

MEDITATION CLASS every Thursday in Tullow Parish Centre from 7—8 p.m. Phone Anita on 086 8125187.

TULLOW BINGO

every Thursday night at 8.30 p.m. in Murphy Memorial Hall. Hickson's jackpot will be €860 next week.

Tullow Tennis Club would like to thank all those who attended our very successful Open Day. It is evident that there is great support for this venture. A public sod turning will take place on Saturday 2nd July at 11 a.m. and all are welcome. Three all weather courts will be completed in September. Membership details are available by logging on to tullowtennis.com or contact Donnacha on 0868239068. Car draw tickets available.

Agricultural Tour to Spain:

6th September Visiting Madrid, Toledo and Costa Blanca. Agricultural visits include farms, food market, Co-op etc. Tour is for 9 days.

Accommodation: Four Star Hotels. Cost: €949 plus €96 Tax. For info. Contact Eamon Dalton, Rath, Tullow on 087 9090529. To book a place contact: **The Travel Department: 01 6371600.**

Thank You: The Board of Management of Scoil Phadraig Naofa, Tullow wishes to thank the Parents Association for their donation of €2,000 (the proceeds of their fundraising this year). This amount has been credited to our Computer Account.

Skinrgize Beauty Salon: Bernadette Byrne Skin specialist, massage and beauty therapist invites you to the official opening of Skinrgize Beauty Salon on Thursday 30th June at Radharc-Na-Glenna, Killerig Carlow between 6 p.m. and 9 p.m. For further information phone Bernie on 087 6255968.

Active Retirement: Trip to Rathwood on Thursday 30th June. Bus will leave Church Car Park at 4.00 p.m. Thank You.

Tullow Golfing Society: Outing to Killerig Golf Club on 1st July. Tee Off time: 4.30 p.m. Ring or text 087 7638731. Visitors welcome

HOUSE FOR RENT in the Rise, Tullow. Ring Willie on 086 2454289.

CLEANER AVAILABLE. Mature, reliable cleaner available. Phone 087 6649665.

BEGINNERS SPANISH CLASSES

starting in the Parish Centre, Tullow on Tuesday 28th June from 7—8 p.m. 8 week course €100. All welcome. Contact Joelyn on 086 1709058 or email joelynbrown@gmail.com

THANK YOU: Yvonne & Danielle would like to thank all who sponsored them for the mini marathon and also to those who supported their Bric-a-brac. Amount raised for St. Luke's Hospital, Dublin was €1,000.

RATHOE CHILDCARE SUMMER CAMP

is now taking enrolments for its summer camp. Camp start date is 4th July 2011 and the camp will run for 7 weeks. For more information phone 086 1627010.

TULLOW, GRANGE & ARDATTIN PARISH NEWSLETTER

26th June, 2011. The Body and Blood of Christ.

"I am the living bread which has come down from heaven"

Lord Jesus,

You were sent by the Father
to gather together those who are scattered.
You came among us, doing good and
bringing healing,
announcing the Word of salvation
and giving the Bread which lasts forever.
Be our companion on life's pilgrim way.

May you Holy Spirit inflame our hearts,
enliven our hope and open our minds,
so that together with our sisters and
brothers in faith
we may recognise you in the Scriptures
and in the breaking of bread.
May your holy Spirit transform us into one body
and lead us to walk humbly on the earth,
in justice and love,
as witnesses of your resurrection.

ANNIVERSARIES ANNIVERSARY MASSES FOR FRIDAY 1ST JULY 2011

Eileen Lonergan, John Street. Robert & Mary Healy & daughter Jill, Rathnure. Jim Fields, Rathbawn. John Farrell, Roscatt. William & Annie Redmond, Ferns. Brendan McCall Junior, Rathbawn. Margaret O'Leary, Courtlawns. Ann & Edward Lawlor, Shillelagh Road. Elizabeth & Laurence O'Toole, 12 Castledermot Road. Herbert Finlayson, Barrack Street.

IRISH CATHOLIC FOR SALE: €1.30.

SERVICE OF REMEMBRANCE FOR OUR DEAD

St. Patrick's Cemetery on Sunday 10th July at 1.00 p.m.

The 7.30 vigil Mass, 8.30 a.m. and 11.30 a.m. mass that weekend will be offered for all deceased buried in cemeteries in Tullow.

Parish Pastoral Council

Meeting on Tuesday 28th June at 8 p.m. in Parish Centre.

