sup>th</sup> October – 7.30pm

Peter Hyland, Emo Park  
Thomas & Mary Walsh, Emo Park

### ANNIVERSARIES - RATH

### Sunday 13<sup>th</sup> October – 9am

Patricia Greene, Courtwood

### Sunday 20<sup>th</sup> October – 9am

Liam Hogan, Jamestown  
Jimmy McLoughlin, Jamestown (10<sup>th</sup> Anniv.)



*We welcome into the Christian Community through Baptism*

### PORTARLINGTON PARISH

Cithre Connie Anna Geoghegan, Clonsast

Billy Karol Slattery, Cloneyquinn

### EMO PARISH

Éada Mary Mulhall, New Inn

### BLESSING OF THE GRAVES

Rosary & Blessing of the Graves will take place on Sun. 3<sup>rd</sup> November. Blessing will take place in Killenard after the 10.30am Mass & St. Michael's Cemetery, Portarlington at 3pm.

### FIRST HOLY COMMUNION 2020 MEETING WITH PARENTS/GUARDIANS



### Do This In Memory Programme

Meetings with Parents/Guardians as follows:

### Scoil Phádraig, Cuil an tSudaire,

### Canal Road

Wed. 16<sup>th</sup> October at 8pm in Scoil Phádraig.

### Presentation Primary School,

### Station Road

Thurs. 17<sup>th</sup> October at 8pm in Presentation Primary School, Station Road

### Scoil Naomh Eoin,

### Killenard

Wed. 23<sup>rd</sup> October at 8pm in Scoil Naomh Eoin

### Sacred Heart N.S.,

### Rath

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### LECTORS

### 19<sup>th</sup> / 20<sup>th</sup> October 2019

**Portarlington:** Sat. 6.15pm Catherine Finegan; Sun. 9am Sadie Hainsworth / 12.15pm Sinead Dunne

**Killenard:** Sun. 10.30am Maureen Molloy

**Emo:** Sat. 7.30pm Ellen Dunne /

Sun. 11am Frances Kerry

**Rath:** Sun. 9am Brian Nolan

### EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS

### 19<sup>th</sup> / 20<sup>th</sup> October 2019

**Portarlington** Team A

**Killenard** Team D

### MISSION MONTH

### October is Mission Month!

This year's theme, 'Together We Are Mission'. Next weekend our parish will celebrate World Mission Sunday. It's a way, chosen by Pope Francis, that gives support to those suffering within our Church family. On the 20<sup>th</sup>, every single parish worldwide will give what they can. It will be used to support overseas missionaries, many of whom work in some of the world's most impoverished communities. Annual collection for the propagation of the faith (Missions) will take place at all Masses on the weekend of 20<sup>th</sup> October. An envelope available in your development boxes or at the back of the Church. Your generosity is greatly appreciated. You can also donate by texting the word 'Mission' to 50300.

### READERS

### EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS



If you are interested in becoming a Eucharistic Minister or Reader in Portarlington, Killenard, Emo or Rath Churches, please see Volunteer Forms at the Church porches or in the Parish Office. Training will be provided.

### ANTIQUES & COLLECTABLES AUCTION

Sandy Lane National School Parents Council are holding an Antiques & Collectables Auction on Sunday October 20<sup>th</sup> at 3pm in the Parochial Hall, The Square, Portarlington. Viewing from 1pm. Entry Fee €5 to include Catalogue, Tea/coffee and refreshments.

## EXTRAORDINARY MONTH OF MISSION

### PRAYER

Heavenly Father,  
when your only begotten Son  
Jesus Christ rose from the dead,  
he commissioned his followers to  
'go and make disciples of all nations'  
and you remind us that through  
our Baptism we are made sharers  
in the mission of the Church.

Empower us by  
the gifts of the Holy Spirit to  
be courageous and zealous  
in bearing witness to the Gospel,  
so that the mission  
entrusted to the Church,  
which is still very far from completion,  
may find new and efficacious  
expressions that bring life and light  
to the world.

Help us make it possible for  
all people to experience the saving love and  
mercy of Jesus Christ,  
who lives and reigns with you  
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,  
One God, forever and ever.  
**AMEN**

### PORTARLINGTON TENNIS CLUB

Portarlington Tennis club will hold their  
Annual Presentation of Awards  
in the clubhouse on Friday 25<sup>th</sup> October  
at 7.30pm. Parents and friends of Award  
winners are invited to attend. All Junior Awards  
are sponsored by Portarlington Credit Union.

