

# ATTYMASS PARISH NEWSLETTER

## *Parish Vision Statement*

*Inspired by the Life and Work of the Venerable Patrick Peyton CSC, We the people of Attymass Parish strive to build a Community that is rooted in Gospel Values and is deeply committed to the Mission of Jesus.*

**Website: [www.attymass.ie](http://www.attymass.ie) Twitter: @AttymassParish**

## CHURCH DIARY THIS WEEK

**Church of The Immaculate Conception & St. Joseph and the Fr. Peyton Centre**

Saturday 13th January	7.30pm	Michael Gillespie, Byhalla
Sunday 14th January	10.30am	The People of the Parish
Monday 15th January	9.30am	Linda Dukan, Cullane
Tuesday 16th January	<b>12.15pm</b>	<b>Fr. Peyton Centre:</b> Mass of Thanksgiving for the Venerable Patrick Peyton
Wednesday 17th January	_____	No Morning Mass
Thursday 18th January	<b>12.15pm</b>	<b>Fr. Peyton Centre:</b> Donor's Intention
Friday 19th January	6.15pm	<b>Holy Hour till 7.20pm</b>
Friday 19th January	7.30pm	Bridie & John Gallagher, Byhalla
Saturday 20th January	7.30pm	Martin & Ann Conlon & deceased family members, Cullane
Sunday 21st January	10.30am	The People of the Parish
Sunday 21st January	6.00pm	<b>Fr. Peyton Centre:</b> Community Celebration for Winning the Pride of Place

### *Parish House and Office*

**Fr. John Maloney Adm.**

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**[attymassparish@achonrydiocese.org](mailto:attymassparish@achonrydiocese.org)**

### *Newsletter Items*

Please submit items for the Bulletin by **Thursday evening by 8pm by email if possible.** Please include contact details.

**Bulletin email is**

**[attymassparish@achonrydiocese.org](mailto:attymassparish@achonrydiocese.org)**

### *Fr. Peyton Centre*

Opening Hours: Monday to Friday 9.15am-5.30pm and Closed at the weekend except for bookings.

Tel: 096-45374 and Fax: 096-45375

Fr. Steve 096 - 29955 (Evening)

### *Primary School*

**St. Feichin's N.S.: 096-45076 ,**

**School Email: [office@attymassns.ie](mailto:office@attymassns.ie).**

**Twitter: @AttymassNS**

### **PARISH AND DIOCESAN SAFE GUARDING**

**[www.achonrydiocese.org/diocesan-policy/](http://www.achonrydiocese.org/diocesan-policy/)**

**PARISH REPRESENTATIVES**

**Veronica Peyton and Padraic Walsh**



Safeguarding



### **PLEASE PRAY FOR**

We remember in our prayers **Kate Ferguson, Cullane** and all whose anniversaries occur around this time. May they rest in peace.

### **OFFERTORY COLLECTION**

*5th & 6th January*

**Envelope: €240.00 Loose: €20.82**

*6th & 7th January*

**Envelope: €641.14 Loose: €41.55**

*A sincere thank you for your contributions to the parish.*

### **CHRISTMAS COLLECTION**

Thanks to all who have contributed to the priest's collection. The amount received so far is **€4,416.85**. Please know that your support is very much appreciated and not taken for granted.

### **CEMETERY MASSES 2018**

The Annual Cemetery Masses of the Parish will be celebrated on the following dates: **Friday 3rd August, Old Killeen Cemetery at 8pm, Saturday 4th August, Bonnifinglas Cemetery at 8pm and Sunday 5th August at 11am New Killeen Cemetery.** Please inform your family members who are away of these dates. If the weather is inclement the Masses will be celebrated in the Church

### **MASS OF THANKSGIVING**

Bishop Brendan Kelly will celebrate a Mass of Thanksgiving for the Venerable Patrick Peyton in the Fr. Peyton Centre on **Tuesday 16th January at 12.15pm.** All Welcome.

### **PRIDE OF PLACE CELEBRATION**

There will be an evening of celebration in the Fr Peyton Centre on Sunday 21st January at 6pm to mark our win in the Pride of Place Awards. This is a free event and an opportunity for the community to celebrate this great achievement. If you are planning on attending the event please contact the Fr. Peyton Centre by Monday 15th January.

