

Confessions: Every Saturday-6.15pm-6.45pm in St. Brigid's Church,Portumna

Adoration: 2.00pm-7.00pm every Thursday & Friday.

NB: Mobile Number on Parish Calendar is incorrect-it should read 087-6227468 as on weekly newsletter.

NB: All Pamphlets/Notices for display at back of Church MUST be cleared by Parish Office.

NB: 1st Friday Calls for September will be on the previous day Thursday.

NB:PLEASE NOTE: When there is a Funeral Mass during the week, there will be NO REGULAR MASS on that day. If there is an Intention it will be offered at the funeral mass.

Trocaire-Urgent Appeal Collection: Extra collection on 23rd July last amounted to €2313.00. A fantastic response to those in need.

Portumna Town Hall Committee: NB: Church Gate Collection for **Roof Restoration Fund** will take place this week-end. All support appreciated. Dig deep for our Community.

Portumna Irish Red Cross: Annual Church Gate Collection will take place next week-end 26th & 27th August.

Lost/Found: A set of keys found Tuesday last outside St. Brigid's Church. Please contact Parish Office.

Abbey Cemetery Mass: On Tuesday 15th Aug.2017 @7pm. A contribution towards the upkeep of the cemetery will be collected at the entrance gate.

World Meeting of Families: National Launch of World Meeting of Families at Knock Shrine will take place on Mon. 21st Aug. @3pm. All Welcome. Volunteers for the event can go on line for information-www.worldmeeting2018.ie.

Tus: Those interested in applying for a Tus position must be in receipt of Job Seekers Allowance and be 12mths unemployed. For further information please contact Yvonne Hoary-087-7113029 or e-mail-yhoary@grd.ie

Handel's Messiah-Knock Shrine: RTE Concert Orchestra present Handel's Messiah conducted by Proinnsias O'Duinn and presented by Liz Nolan -RTE Lyric FM at Knock Basilica on Sat. 18th November @7.30pm. Tickets now available at www.knockmessiah.com & at the Witness to Hope Office Knock Shrine & Downtown Records, Castlebar & Westport.

St. Vincent de Paul Loughrea: Brunch in aid of St. Vincent de Paul,Loughrea in Rooftop Garden,Lough Rea Hotel & Spa,Loughrea on Sat. 19th Aug.-10.30am-1.00pm. Tickets €10.00 available from members of SVP,Lough Rea Hotel & Spa & Staunton's,Main St. Loughrea

Portumna GAA Lotto: No winner last week-end. Numbers drawn were 6,16,17,20.

Two people matched three numbers-Michael Kelly & Sean Eoghan Zac & Joe Lynch. Each receive €50.00. Current Jackpot is €6,700.00. Well done to Galway Minor & Galway Senior Hurling Teams on 2 great performances on Sunday last.

NB: RTE will be coming to town within the next week or so in the run up to The All Ireland Hurling Final. The Club requests that all business premises & households are decorated in the Maroon/White to show support for our County Teams.

Shorelines Art's Festival: There is a sculpture project in progress and information on the past is required. Information on the Market in the Fairgreen, Portumna Mart,St. Mary's Convent & Tech. School. Please contact Aideen Monaghan-Tel:-086-3305322 or E-Mail-aideenmon@yahoo.ie. Aideen would love to speak to anybody who attended the Tech School in particular.

SEGAHS Lecture: 1st lecture of Sth. East Galway Archaeological & Historical Society Autumn series in Workhouse on Tues. 22nd Aug. @8.30pm. Eoin O'Neill will present a talk on "The most harmless man in the barracks" documenting life & death of Constable Patrick Whelan in 1916 Rising. **FREE** Booklet on Whelan & the Rising in Galway on the night to mark heritage week.

Memorial Vintage Run: From Tynagh Village on Sunday 20th Aug.@2pm to finish at Gordons Pub,Tynagh for a BBQ,live music & raffle-donations to Cancer Care West.

ALSO-Abbey/Duniry Scout Group host the Family Fun Day-2pm-6pm to include novelty races,food,home baking,bouncing castles,footdarts,crazygolf & other activities.

RHS Home Care:Now recruiting Health Care Assistants in your area. Potential applicants must have Fetac/QQ1 Level 5(2 modules completed care skills and care of the older person). E-Mail CV to jobs@rhshomecare.ie or Tel: Aoife-090-6625988

Mary Immaculate College Alumni Reunion 2017:

Did you graduate from MIC in - 1957,1962,1967,1972,1977,1982,1987,1992,1997,2002,2007,2012?

MIC welcomes back it's Alumni on Sat. 07th October 2017 from 1.30pm-5.00pm to meet up with old friends,reacquaint yourself with the College. If you wish to attend please advise in advance-alumni@mic.ul.ie and put "Class Reunion" in the subject line. More details www.friends.mic.ie.

To view the parish newsletter online: www.clonfertdiocese.ie or www.visitportumna.com

Please Note:

Items for newsletter must reach parish office no later than **11am** each **Thursday**. Local parish events get priority

Parish Office Hours: Mon-Fri-10am-3pm.

Portumna

Parish

Newsletter

Sunday

13th August 2017

The Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Fr. Michael Byrnes P.P.,J.V. Tel: 090-9741092
Mobile: 087-6227468 Email: portumnaparishnewsletter@gmail.com
Radio Link- 102.6fm St. Vincent de Paul 087-3650922.

Portumna Parish Announcements:

Sun 13th Aug. 2017 The Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Sat. 12th Aug. 7.00pm (A) Tony Hackett
(A) Pat, Mai & Ann Broder
Sun. 13th Aug. 11.00am (A) John O'Rourke
Mon. 14th Aug. 7.00pm Vigil for the Feast of the Assumption
Tue. 15th Aug. 11.00am- Feast of the Assumption
People of the Parish
Wed. 16th Aug. 10.00am
Thurs. 17th Aug. 7.00pm
Fri. 18th Aug. 7.00pm
Sat. 19th Aug. 7.00pm (A) Eddie Timlin
& deceased members of the Timlin family
(A) Daire Burke
Sun. 20th Aug. 11.00am (A) Paddy & Teresa Kelly
(A) Gilbey & Gretta Jennings
& deceased members of the Jennings family

Ministers of the Word: Sat. 19th Aug. & Sun. 20th Aug.

7.00pm: Ita Hynes
11.00am: Mary Dillon

Ministers for Holy Communion: Sat. 19th Aug. & Sun. 20th Aug.

7.00pm: Mary Fahy, Sile Fahy, Elizabeth Ryan
11.00am: Pierce Joyce, Rosaleen O'Rourke, John Duggan

Mass Servers: Sat. 19th Aug. & Sun. 20th Aug.

7.00pm: (A) Sara Lily Morrissey
11.00am: (D) Ashlyn Fahy, Eibhlin Cunniffe, Izzy Tuohy

Masses: St. Peter & Paul's Church-Boula

Sun 13th Aug. 09.30am

Sun. 20th Aug. 09.30am

Reader: Rose Dolphin