### EMO/RATH PARISH LOTTO

**7<sup>th</sup> Oct. 2019 – Numbers 4, 8, 13, 17**

No Jackpot winner. €25 to each of the  
following:- Ursula Dunne, C/o Parish Office;  
Barry Clegg C/o Maeve; Colette Behan Snr. C/o  
Colette / Tara O'Regan C/o Mena; Pat & Bernie  
C/o Emo Shop - **Next Jackpot €3,200**

### COMPUTER TRAINING

Computer Training on a 1-1 basis from  
beginners to Advanced. All ages catered for.  
Choose Email, Internet, Skype, Facebook,  
Booking Tickets, Holidays ,Shopping, Using  
IPads, Tablets, Iphones, Messenger, Viber,  
Whatsapp, Memory Sticks, Music, Photos,  
Word, Excel etc Contact 086-3034540

### YOGA CLASSES

#### Ongoing Yoga classes

€50 for five weeks or single payment for first  
class. Join at any time. In Portarlington  
Community Centre. Bring a mat, blanket & wear  
comfortable clothing. Phone Edel on  
086-3656209 www.yoga-clare.com

### PORTARLINGTON LEISURE CENTRE

Now booking for our Halloween Camps.  
Call reception on 057-8645800 to make your  
booking now! Limited places in each level.

### RAINBOWS PROGRAMME

The Rainbow Programme for Primary School  
children of the parish aged 7-13 years will  
commence in the Presentation Primary School,  
Station Road on Mon. 4<sup>th</sup> November from  
2.45pm – 3.45pm and every Monday at the  
same time. The programme consists of nine  
sessions, one session weekly. Rainbows is a  
support programme for children who have  
experienced death, separation or are struggling  
through a painful experience. If you are  
interested in finding out more information or to  
have your child or children take part in this  
programme, contact Ursula on 057-8623007.  
Application forms are available from the  
school reception.

(Mon. to Fri. 9am–2.30pm school hours).

## GRINDS

Grinds available for Primary School students  
– All subjects catered for. All levels.  
Contact Rebecca on 086-2673386.

### PORTARLINGTON CHRISTMAS TREE

#### Annual Door to Door Collections

The annual door to door collection in aid  
of Portarlington Christmas Tree is taking  
place over the next few weeks.  
All contributions gratefully appreciated.

### O' DEMPSEY'S LOTTO

Lotto Results 07/10/2019. Numbers were:  
05,17,20,28. No Jackpot winner this week.  
Match 3 winner's were Ciaran Gallagher, Anne &  
Mick Kehoe, Dave Ryan. Promoter - Richard  
Slevin. Next week's Jackpot: €15,000. Thanks  
for your continued support of our weekly Lotto.

### BABY MASSAGE CLASS

Next course starting Monday 4<sup>th</sup> November  
2019, and the following 3 Mondays, 11<sup>th</sup>, 18<sup>th</sup> &  
25<sup>th</sup> November 2019 from 10am to 11.30am at  
Yogaland Studio Portarlington. Booking  
essential. For more details contact:  
Catriona 086-8890005"

### AGM BANRION GAELS CAMOGIE CLUB

AGM will take place Fri. 18<sup>th</sup> Oct. at 8pm.  
The meeting will take place upstairs in the Anvil  
Inn. All very welcome to attend.

### TABLE QUIZ

PCDA fundraiser table quiz takes place in the  
Hawthorn Bar on Friday Oct. 25<sup>th</sup> at 8.30pm.  
Table of 4-€40. To book a table contact the Love  
Port office at 0858568801 or  
mail [info@portarlington.ie](mailto:info@portarlington.ie). All proceeds in  
support of local Community Projects by the  
Portarlington Community Development  
Association.

### ANTHONY MC GORIAN – IRISH TENOR

New C.D. "Yours is my Heart  
Alone" – A selection of romantic  
classics.

C.D. on sale in the Parish Office  
– Price €10



### KEYS LOST

Bunch of keys lost – Portarlington town area.  
Last week. If found, contact the Parish Office.

### CHILDMINDER WANTED

Family in Killenard looking for experienced, kind,  
reliable, non-smoking childminder to look after  
their two boys aged 3 and 8 months. Childcare  
needed from 8am – 6pm Mon. to Fri. with the  
option to mind in children's home or both.

Includes playschool drop-off / collect in  
Portarlington so own car essential. References  
needed. Phone 087-9841399.

