

# PARISH NEWSLETTER



11<sup>th</sup>. February 2024

Sixth Sunday of the Year

The Parish Office will be open on Tuesdays and Fridays from 9.30 - 1.30 January.

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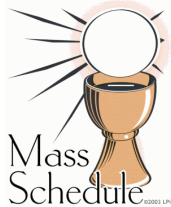
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## ANNIVERSARIES - WITH LOVE WE REMEMBER

Saturday 10<sup>th</sup>. Ballyconnell 7.30: Patrick Fitzharris, Ballyconnell; Nan & James Moran Ballyconnell; John Blake Mullinacuffe and Bunclody

Sunday 12<sup>th</sup>. Kilquiggan 9.00.: Edward Dempsey and his son Christy, Stratnakelly.



## MASS SCHEDULE:

Tuesday 13<sup>th</sup>. Mass at 9.30; Wednesday 14<sup>th</sup>.

Ash Wednesday. Mass in Ballyconnell at 9.45, BNS will be in attendance. Kilquiggan at 11.00. Clonmore at 7.30 pm. Ashes will be blessed and distributed at all these masses. Friday 16<sup>th</sup>. February: Mass in Oratory in Killinure at 7.30

Ballyconnell Bingo will take place in Ballyconnell hall every Sunday at 8.00 pm. The jackpot this week €625.

Coolkenno GAA Lotto: Last week's numbers: 13, 16, 25, 32 No Jackpot winner. Next week's jackpot €2,600 Next Draw: Monday 12<sup>th</sup>. February in the Dying Cow. Lucky Dip Winners: Trish Keogh; Mary Dolan; Dan Doyle; Theresa (Bingo)

Bingo every Saturday night in Coolkenno GAA Car park.

## PARISH LOTTO: Kildare & Leighlin Co-Op Lotto

Results for Wednesday 7<sup>th</sup>. February: Numbers: 7, 9, 14, 17

One Jackpot winner - Next week's jackpot €10,000.

20 Match 3's - €50 each.

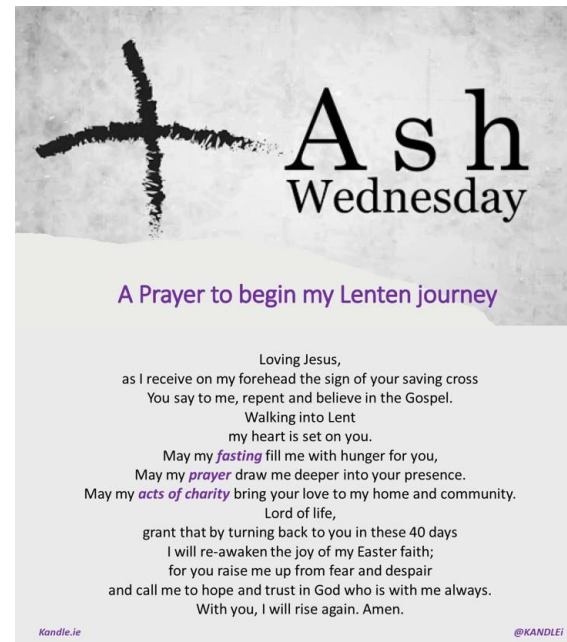
**Collections:** Weekend: February 3/4

Envelopes: €460 Baskets: €438; Bingo: €725. Envelopes ret.

Learn how to Crochet: If you would be interested in learning how to crochet, we are currently taking interest as we hope to hold classes in the old school in Clonmore in April. If you are interested, please contact Lorna: 0852259100

Tullow Rugby Football Club are holding a Family Bingo Night at Tullow Rugby Club Grounds on Saturday 17/02/2024 @7pm.

(Doors open 6.30pm) Tuck shop & Bar open on the night.



Loving Jesus,  
as I receive on my forehead the sign of your saving cross  
You say to me, repent and believe in the Gospel.  
Walking into Lent  
my heart is set on you.  
May my *fasting* fill me with hunger for you,  
May my *prayer* draw me deeper into your presence.  
May my *acts of charity* bring your love to my home and community.  
Lord of life,  
grant that by turning back to you in these 40 days  
I will re-awaken the joy of my Easter faith;  
for you raise me up from fear and despair  
and call me to hope and trust in God who is with me always.  
With you, I will rise again. Amen.

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We missed you and we would love to have you back.

Lent 2024: 'Draw near to God and He will draw near to you' James 4:8

Whether you attend Church regularly or have been away for some time, the invitation from Our Lord remains the same. Why not make the most of the opportunity this Lent to come closer to our God who loves us immensely and desires to bless us. We are beginning a new initiative to pray especially for all the

needs of our families in our parish this Lent. There will be a holy hour with reflective music, prayers and quiet time every Tuesday in Lent from 7:30-8:30pm in the respective churches and masses will be offered also. We will be splitting up the parish into townlands and invite you to attend on the appropriate evening to pray for your family. You are of course welcome to attend on any evening. The names of the townlands will be in the newsletter each week.

# HAVE A WONDERFUL WEEK