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St Mary of the Rosary Weekend Masses:

Lituray of the Word with Holy Communion | Saturday 10am Saturday Vigil Mass | 6.15pm Sunday 8am | 12 noon | 6pm

Weekday Masses

8am | 11am Adoration | Weekdays 5-7pm Confessions | Sat after Liturgy Parish Radio: 106.2FM St John the Baptist, Tyone Saturday | 7.30pm Sunday | 10.30am



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#### A Prayer Before An Examination

Lord you are my friend and you are with me today and always. You have blessed my life with many gifts and talents. As the exams approach I feel nervous so I pray for your peace. Calm my mind so that I can think clearly and write down what I know. Help me to remember what I have learned and to do my best. Lord your loving presence surrounds me. Help me to trust that you will guide me.

# A Special Message for Exam Students

From **Nenagh Parish** to all our wonderful Junior and Leaving Certificate students across the **Odhran Pastoral Area**, we extend every good wish as you begin your state examinations in the coming week.

In times like these, it is crucial to remember that success is not solely measured by your exam results. While they are important, they do not define who you are as individuals. Each one of you possesses unique talents and strengths that extend beyond the confines of an exam hall.

Know that the entire Pastoral Area community stands behind you, cheering you on every step of the way. We believe in your abilities and have faith in your potential. You have our unwavering support, and we are here to celebrate your accomplishments, offer a shoulder to lean on, and provide guidance whenever needed.

Trinity Sunday is a significant feast day in the liturgical calendar of many Christian denominations. It falls on the Sunday following Pentecost and is celebrated to honor the doctrine of the Holy Trinity, which is central to our Christian belief.

The Holy Trinity refers to the Christian understanding of God as three distinct persons-God the Father, God the Son (Jesus Christ), and God the Holy Spiritwhile still being one God. It is a complex and profound mystery that is not easily comprehended by human understanding. The Trinity is often depicted as a threefold symbol, such as an equilateral triangle or three interlocking circles, representing the unity and equality of the three persons in one God.

The observance of Trinity Sunday provides an opportunity for Christians to reflect on and contemplate the nature of God as revealed in the Bible. It serves as a reminder of the divine nature of God and the interrelationship between the Father, Son, and Holy Spirit. It also highlights the mportance of community and unity within the Christian faith.

# This Week We Offer A Special Prayer For... ...all those sitting examinations



Lord, pour out your Spirit of Wisdom on these students: help them to remain calm, to attend carefully to the questions asked, to think clearly, to remember accurately, and to express themselves well.

Grant that they may reflect on the best of the work they have done and the best of the teaching they have received. Accept their best efforts in these examinations and in the great test of life on earth. May your love be upon them, O Lord, as they place all their trust in you.

> We ask this through Christ our Lord. Amen.



#### Lourdes Pilgrimage

Bishop Fintan will lead our Diocesan pilgrimage to Lourdes on Tuesday 27th June to Sunday 2nd July. Special subsidized price 809euro. Book with Joe Walsh Tours 01-2410800 Info@joewalshtours.ie; www.joewalshtours.ie

#### Do You Need Support?

Individual and couple counselling available in Accord Nenagh. Everyone welcome. Telephone:065 6824297 Email: accordnenagh@gmail.com

#### Invitation to Pilgrimage Day at Knock Shrine

Killaloe and Ferns Diocesan Pilgrimage to Knock Shrine, takes place on Sun. July 2nd 2023. We are inviting new members from the Parish and community to consider attending.

Any questions Contact - Claire 065-6828638 Killaloe Diocesan Office

Reminder - No 8am Mass at St Mary of the Rosary on Bank Holiday Monday

#### Mary's Meals Pilgrimage to Knock Shrine

The National Mary's Meals Annual Pilgrimage to Knock Shrine takes place on Saturday 1st July. Bus will leave Roscrea at 9am. To book a seat (€20), please contact Angela at 089-4339592.

