

Fasting and Feasting

We can use Lent to fast from certain things and to feast on others.

Fast from judging others; feast on Christ dwelling in them.

Fast from thoughts of illness; feast on the healing power of God.



Fast from discontent; feast on gratitude.

Fast from anger; feast on patience.

Fast from bitterness; feast on forgiveness.

Fast from self-concern; feast on compassion for others.

Fast from discouragement; feast on enthusiasm.

Fast from idle gossip; feast on purposeful silence.

Neighbourhood Masses

It is proposed to hold Neighbourhood Masses on the following dates:



Wed. 18 Mar. Ballycong, Kildermot, Mullahowney

Wed. 25 Mar. Ardrass, Byhalla, Carrick, Treanough-ter

Wed. 1 April Cullane, Kilgellia, Fr Peyton Avenue.

Vacancy in Fr Peyton Centre

An immediate vacancy exists for a waiter/waitress for weekend work in the Fr Peyton Centre. Experience in hotel/restaurant work desirable but not essential. Social welfare recipients will be given priority in the selection process. Contact the Fr Peyton Centre at 096-45374 for an application form.

Stations of the Cross

The Stations of the Cross will be prayed on the Fridays of Lent at 7.15pm, before Evening Mass.



NEWSLETTER

Church of
The Immaculate Conception & St Joseph,
Attymass

3rd Sunday of Lent

15th March 2009

Website: www.attymass.ie



The Cleansing of the Temple

Church of
**The Immaculate Conception
& St Joseph**



Mass Intentions

Sun. 10.30am People of the Parish

Vigil of St Patrick's Day

Mon. 7.30pm Private Intention

St Patrick's Day

Tue. 10.30am Nora Conlon, Mullahowney

Wed. 9.30am Private Intention

Thur. 9.30am Winifred & James Nixon

Fri. 7.30pm Martin Carney, Carrick

Sat. 11am T. J. Lavelle & Family (D)

Sat. 7.30pm Kathleen Howley

Vigil of St Patrick's Day

Reader: Jacinta Hennigan

E. Ministers: Beetie Hughes
Mary Gallagher

St Patrick's Day

Reader: Geraldine Walsh

E. Minister: Tony Gallagher

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Tenders Invited

The Board of Management of Attymass N.S. invites tenders for the painting of the exterior of the school (labour costs only), which should be submitted to the school or Parish House no later than 3pm on **Friday 28th March**.

Service of Light

The young people who are to be confirmed during 10.30am Mass on Sunday next are invited, together with their families, to a Service of Light' in Attymass Church on Thursday next **19th March at 7pm**, during which they may avail of the sacrament of Reconciliation.

Ministers for next Week-End

Sat. 21 Mar. Vigil Mass 7.30pm

Reader: Tony Gallagher

E. Ministers: Beetie Hughes
Mary Gallagher

Sun, 22 March 10.30am Mass

Reader: Teresa Hughes

E. Minister: Beatrice Howley

Fr Peyton Memorial Centre

Closed on St Patrick's Day.

Opening Hours: Monday to Friday 10am - 5.30pm
Saturday 12 noon 5.30pm
Sunday 2pm 5.30pm

Community Meetings

Wednesday 18th March

8.00pm Neighbourhood Mass for Ballycong, Mullahowney & Kildermot

Thursday 19th March

- **7.00pm** "Service of Light" for the candidates for Confirmation
- **8.00pm** 3rd Lenten Talk in Fr Peyton Centre given by Fr Patsy Kelly MSC.

New Windows & Doors

At a recent meeting of the Board of Management of Attymass N.S. it was decided to fit double-glazed windows & new doors to the school at a cost in excess of €22,000. The work will be carried out during the Easter holidays.

Open Air Stations of the Cross

Anyone willing to help with the Good Friday Stations are asked to contact Fr Mulligan.

Moy Villa News

Moy Villa will hold a registration evening for all under age players on **Tuesday 17 March 6pm-8pm** in the Clubhouse. All players must be accompanied by a parent/guardian. Anyone registering for the first time must bring along their original birth certificate.

Latest Lotto Results

The numbers drawn were 3, 5, 23, 25. The Jackpot was not won. Lucky Dip Winners were— **Sean O'Donnell**, Ballina; **B. Gabeloor**, Ballina; **Amy Bourke**, Shraheen. The Jackpot now stands at €5,150.

Price Rise

The Irish Catholic newspaper has increased in price recently & now costs €1.30 per copy.

Offertory Collection

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