

St. Patrick's Athletic Club has recommenced training. Training every Friday evening at 7.30 p.m. in the Community School Gym. All are welcome.

St. Anne's Ladies/Girls Football training every Sunday morning at 11.30 a.m. at Bro Leo Park for U11s, 12s, 14s. Training Tuesday evenings at 6.40 p.m. for U16s and U18's. U16s play Ballon/Newtown today Sunday 13th March at 11.30 in Bro Leo Park. It is very important that we have parent participation and support. We would appreciate any help in training sessions, match transport and secretarial support.

Active Retirement

Trip to Rathvilly Garden Centre on 24th March. Bus will leave Tullow Day Care Centre at 4 p.m.

FASHION SHOW in aid of Tullow Rugby Club will be held in Mt. Wolseley on Tuesday 22nd March. Tickets €10. *(All tickets for cancelled show will be honoured).* Contact any committee member.

Turkey Holiday, twin room, 14 nights. €463. Phone 059 6481722.

RATHOE CHILDCARE

Enrolments now taking place for September 2011, preschool and after school places available. ECCE Scheme. Phone 086 1627010.

LOVE TO LEARN: Is your child having difficulty with reading, spelling or maths? Learning should be fun, easy and stress free. Call Jane now on 086 3939197.

THANK YOU: Tullow Youth Project would like to thank Hicksons Supervalu and all their customers who supported their recent bag pack. €1,328 was raised.

FLOWER DEMONSTRATION

The Flower demonstration that was to take place on Friday 3rd December, 2010 will now be held on Friday 25th March in Tullow Parish Centre in aid of Tullow Day Care Centre.

YOGA CLASS with Deirdre O'Connor starting on Monday March 14—April 18th 8.00—9.30 p.m. in Teach Bhride. Phone 086 2510856.

Tullow Singers and Scoil Mhuire Lourdes.

The concert which was cancelled at Christmas will now take place on Sunday **March 27th** in Church of the Most Holy Rosary, Tullow at 8 p.m. Tickets €10 each, available from the School or the Parish Centre. All tickets for cancelled concert will be honoured.

REQUIRED: Leaving Cert Honours French Grinds required in the Tullow area. Phone 087 9673337.

TULLOW GOLF SOCIETY will have their first outing of the season on Sunday 20th March to Gowran Park Golf Club. Tee-times are from 12 noon—1 p.m. All members are asked to support this event. Visitors are welcome to attend. To put your name on the Time-Sheet contact Sean Nolan on 086 0678258. Please note starting change of starting time.

USED CLOTHING COLLECTION will be held next Wednesday 16th March in Tullow, Grange and Ardattin Car Parks before 12 noon.

COTTAGE TO RENT

(3 Bedrooms). Walking distance of Tullow. Phone 087 2523285.

Kind, reliable young lady available for childminding, housekeeping or office cleaning. Phone. 087 9963533.

TULLOW, GRANGE & ARDATTIN PARISH NEWSLETTER

13th March, 2011. First Sunday of Lent.

Celebrating our Faith

Lord our God,

Thank you for the precious gift of faith
you have planted deep within us.

Thank you for your living, loving presence
among us in our faith community.

Help us to continue to support and encourage
one another on our pilgrim journey,
always remembering that:

*"Nothing can ever come between us
and the love of God made visible in Jesus Christ"*

ANNIVERSARIES

PLEASE PRAY FOR Breda Costigan Byrne, Carlow Road and Veronica Norton, Rathglass who died recently.

MONTHS MIND MASS for Bríd Rooney, Tankardstown today Sunday 13th March at 11.30 a.m.

ANNIVERSARIES FOR FRIDAY 18TH MARCH, 7.30 p.m.

Matthew Rossiter, Bishop Street. Jim Horan and the Pryce family, St. Austins. Imelda Nolan, Tankardstown and parents Thomas and Ellen, Templeowen. Bill & Mary Hennessy, Fenagh. Christine Pugh & daughter Annette Walker, Tullow. Michael & Brigid Berry, Carlow Road. Nancy Donnelly, Church Street. Brian Hanley, Pairc Mhuire. William Matthews, Thomas Traynor Road and James and Georgie Matthews, Thomas Traynor Road. Kathleen Hennessy, Paulville. Thomas Goodison and deceased family members, Pairc Mhuire. Margaret & Joseph Nicholson, New Chapel Lane. Rose Gorman, 8 Rathsillan, Tullow. James Doyle, Castledermot Road. James & Mary Carroll, Ardoyne. The Quinn family, Ardoyne. Deceased members of the Dawson family, Crosslow. Michael Keegan, Crosslow. Nora McNamara, Courtlawns. James & Margaret Murphy, John Street. Michael Flynn, John Street. Liam & Brigid O'Leary, The Course. Dick Dempsey, Hillbrook Estate.

FIRST ANNIVERSARY MASS for Laurence Canavan, Crosslow next Sunday 20th March at 11.30 a.m.

IRISH CATHOLIC FOR SALE: €1.30.

**MASSES FOR THE
FEAST OF ST. PATRICK**

TULLOW: Wednesday 16th March:
7.30 p.m. Thursday: 8.00 a.m. and
11.30 a.m. (*The 11.30 a.m. Mass will be
celebrated as gaeilge.*)

GRANGE: 9.30 a.m.