#### Men's Health Check for Men's Health Week

Silver Arch Family Resource Centre are delighted to offer an opportunity for all men over 18 to avail of a health check with Health Matters. This comprehensive health check includes a 30 minute assessment with 2 practitioners, during which time they will check various aspects of your health, with expert advice on any concerns you may have, such as digestive health, infections, stress, anxiety, posture, mobility, balance, blood pressure, and oxygen and many more. All assessment information is completely confidential.

This takes place on Thursday 15th June 2023 in Tyone Community Centre and booking is essential as appointments are limited. Cost is €10 per person and you can book with Silver Arch Family Resource Centre at 067-31800.

#### **Graveyard Masses**

Tyone Graveyard Wed June 14th @ 7.30pm Mon June 19th @ 7.30pm Lisboney Graveyards Wed June 28th @7.30pm Kenyon/Barrack Street Graveyard

### NOTIGE BOARD

#### Weekly Collection €3,255

Thank you as always for your generosity.

Pharmacy on Duty Guerin's Parish Office Opening Hours Tues-Fri | 9am-5pm

#### **Life Lessons**

A Church group was discussing different ways to pray when one man remarked "I do some of my best praying whilst I'm driving". In a quiet voice, his wife agreed. "I also do my best praying when you're driving dear!"

#### Those We Remember | Sat 3 - Sun 11 June

#### St Mary of the Rosary

Sat 3rd 6.15pm Bridie Brophy (1st A) Val & Kathleen O Grady (As) Sun 4th 8am Sun 4th 12noon Jim Callanan (A)

> Stephen Mitchell(A) Kathleen & Noel Fahy (As)

Marion Carroll (nee Ryan) (A) John Murphy (A)

Patrick (Pakie) O'Meara & his wife Margaret (Peg) O Meara &

Margaret's sister Bridget O Brien (As)

Frank O Duffy (A)

Connie Mc Loughlin (A) Betty Griffin (A)

Raju Kurian Nadackal (A)

Alice & Patrick Ryan (As)

Caroline White (A) & deceased family

members

Michael O'Meara his grandson Jake & Fri 9th 8am

Billy Ray (As) & deceased members of

the O'Meara & Ray families

Fri 9th 11am Peg Brett (A)

Mon 5th 11am

Thur 8th 11am

Sun 11th 6pm

Mai & Willie Sexton (As) Sat 10th 6.15pm Mindaugas Svanas (MM) Sun 11th 12noon Michael Burke (MM)

Margaret (Peg) McLoughlin (MM) &

her husband Willie

Malachy Quigley (A) & deceased

family members Nora Ryan (A) John Slattery (A)

Frank & Mona Tipping (As)

Shay Spain (MM)

St John the Baptist

Mary O Neill (née Mitchell) (A) Sun 4th 10.30am Sat 10th 7.30pm Patrick Sheehan & his son Eamon

Sheehan (As)

#### **Our Faithful Departed**

Ann Shoer (nee Holmes) Patricia (Pat) Harding (nee Sage) Teresa Hegarty (Ashlawn Nursing Home) Philomena (Phil) Quill (nee Moylan) May They Rest In Peace. Amen.

# Readers | 10-11 June 2023

Liam Gleeson 6.15pm 7.30pm Kevin Costello Helena O'Gorman 8am 10.30am Deborah O'Driscoll 12noon Adrian McIntyre Alice Darcy Readers: Missal Page 474-481

## **Parish Envelopes**

The new boxes of Envelopes for your parish contribution are now available and in the process of being delivered to all current contributors. If you do not have a supply of envelopes & wish to use this method, members of the Finance Committee will be available to issue envelopes after Masses on weekend 10-11 June. The weekly envelopes is one of the methods by which you can contribute to the running costs of Nenagh Parish, other methods include, pouch collection at weekend masses, on line donations via parish website https://nenaghparish.ie/, Tap to Go Terminal at rear of St Mary of the Rosary Church or by direct contribution to the parish office or any of the priests. We would like to

thank all our parishioners who continue to support. It is greatly

appreciated.2022 audited accounts will shortly be available & a

summary published in the weekly newsletter.