### UPCOMING EVENTS AT MOUNT ST ANNE'S, KILLENARD, PORTARLINGTON

#### Celtic Spirituality from an Irish Perspective with Sr. Trinita Laffan pbvm

Wed. & Thurs. 23<sup>rd</sup> & 24<sup>th</sup> Oct. Exploring the  
origins of Celtic Spirituality, Celtic & pre-Celtic  
festivals & questions re: Celtic Spirituality Cost:  
€120 non-residential (incl. lunch each day)  
9.30am – 4pm each day.

#### The Accompanied Journey Inwards with John Doherty

Mon., Tues., & Wed. 28<sup>th</sup>, 29<sup>th</sup> & 30<sup>th</sup> Oct.  
When we speak of the 'inner journey' we are  
talking about becoming self-aware. Prayer,  
mindfulness, meditation, reflection, teaching &  
experiential exercises involved. Cost: €180  
non-residential (includes lunch each day)  
9.30am – 4pm each day.

Further details & booking from Catherine on 057-  
8626153 / Email: [secretary@mountstannes.com](mailto:secretary@mountstannes.com)

## SUAIMHNEAS CAPPAKEEL

**Centering Prayer Wed. 7.30-8.30pm €5**  
**Meditation & Prayer Thurs. 3.30-4.30pm**  
**Mindfulness Meditation: Every Thurs.**

7.30-8.30pm. These evenings give  
participants an opportunity to practice  
different approaches to meditation. Cost €5.  
**Contemplating the Rosary  
in the Light of Creation**

This is an opportunity for us to meditate  
on Mysteries of the Rosary in the context  
of all creation.

*Joyful & sorrowful mysteries.*

20<sup>th</sup> Oct. 3-5pm. Cost €5.

*Glorious & Luminous Mysteries.*

27<sup>th</sup> Oct. 3-5pm. Cost €5

Further information on courses for the  
Autumn season [www.suaimhneas.ie](http://www.suaimhneas.ie)  
Phone 057-8626541 to book any courses.

### PORTARLINGTON CREDIT UNION DAY Thursday 17<sup>th</sup> October, 2019

On Thurs. 17<sup>th</sup> Oct., Irish Credit Unions will  
join credit unions in other communities  
around the world to celebrate International  
Credit Union Day. Mass for the deceased  
members will be held in St Michaels Church  
at 10am. Please call down on Thurs.  
17<sup>th</sup> between 10.30-2pm to celebrate with  
us. Refreshments served / prizes to give  
away. Members Cash Draw at 12 noon  
(with €19,000 in prizes). Looking forward to  
seeing you all there.

### KNOCKBEG COLLEGE OPEN NIGHT

Knockbeg College 'Open Night' Friday 18<sup>th</sup>  
Oct. from 4-7pm. It gives both parents and  
their sons an opportunity to explore our  
newly developed campus in its scenic  
surroundings. Principal, Michael Carew, will  
give his address in the sports hall at 5.30pm,  
with refreshments served.

### EMO ACTIVE RETIREMENT GROUP

Emo Active Retirement members will hold  
their weekly meeting on Tuesday 15<sup>th</sup> Oct. at  
8pm in the Old school. The main item of the  
night will be a talk and demonstration on  
saving money whilst preventing waste.  
Waste prevention is a topical subject at the  
moment and should be very interesting.

### CAKE SALE

A cake sale will take place next weekend in  
aid of Alzheimer's Society. Call into the  
'Girls Old School' (Beside Fr. Noonan's  
house), after 9am & 12.15pm Mass on Sun.  
20<sup>th</sup> October and buy some lovely cakes &  
buns. All proceeds to Alzheimer's Ireland.

### ARLINGTON SOCCER CLUB LOTTO

Draw held 1<sup>st</sup> Oct. Jackpot winners:C,V,L,S  
No Jackpot winner. €25 to Colin Doyle &  
Ann Molloy. Sellers prize Colin Doyle.  
Next draw will take place in the Barrow  
Lodge on 15<sup>th</sup> Oct. Jackpot €10,000

### MARY BYRNE IN CONCERT

Mary Byrne will be singing all the hits from  
the 60's & the musicals on Fri. 25<sup>th</sup> Oct.  
2019 in Portarlington Golf Club,  
commencing 8pm. Special guests:  
Portarlington Golf Club Choir. Sub. €15.

### RATH LADIES CLUB



On Mon. next, 14<sup>th</sup> Oct. Carmel McLoughlin  
from Abbey Nurseries in Stradbally will host  
an Autumn Flower Arrangements for Tubs &  
Baskets Time 8.30pm – Venue Fisherman's  
Pub. Flowers are also available for sale on  
the night. All welcome.