

Confessions: Every Saturday-6.00pm-6.20pm in St. Brigid's Church,Portumna

Adoration-2.00pm-7.00pm every Thursday & Friday

**NB: Please take note of new E-Mail Address:-
pp.portumna@clonfertdiocese.ie**

NB: This week-end's Mass is on Page 371 of St. Paul Sunday Missal.

NB: First Friday Calls will be after 10.30am Mass on Friday 1st November.

NB:The Sunflowers Chernobyl Appeal Church Gate Collection will take place next week-end.

NB: Remember to put the Clock Back by One Hour for winter time tonight(saturday night)

Stations of the Cross: outdoor veneration of the Stations of the Cross will take place on Sat. 2nd November(feast of the Holy Souls) in St. Feichin's Cemetery,Lackan in Abbey parish @4pm.All welcome to pray for the Holy Souls.

Information Session: At Portumna Further Education Centre(Old VEC),St. Brigid's Rd,Portumna(H53 A263) on Wed. 30th Oct. 2019 @10.30am. Door Security & Guarding Skills Course to commence Mon. 4th Nov. 2019. Course duration is 10wks.. Modules include Guarding Skills,Door Procedure Skill,Customer Service,Safe pass,Career Planning,Basic First Aid,Manual Handling.Apply on line-www.fetchcourses.ie

National Learning Network:Tus Nua is a **FREE** recovery-oriented programme to help people develop a sense of self-esteem and confidence while introducing structure,new skills and opportunities in their lives.Training will take place in a **STRESS-FREE** environment that closely adheres to the educational needs of the participant. Training can lead to a QQI level Qualification. More information Tel: 091-781265 or e-mail-dave.scully@nlh.ie.

Chiropody Clinic: Attending Hayes Pharmacy,Portumna on 29th Oct 11th 12th 23rd ,25th & 26th Nov. for general and diabetic footcare. Tel: Emma-086-1901247 for appointment.

Portumna G.A.A: No winner of last week's lotto jackpot. Numbers drawn were 7,24,25,27.

One person matched three numbers-Simon O'Croimin and receives €100. Current jackpot is €3000.00. Club holding a Monster Auction on Sun. 24th November in Portumna Mart @2pm. Lots to choose from to include Fuel,Fodder Vouchers.Also a Cake Sale and Handbag Sale. Lots to choose from. Your support is much appreciated.

Chiropody Clinic: On Birr/Portumna Rd,10mins from Portumna.Tel:Geraldine 086-3532672 for appointment in your home to include evening appointments.

Vacancies: Local Community Employment Scheme(formerly FAS) are now hiring general labourers,blocklayers,painters,animal carers etc in your area. Great training opportunities available. Open to both Male/Female. You must be aged 21yrs+ and in receipt of a Social Welfare Benefit. For more information Tel 090-9676565.

French Grinds: Available with very experienced teacher with excellent results. All aspects of Junior and Leaving Certificate Courses covered-"Le Document" and Oral Topics tailor made to suit your needs. For reviews:-French grinds for Exam success@frenchsuccessgalway. Tel: Ann-087-6712487.

Family & friends of St. Dympna's A.D.S. Portumna: Organising a "**Cash for Clobber**" on Wed. 6th November **ONLY** at the centre from 4.30pm-7.00pm. A collection of unwanted clothes,towels,curtains,bedlinen(sheets,pillow cases,duvet covers only),hats,belts,bags and shoes. All monies raised will benefit St. Dympna's only. Your support is much appreciated. More information Tel: Sean Page-087-2027776,Edith Carter-086-8618559 or Ana Maria Burke-087-2136077.

NB: The protection of your personal data is important to us. We are happy to include your notice in our Parish Bulletin,**BUT** please ensure that you have received the consent of any persons referenced before submitting a notice to us.

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.

**NB: Parish Office Closed at present
and Reopens Friday 1st November**

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Holy Mass Times: St. Brigid's Church

Sat. 26th Oct 6.30pm (A) John Mannion
(A) Mancy Nevin
Sun. 27th Oct 10.30am (A) Billy Donohue
(A) Oliver Gordon Jr.,Hubert Gordon Snr. & Ollie Gordon Snr.
Mon. 28th Oct 10.00am **No Mass**
Tues. 29th Oct 10.00am Private Intention
People of the Parish
Wed. 30th Oct 10.00am Private Intention x 2
Thurs.31st Oct 7.00pm Private Intention
Fri. 1st Nov-All Saints (Holy Day of Obligation)
10.30am (A) Merlyn Mooney
6.30pm (M.M.) Philomena Dillon
(M.M.) Keira Dillon
Sat. 2nd Nov 10.30am All Souls
Vigil 6.30am
Sun. 3rd Nov 10.30am (A) Willie Walsh
(A) John Madden(Graigagowan)

Minister of the Word: Sat. 2nd Nov.& Sun.3rd Nov.

6.30pm: 1st Reading Denis McLoughlin & 2nd Reading: Courtney Duane

10.30am: 1st Reading: Pierce Joyce & 2nd Reading: Ciara Kenny

Ministers of Holy Communion: Sat. 2nd Nov. & Sun.3rd Nov.

6.30pm E Ryan,M Connors,N Hayes10.30am: A Tuohy,P Coleman,M Lewis

Mass Servers:

Sat.2nd Nov. 6.30pm=Team (A)

Sun.3rd Nov.10.30am=Team (C)

St. Peter & Paul's,Boula

Sun. 27th Oct. 9.15am

Reader: Rose Dolphin

Church of the Ascension,Gortanumera

Sun. 3rd Nov. 9.15am (A) Alphonsus & Catherine Hayes & Keith Hayes

Reader: Mary Rourke

Portumna Parish Newsletter

Sunday 27th October 2019
**Thirtieth Sunday
in Ordinary Time**