SUNDAY 26TH JUNE: The National Eucharistic Congress will be marked in the Cathedral of the Assumption, Carlow with a Special Evening Prayer at 4 p.m. followed by a Eucharistic Procession and concluding with Benediction. All welcome.

HOUSEBOUND OF THE PARISH

will be attended this week.
Fr. Andy will visit on Thursday 30th June and Friday 1st July.
Fr. Brendan will visit on Friday 1st July.

Youth 2000 Summer Festival.

Clonmacnois, Co. Offaly, Thursday 4th—Sunday 7th August, 2011. For young people age 16—35, an opportunity not to be missed to experience the Catholic faith and meet many new friends. Donation only. Free buses available from around the country. For more information phone 085 8289231 or 01 6753690.

St. Padre Pio Pilgrimage 2011.

August 8th for 7 nights. €895 per person sharing. Group leader: Mr. Brendan Byrne accompanied by spiritual director Monsignor Brendan Byrne. Contact Brendan on 059 9152666.

SERVERS FOR THE COMING WEEK

GROUP 2 Girls

Katie Brennan, Edele Maher.
Sinead Chapman, Andrea Cooper.
Ciara Murphy, Megan Scannell.

GROUPS FOR SUNDAY

8.30 a.m. Edele Maher, Sinead Chapman & Megan Scannell.
11.30 a.m. Katie Brennan, Andrea Cooper & Ciara Murphy.

SOLEMN NOVENA continues in Graiguecullen this Monday 20th June. Guest Speaker will be Liam Burke, Cancer Survivor & Concern volunteer. The Rosary will be recited at 7.10 and Mass begins at 7.30 p.m.

COLLECTIONS

Offertory: €1,115. Development: €1,905.
Many thanks.

TROCAIRE would like to thank the people of Tullow Parish for their most generous Lenten donation of €8,743. Thanks also for your loyal and generous support.

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

Intentions for Tuesday 28th June and Wednesday 29th June: That the Holy Spirit may bring forth from our communities numerous missionary vocations, willing to fully consecrate themselves to spreading the kingdom of God.

'The True You Communities'

1 Day Workshop

Saturday 2nd July at Teach Bhride,
Tullow from 10 a.m.—5.00 p.m.

Cost €75.

This workshop is open to anyone who wants to improve their communication skills regardless of their experience. So join us for a day of growth, connection, laughter, tears and breakthroughs. For enquiries phone Claire on 087 9235552.

ALZHEIMERS: Volunteers needed to bag pack in Tesco, Carlow in aid of the Alzheimer's on Thursday 30th June and Friday 1st July. Contact Caroline on 087 9126555.

INVITATION: Past-pupils of Knockbeg College, Carlow are invited to attend a ceremony to mark the closing of the boarding school on Saturday July 9th at 1.00 p.m. Former pupils of every generation will be most welcome as the end of an era is honoured. From September, the college continues on as a day school only.

TOTS TO TEENS

Community Childcare Facility will be holding an out of school service for the summer months from Monday 4th July to Wednesday 31st August. Lots of fun, games and activities to be had. Places are limited. For further details phone 059 9180942.

Tots to Teens are holding a used clothes collection on 7th July at noon. If anyone has any unwanted clothes please drop them to the facility between 9.30 and noon on the day. The clothes will be weighed and for every 10kg bag of clothes we receive the facility will receive €4. Among the items are the following: new and used men's, women's and children's clothing, shoes, belts, handbags, ties, linens, household textiles, stuffed toys etc. Also mobile phones can be collected once placed in a separate bag. For each mobile phone received we will get €3.50. All proceeds will go towards our outdoor areas and equipment.

J. J. Kavanagh & Sons: 5 day Coach Tour to Donegal. Four places remaining. Contact Martin Coady: 0862661655

St. John's Child Cancer Unit Our Lady's Hospital Crumlin and Barretstown 50 km Cycle

from Ferrycarrig to Tullow
on September 18th at 11 a.m.

Your support is greatly appreciated and all funds raised go to Barretstown and Our Lady Hospital Crumlin (Cancer Unit).

If you would like to take part or make a donation please contact
John Lucas on 087 6259763,
Matt O'Reilly 087 2344928,
Ronan Jackman 087 9151297
or Eamon Dowling on 087 7923252.

Bizzy Kids Preschool in Ardattin: Now taking bookings for September 2011. Free preschool. Fully qualified and experienced staff. All staff have Garda vetting, child Protection and First Aid. Contact Nuala for information or to arrange a viewing on: 059 9155599/0851172507.

Email: tullowparish@eircom.net

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