### **ECUMENICAL SERVICE FOR CHRISTIAN UNITY**

The Fr. Peyton Cluster Ecumenical Service to mark Christian Unity week takes place on **Thursday 18th January**, in St. Michael's Church, Foxford at **7.30pm.** The guest preacher is Bishop Brendan Kelly. All Welcome

### **MAYO ROSCOMMON HOPICE**

Mayo Roscommon hospice Ecumenical Service in conjunction with Let Love shine a light appeal will take place in St Johns Rest & Care Centre Knock on Sunday 21<sup>st</sup> January at 3.45pm. All those for whom lights were sponsored will be

prayed for at the service. Refreshments served. All welcome

### **GARDA NOTICE**

Dog Owners are being asked by the Garda's to keep their pets under control as there has been a loss of sheep stock in the parish.

### **ENABLE IRELAND**

Enable Ireland Mayo Services urgently require volunteers to work with children with disabilities. Roles vary to meet the needs of the child and their family. Volunteers usually work one to one with a child within their own home, with their community and at our service centre based in Castlebar. Full training is provided. Please contact Danielle at 094 9060234 / 085 8006541 or email [dmcconnell@enableireland.ie](mailto:dmcconnell@enableireland.ie) with queries or to receive and application pack

### **RADIO MARIA IRELAND**

RADIO MARIA IRELAND is an Irish-run Catholic Talk-Radio Station. Established since May 2015 with the aid of the World Family of Radio Maria – with 77 Stations Worldwide. We have already surpassed 6,000 monthly listeners in Ireland and around the world. Our mission is to help spread the Gospel message of Joy and Hope with a mixture of Prayer, Catechesis, Uplifting music, Talks, Interviews and Testimonies – all commercial free. We broadcast 24/7. RADIO MARIA IRELAND is available to download FREE by App "RADIO MARIA IRELAND" on mobile devices, FREE streaming on [www.radiomaria.ie](http://www.radiomaria.ie) by clicking on the "LISTEN" link or on the phone via a live radio feed by calling 01 437 3277 (no extra charges apply).

### **POOR CLARES**

The Poor Clares in Galway are hosting a Cloister day on Saturday, January 27th from 10am to 5pm. The day is designed to help young women between the ages of 21 and 40 to find out more about the Poor Clare way of life with a view to vocation discernment. To book a place contact: Sr. Faustina at: [poorclaresgalwayvocations@gmail.com](mailto:poorclaresgalwayvocations@gmail.com)

### **COUNCIL MEETING IN THE FR. PEYTON CENTRE**

The Ballina Municipal District will hold their council meeting in the Fr. Peyton Centre on Wednesday next 17th January 2018 at 10.30am. This meeting is open to the public and all are welcome

### **LADIES GROUP**

The Group meet again for the New Year on Monday evening next at 8.15 pm in the Community Centre. New Members are Welcome.

### **CIVIC RECEPTION**

On Thursday Night last the Attymass Community were honoured with a Civic Reception by the Cathaoirleach of Ballina Municipal District Cllr. Annie May Reape. The Civic Reception was in recognition of the winning of the Pride of Place competition.

### **COLOURING COMPETITION**

Thanks to those who entered our Christmas Colouring Competition. The standard was very high and the work put in much appreciated. The selected pictures are:

### **Junior and Senior Infants**

Róisín Kelly

### **1st and 2nd Class**

Sarah Melody

### **3rd and 4th Class**

Doireann Mulderrig

Each receives €10.00. The winners will be contacted during the week.

### **THANKS**

I want to say thank you to you all for your understanding and good wishes, since my ankle surgery on the 4th January. I had a review on Thursday last and I will be in a boot for the next six weeks. So in the mean time, there may be mornings during the week when there will be no Mass due to commitments in the Fr. Peyton Centre. Masses that have been booked for week days will be honoured. Please give the offering to the priest who says the Mass. *Fr. John*

### **PARISH MINISTRIES**

### **SATURDAY 20th JANUARY**

SS Reader: Mary Lavelle

Eucharist: Sr. Helena

Christine Tolan

Offertory: Conlon Family

Servers: Team 1

### **SUNDAY 21st JANUARY**

SS Reader: Pat Boyle

Eucharist: Muara Tolan

Sean Reynolds

Offertory: Team 1

Servers: Team 3

### **PRAYER OF BEATIFICATION**

Dear Jesus, the Venerable Patrick Peyton devoted his priestly life to strengthening the families of the world by calling them to pray together everyday, especially the Rosary. His message is as important for us now as it was during his life on earth. We beg you, therefore, to hasten the day of his beatification, so that your faithful people everywhere will remember his message that *the family that prays together stays together*, will imitate him in his devotion to your Mother and ours, and will be inspired by his holy life to draw ever closer to you with childlike confidence and love. Amen