

TULLOW BINGO

Bingo every Thursday night at 8.30 p.m. in Murphy Memorial Hall. **Hickson's Supervalu Jackpot** next week is €400.

Notice is hereby given that the Annual General Meeting of Tullow Community Group CLG - Community Employment Scheme will be held on Monday 20th May at 7 pm. in Tullow Parish Centre. All are welcome.

Line Dancing Class

plus Tango and Box Waltz every Tuesday morning in Tullow Parish Centre from 11 - 12.30 pm. Waltz, Jive, Foxtrot, Slow Waltz and Line Dancing Class in Tullow Parish Centre every Thursday evening from 8 - 9.30 p.m. Beginners and Advanced welcome.

Big Hello will be held on Monday May 6th (Bank Holiday) from 10.30 a.m. to 12 noon in Tullow Parish Centre. Please come along for coffee, tea and a chat. There will also be music from 2.30—4.00 p.m. All welcome.

The AGM of Carlow Region Pioneers

will be held in the Parish Centre on Saturday 27th April after the 7.30 p.m. Mass in The Church of The Most Holy Rosary.

Tullow R.F.C. Dinner Dance

will be held on Friday 3rd May in Mount Wolseley Hotel. Music by B Sharps. Tickets €45. Tickets will be available from Eddie Horkan 087 9104800 or Mary O'Neill 087 6237758.

Room available for Rent in the Tullow area. Phone 085 1480543.

WANTED: piano lessons for two boys, piano available in the home, also willing to travel local for lessons. Contact Trish on 086 1697648

Tullow Active Retirement

Autumn break to Westport 6th-11th October, 5 nights to include 3 days touring on 1/2 board basis. €295 pps. For further information contact Jim 086 1200466.

Tullow Active Retirement

Croke Pk - 30th April, Church Carpark at 9.30am. **Trade & Tourism Show**-5th June free coach/Church Carpark. All monies outstanding should be handed into Jim on Wednesday 17th between 2-4pm in Captain Murphy Memorial Hall. Contact Jim 086 1200466 or Joe 086 3504351

LOST: Gold Chain, phone 087 6956010.

THANK YOU: Mary Healy and Marie Healy and their team of volunteers would like to say a sincere thank you to the people and businesses of Tullow and surrounding areas for their tremendous support on Daffodil Day last month. At total of €8,130 was collected on the day and from a raffle and at the coffee morning in the Tara Arms and in SignaCare Nursing Home, Killlerig earlier in the month.

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TULLOW, GRANGE AND ARDATTIN PARISH NEWSLETTER

21st April, 2019.

Easter Sunday

We are a resurrection people

Easter time and not Christmas time is the highest, holiest, and most important time of the year. *Pope Benedict XVI* says:- The Christian faith stands or falls with the truth of the testimony that Christ is risen from the dead.

The Resurrection is everything for the Christian. Without it we would be nothing and the Christian faith itself would be dead.

Jesus would be a failed religious leader, who despite his failure remains great and can cause us to reflect. But he would then remain purely human, and his authority would extend only so far as his message is of interest to us.

In other words, we would be alone.

Only if Jesus is risen has anything really new occurred that changes the world and the situation of humankind. For then, God has been truly revealed in the Risen Christ.

Every blessing to all over this Easter season and once again thank you to all for your continued support and prayers.

PLEASE PRAY FOR John Doyle, Monaughrim who died recently.
MONTHS MIND MASS for Kay Brophy, Ardattin, today Sunday 21st April at 10am in Ardattin Church.

ANNIVERSARY MASS for Andy & Mary Dreelan, Craans today Sunday 21st April at 10.00 a.m. in Ardattin Church.

ANNIVERSARY MASS for John Quigley, Rathvarrin, today Sunday 21st April at 10am in Ardattin Church.

ANNIVERSARY MASSES FOR SATURDAY 27TH APRIL, 7.30 P.M.

James Dundon, 33 Hillbrook Estate. Anthony (Ted) O'Neill, 2 Station Road. Laurence O'Brien, Castledermot Road. James & Elizabeth Holden, Ouragh. Kathleen Roche, The Course. Madge McMahon, 27 Pairc Mhuire. Oliver McCarthy, 6 Courtlawns. Ned Canavan, Knocklow. Mick Norris, 25 St. Austins Terrace.

ANNIVERSARY MASS for Peg Murphy Grange next Sunday 28th April at 9.00 a.m. in Grange Church.

ANNIVERSARY MASS for Philip Kealy, Rathglass next Sunday 28th April at 10.00 a.m. in Ardattin Church.

MONTHS MIND MASS for Michael Clowry, Tullowhill next Sunday 28th April at 11.00 a.m. in Tullow Church.

EASTER COLLECTION

Please use your special envelope marked "Easter Collection" this weekend.
Thank you for your continued support and generosity.

A Professional Cleaning and Polishing of the brass altar candle holders, crosses, sanctuary lamp holders etc. in all three churches is being undertaken. A number of parishioners have expressed an interest in making a donation towards the work. Any donation is very welcome, and can be handed in at the parish office or passed on to Sr. Elizabeth or Fr. Andy. Thank You!

Annual Commemoration

at Thomas Traynor Memorial will be held today Easter Sunday at 3pm
All are Welcome!

Monday is a Bank Holiday.
Mass at 12 noon.

There will be NO Mass on Wednesday morning 24th April. Instead there will be **Liturgy of the Word with Holy Communion** at 9.30 a.m.

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The Ardattin Fundraisers Annual Amble FUN FAMILY WALK

will take place today Easter Sunday at 3 p.m. to raise funds for Carlow/Kilkenny Homecare Team. Registration by donation from 2.30 p.m. in Ardattin Hall. Refreshments after the walk in The Hall as well as surprises for all the children taking part.

Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes August 1st-6th

There are still places available for any parishioners who would like to travel. All pilgrims from Tullow parish will be staying at the Panorama Hotel. Booking forms at Tullow Parish Community Centre.

BLOOD DONATION CLINIC

will be held in Tullow Community School next Wednesday 24th April
from 4.30 p.m.—8.00 p.m.

Cake Sale/Coffee Morning

Bethany House staff in conjunction with ASI Annual Tea Day are holding a huge cake sale and Tea/Coffee morning on Sunday 28th April after mass at 11.30 a.m. in Tullow Parish Community Centre. Please come along and support us in raising funds for support services for families in our community living with Dementia/Alzheimers Disease.

Concert in Tynock Church

Rathvilly Kiltegan Parish will host the Celtic Brothers featuring the Willoughbys in Concert on Saturday 27th April at 8 p.m. in Tynock Church. Tickets are €20. Door prize: €10. Tickets are available from Rathvilly Parish Office on 059 9161114 or 087 2408367 or 087 2668300.

The following courses will be held in Tullow Parish Community Centre

CALM TIME: Starting on Wednesday 1st May at 7.30 p.m.

BALANCING ACT: Starting on Thursday night 9th May at 7.30 p.m.

CONFIDENT YOU: Starting on Wednesday morning 8th May at 10.30 a.m.

Contact Teresa Byrne on 083 3568696.

Parish Tax Reclaim Forms will be sent out during the next few weeks. If you have received one, we would ask you to return the completed form to the Parish Office as soon as you can. Thanks to your generosity and co-operation, the parish will receive a tax refund from the Revenue Commissioners. This scheme is totally confidential.

Tullow Parish Community Centre. Phone: 059 9151277.