

Lenten Prayer

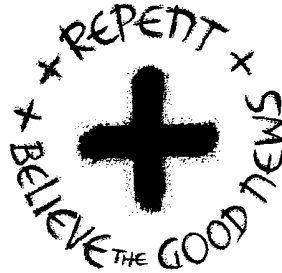
Merciful Lord,
you called us forth
from the dust of the earth;
you claimed us for Christ
in the waters of baptism.

Look upon us
as we enter these forty days
bearing the mark of ashes,
and bless our journey
through the desert of Lent
to the font of rebirth.

May our fasting
be hunger for justice;
our alms, a making of peace;
our prayer, the chant
of humble and grateful hearts.
May all that we do and pray
be in the name of Jesus,
for in his cross
you proclaim your love
for ever and ever.

Ash Wednesday

Lent begins on Wednesday next 6 February. There will be two Masses, at 9.30am & at 7.30pm. Ashes will be blessed and distributed during each Mass.



“KNOWING GOD BETTER”

On the Thursdays of February, on 7th, 14th, 21st & 28th at 8pm in the Fr Peyton Centre there will be an opportunity to get to know God better... To know his Love, his Forgiveness, his Help, his Peace. Each night there will be short talk & an opportunity to pray. A booklet will be distributed each night for use during the week. Here is something practical to do for Lent, a chance to grow spiritually and develop our relationship with the Lord.

During Lent Mass will at 7.30pm on Tuesdays for the convenience of those who are working & cannot attend a morning Mass.

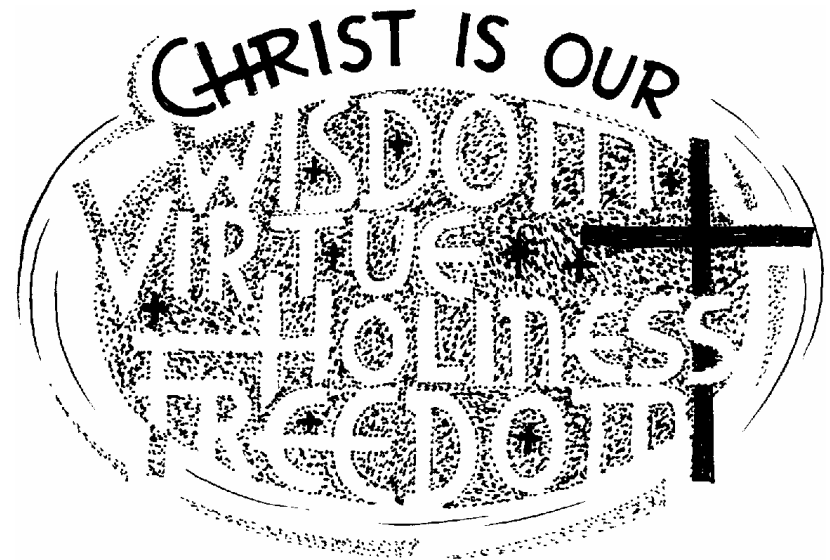
NEWSLETTER

Church of
The Immaculate Conception & St Joseph,
Attymass

4th Sunday in Ordinary Time

3 February 2008

Website: www.attymass.ie



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

Sun. 10.30am People of the Parish
Mon. 9.30am Private Intention
No Morning Mass

Ash Wednesday

Wed. 9.30am Private Intention
Wed. 7.30pm Tommy Gaughan & parents
Thur. 9.30pm Agnes & Patrick Meer
Fri. 7.30pm Michael Weir
Sat. 9.30am Private Intention
Sat. 7.30pm Michael Gallagher Treanoughter



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Parents' Open Night

Moyne College, Ballina is holding an Open Night for Parents & Students on **Tuesday 5th February** between 6pm & 10pm.

Enrolment

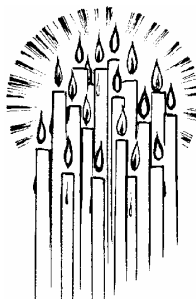
Enrolment in Moyne College for New Students, Transfers & PLC Courses takes place on Friday 8th February 6pm to 9pm & Saturday 9th February from 11am to 10pm.

Moy Villa Lotto

Numbers Drawn: 3, 7, 26, 30
No outright winner.
3 Numbers: **Leon McGloin** Attymass
Lucky Dip: **Trevor Ward**, Ballina.
The Jackpot next week will be €2,900.

Candlemas

Candles for use in the church this year were blessed on the **Feast of the Presentation or Candlemas on Saturday 2nd February**. Many thanks to those who donated candles or gave donations.



Fr Peyton Memorial Centre

Mass on Tuesday at 12.15pm

Opening Hours: Monday to Friday 10am-5.30pm

Community Meeting

Monday 4th February

New Community Centre Committee meets on the Old School at 8.30pm.

Tuesday 5th February

Meeting of Christmas Party Comm. in the Priest's House at 8.30pm.

Wednesday 6th February

- Meeting re Parish Community Games in the school at 8.30pm.
- Card Game in the Old School at 9pm in aid of New Community Centre.

Thursday 7th February

'Getting to Know God Better' a Lenten program, in the Fr Peyton Centre at 8pm.



Parish Community Games

All interested are invited to attend a meeting in Attymass NS on Wednesday 6th Feb. at 8.30pm to consider the future of the Parish Community Games. It has been suggested that Attymass amalgamate with Bonnictonlon for the purposes of Games. This & other matters relating to the Games will be discussed at the meeting

Refurbishment of Brass

All the brass work in the church has recently been professionally refurbished, polished and lacquered. Items refurbished include Candlesticks, Brass Vases, Holy Water Font, & Paschal Candle Stand. In addition the Tabernacle Door was gold & silver plated, as were a chalice & ciborium. The figure on the cross over the tabernacle was silver plated too. All work was completed on site.

OFFERTORY COLLECTION

26 & 27 Jan. €768.00