ARDATTIN: 10.30 a.m.

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

Intentions for Tuesday 15th and Wednes-
day 16th March. That as we celebrate the
feast of our national patron, St. Patrick,
we may commit ourselves anew to pass-
ing on to future generations all that is best
in our faith, and in our heritage.

CLONFERT: *A day of prayer for healing
will be held in Emmanuel House of Providence, Clon-
fert on **Saturday 26th March:** Speakers: Fr. Mi-
chael Kennedy and Eddie Stone. Bus departs Church
Car Park at 8 a.m. sharp via Killerig Cross, Closh
Stores and bus stop Barrack Street, Carlow. Bring
packed lunch. To book a seat phone Lily on 059
9151245.*

TULLOW BINGO

Every Thursday night at 8.30 p.m. in
Murphy Memorial Hall. Hickson's jack-
pot will be €580 next week.

ST PATRICK'S DAY PARADE

(D.T.A Ltd.) St. Patrick's Day Parade Committee annual parade will take place in Tullow on Thurs-
day 17th March commencing a 2.30 p.m. Please note that the parade this year will commence at
Dublin Road/Pairc Mhuire and proceed down the town and finish on the Fair Green, Tullow. Per-
petual Trophy and cash prize for best window display. Prizes for floats, also individual prizes.
Junior Disco in the Murphy Memorial Hall, Tullow 3.15 to 5.00 p.m.

Volunteers needed to help with stewarding on the day. Contact Laz Murphy on 059 9151316.

OPEN MEETING

Local Parishes working together in Pastoral Areas and Sharing the Lord's Mission

Following on from the meeting held last September, you are very welcome to come a
meeting on **Thursday 24th March in the Parish Centre at 8 p.m.**

At the meeting we will hear what people said across the diocese in September. We will
also look ahead to some things that we could concretely begin or continue to do with our
neighbouring parishes of Clonmore, Ballon and Clonegal.

Please consider coming to this important meeting for the parish.

NEWSLETTER DEADLINE for
next week is Wednesday 16th March at
12 noon.

SCRIPTURE SHARING BOOKLETS FOR LENT
now on sale in the Parish Centre. €2.50

VOLUNTEERS needed to be collectors
in Ardattin Church. Please give your
name into the Sacristy or to any member
of the Parish team or phone Parish Office
on 9151277.

EASTER STATIONS: Please use
your special envelope "**EASTER STA-
TIONS.**" Thank you.

SERVERS FOR THE COMING WEEK
GROUP 4 BOYS

Calvin Condrón, Marshall Condrón
Gregory Phelan, Charlie Ward.
James Doyle, Dean Brown.

GROUPS FOR SUNDAY
8.30 a.m. James Doyle, Dean
Brown.

11.30 a.m. Calvin Condrón, Mar-
shall Condrón, Gregory Phelan.

COLLECTIONS
Offertory: €1,126. Development:
€2,055. Many thanks.

**TULLOW PARISH
PILGRIMAGE TO LOURDES**

6th July, 2011—5 nights.

Return on 11th July. Full Board. €759.
(Single Room supplement €150).
Hotel Padoue.

Spiritual Leader: Fr. Andy Leahy.

Booking forms available from
Tullow Parish Centre
or phone Tully's Travel on 059 9136100.

CHURCH GATE COLLECTION on
Saturday and Sunday 19th and 20th March
in aid of World Youth Day. Please sup-
port.

St. Joseph's Young Priests Society

The annual cake sale and raffle will be
held in the Parish Centre after morning
Mass on Wednesday 16th March. Refresh-
ments will be served. Donations of cakes
etc. would be greatly appreciated.

ARDATTIN DRAMA GROUP

will hold 2 One Act Plays
on March 12th and 13th
in Ardattin Hall at 8 p.m.
"The Marriage Plan and A Bit of Land"

ACTIVE RETIREMENT

Day trip on Wednesday 23rd March to
Airfield House Urban Farm and Gardens.
Phone Bernie in the Resource Centre for
further information. 059 9152776.

HOLIDAY TO DONEGAL

11-15th April staying at the
Great Northern Hotel.
€255 based on 5 days (4 nights)
To book your name contact Bernie
on 059 9152776 or 059 9152044.

THANK YOU: Thanks to all who sup-
ported the Church Gate Collection in aid
of Carlow Multiple Sclerosis Society.
€1,500 was collected. Also thank you to
Supervalu, Tullow.

PILATES CLASS in aid of County
Carlow Hospice. Run by trained physio-
therapists every evening at 7 p.m. in Car-
low Shamrock Plaza for the forty nights
of Lent (starting on Wednesday 9th
March) No charge. **Donations to
County Carlow Hospice.**

INVITATION TO YOUNG PEOPLE

Would you like to join a group to sing at
Mass in the Parish Church? If interested
please ring Ciara on 086 8446030

CONCERT in aid of four local charities: Day
Care Centre, Active Retirement, Girls
Friendly Society and Cairdeas in Mt Wolseley
on Wednesday 27th April featuring the Davitt
Showband and local artists. Tickets available
from the four charities. Donation: €10.

Email: tullowparish@eircom.net

Tullow Parish Community Centre. Phone: 059 9151277. Fax: 059 9151624.