

# Tubbercurry | Cloonacool

parish bulletin



## *A journey shared*

**L**ord, watch over  
our parish,  
encouraging us  
to watch with one  
another as  
we seek to know your will.  
Make us gentle in word,  
kind in spirit,  
strong in hope  
and guide us,  
ever gently  
along that road of peace  
that leads to your door;  
a door that will always open

## **A VARIETY OF GIFTS**

The reading this week says that there is a variety of gifts but the same Spirit is at work through them all.

In parish life, it might be a good time to reflect on your own particular gift or set of gifts. Is good use being made of the gifts given?

Could you bring your piece to the JIGSAW of parish life and complete the picture?

**2nd Sunday of the Year - 19th January 2025**

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## ***EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION***

There is Eucharistic Adoration in both our churches. You are most welcome to come along for an hour, or part of an hour at any time. **Tubbercurry**, Wednesday 10.00am-7.00pm and in **Cloonacool** on Thursday 10.00am-12noon.

## ***PLEASE PRAY FOR***

Your prayers are asked for the late **David Jordan**, Galway and California, brother of Eileen Jordan, Tubbercurry and **Beatrice O'Dwyer**, Thurles, sister of Philip Croke. We remember all whose anniversaries occur at this time. May they rest in peace.

## ***LIVING WELL***

Is a free HSE Programme which helps people living with a long-term health condition to manage their condition and improve their overall wellbeing. Anyone with any chronic illness such as diabetes, arthritis, COPD, cardiac illness, anxiety etc. can benefit from these workshops. The next programme commences in Ballaghaderreen on Friday. The programme is delivered over 6 week workshops (2.5 hrs x 6 weeks) by trained leaders. Advance registration is required. To find out more, please contact Liam on 086 0142675 or email [lgildea@southmayo.com](mailto:lgildea@southmayo.com)

## ***RAMBLING HOUSE CONCERT***

Takes place on Saturday, 1st February at 8pm in the Coleman Music Centre, Gurteen with a great line up of musicians and singers. Tickets €15. Call 071 9182599 or see [www.colemanirishmusic.com](http://www.colemanirishmusic.com)

## ***WELLNESS TALKS***

Will take place in Tubbercurry FRC in the coming months. The first one *Digging into Digestion* takes place on Tuesday 10am-11.30am. The next one is 4th March *Improve Your Mental Fitness* and 29th April *Destress and Worry Less*. All are welcome. Bookings to 071 9186926.

## ***HALF DAY RETREAT - WOMEN***

A half day retreat for women - using dance and movement (holistic belly dancing),

self-nurturing practices, meditation and more will take place in Tubbercurry FRC on Thursday, 6th February 10am-1.30pm. Cost €10. Lunch provided. Booking is essential on 071 9186926.

## ***BABY BONDING CLASSES***

Lovely local sessions getting you and your baby off to the best start possible. Enjoy simple, gentle, playful activities to help build a strong relationship with your little one. Learn about how babies develop and how YOU play the most important part of all. Suitable for newborns to 8 months. Dates to be decided (depending on numbers booked). Cost €10. Places are limited. Bookings to 071 9186926.

## ***TUBBERCURRY CHOIR***

As Martina Doyle prepares to leave the choir as director and organist, we wish her well and express gratitude for her years of service. In addition, there is need and a desire to find someone who might assume this role in the parish. Realising this will not be easy, the fact remains this is a musical part of the county and talent is out there. Would you or someone you know have an interest? We could look at the possibility of a number of people being involved, thereby sharing the workload. All ideas and volunteers welcome! The place of music in liturgy and in the life of the parish cannot be overstated. We have been fortunate to have someone in the role for so many years.

## ***STUDY THEOLOGY ONLINE***

The Priory Institute provides online Theology courses to degree level. Attend Saturday lectures in Tallaght or from the comfort of your own home. If this is something that might appeal to you, please register before 11th February. See [www.prioryinstitute.com](http://www.prioryinstitute.com) for details.

***NIGHT PRAYER - Each night at 10pm (approx.)***

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## **CLOONACOOOL GAA**

Cloonacool GAA CLUB recently raised €1,202.65 for South Sligo Cancer Support Group. Well done to the Club and thanks to all who supported this worthy cause..

## **PHOENIX PLAYERS**

Are back treading the boards for 2025. This year's 3 Act Festival Circuit takes them to 1833 for Brian Friel's *Translations* directed by Eamonn Óg Gallagher. Performances in St. Brigid's Hall on Friday, 7th and Saturday, 8th February at 8pm. Tickets on the door.

## **CLOONACOOOL PLAYERS**

As well as staging *Moll* in Cloonacool on Friday, 21st, Saturday, 22nd and Sunday, 23rd February the Cloonacool Players have been invited to appear at the Western Drama Festival in Tubbercurry on Tuesday, 4th March. Cast and crew are delighted and look forward to entertaining audiences in both venues.

## **MAYO STOMA GROUP**

Will hold a meeting on Thursday at 7pm in the Ellison Hotel, Castlebar. All are welcome. If you are attending please message 087 6275766 with your name and the number of people attending.

## **JUBILEE YEAR**

A Jubilee Year began last weekend. It is on the theme of PILGRIMS OF HOPE. During the year there will be opportunities for gathering in faith. These will include a Pilgrimage to Rome, Lourdes and Knock (these will be joint events between the Dioceses of Achonry and Elphin). Locally, it is hoped that pilgrimage sites will be identified locally where we might gather in faith and prayer. A candle is being prepared to be given to children baptized during the year and a special commemorative certificate for couples celebrating marriage.

There is special emphasis on reconciliation and it is planned to have a number of events in both dioceses to celebrate the Sacrament of Reconciliation. Further details later.

## **RSA - CHECK IT FITS**

The RSA Check It Fits service is coming to Sligo this week - Tuesday 10am-5.30pm at Kool Kidz, Sligo and on Wednesday 10am-5.30pm at Smyth's Toys, Sligo Retail Park. This is a full-time nationwide free expert service which aims to put parents/grandparents minds at ease that their child's care seat us safely and securely fitted in the car.

## **YOGA CLASSES**

Continue weekly, join anytime, newcomers always welcome! Gentle flow and stretch, tone, glow on Monday evening and Tuesday morning in the Coleman Centre, Gurteen and in Moylough Heritage Centre on Wednesday evening. '90 minutes for me', mindfulness, movement and meditation takes place on Sunday next, 26th January 11.30am-1pm in Moylough Heritage Centre. Contact Sarah on 083 0618006 for more details.



We will gather in the Parish Church on Wednesday evening at 7.30pm. Rev Andy Pierce, the Church of Ireland Minister in this locality will join us with members of his congregation. Rev Andy will preach and we will involve people from both church communities in prayers and readings. Refreshments will be served afterwards in the Family Resource Centre. Please come along if you are available on the night.



## **SUPPORT THE PRISH ONLINE**

You may support the parish through online donations via our Diocesan Website [achonrydiocese.org/donateonline](http://achonrydiocese.org/donateonline) or by scanning the QR CODE

[tubbercurrycloonacool.com](http://tubbercurrycloonacool.com)

# Parish Diary

**MASS TIMES  
AND  
INTENTIONS**  
*This week .....*

CHURCH	DATE	TIME	INTENTION
TUBBERCURRY	Sat 18th	7.00pm	Mary Wimsey (Anniversary) Kathleen Henry (Anniversary, remembering her husband Paddy and all the deceased of the McDonnell and Henry families Teresa Kelly and deceased of the Kelly and Gilligan families Angela Burke (1st Anniversary) and her husband Gerry Porick Keogh (Month's Mind)
CLOONACOO	Sun 19th	10.00am	Nancy and Peter Edgely and deceased brothers and sisters Francis Edgely
TUBBERCURRY	Sun 19th	11.30am	James and Ellen Carr and sons Paddy and John Gerry Hannigan (Month's Mind) Peggy McCarrick, Ballyglass
TUBBERCURRY	Mon 20th	9.30am	Peter and Ellie Wimsey, daughters Eileen and Molly and sons Peter and Ray
CLOONACOO	Tue 21st	9.30am	Special Intention (EM)
TUBBERCURRY	Wed 22nd	9.30am	Special Intention (LMK)
CLOONACOO	Thurs 23rd	9.30am	Donor's Intention (FC)
TUBBERCURRY	Fri 24th	9.30am	Donor's Intention (COD)
TUBBERCURRY	Sat 25th	7.00pm	Teresa and Paddy McCarrick Bernard Brennan (Anniversary) and deceased of the Brennan family
CLOONACOO	Sun 26th	10.00am	Donor's Intention
TUBBERCURRY	Sun 26th	11.30am	People of the Parish

Masses from our churches are livestreamed via webcam on the parish website.

[tubbercurrycloonacool.com/webcam](http://tubbercurrycloonacool.com/webcam)

 **livestream**



**Weekend 25th / 26th January**

**Cloonacool:** (10am)  
**Tubbercurry** (Vigil 7pm)  
**Tubbercurry:** (11.30am)

**Joan Gallagher**  
**Bridie Kilcoyne**