

Nenagh Parish News

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Palm Sunday

We enter Holy Week. There is something in this week calling us back to our roots. Those roots are found in a borrowed upper room, where Jesus took what was ordinary – bread and wine – and transformed it so that it was for those around the table, as it is for us today and for all the generations in between, the “Bread of Life”. They were reminded and called to “do this in memory” of him. They did and we do.

Those roots too, show us one called “Lord”, “Master”, “Teacher” kneel at the feet of his guests, pour water from a jug and clean what had become dirty, soothe what had become sore and above all, give a lesson in humility. Yes, Holy Week is a week that calls for Holiness. May we be made holy through our participation in and celebration of these days, the remembering and re-telling of a Sacred story and a true sense of sorrow for past mistakes and hurts. May we find new vision and new purpose and, with hearts renewed, set out to tell all – “it is true, he is risen”.

Easter 2024 in Nenagh Parish

Holy Thursday 28th March

Morning Prayer at 11am
Celebration of the Lord's Supper | St Mary of the Rosary 8pm

Good Friday 29th March

Morning Prayer @11am and Stations of the Cross
Droga Krzyowa Jezku Polskim @1pm
Ceremony of the Lord's Passion @3pm
Taize Prayer @ 9pm

Holy Saturday 30th March

Morning Prayer @ 9.30am
Swienconka-Blessing of Food @10.00am
Confessions | St Mary of the Rosary 1pm-2pm
Easter Vigil | St Mary of the Rosary 8pm

Easter Sunday 31st March

Dawn Mass Lisboney Lawn @ 6am
Mass | St Mary of the Rosary 8am and 12noon
Mass | St. John the Baptist 10.30am
Please note there is no 6pm Mass

Monday 1st – Friday 5th April No 8am Mass

Mass Times

St Mary of the Rosary

Weekend Masses:

Liturgy 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

Polish Mass | 2nd & 4th Sunday Each Month
| 1pm



Nenagh Blood Donation Clinic Scouts Hall

Monday 25th, Tuesday 26th, Wednesday 27th
Thursday 28th March 2024
16:50 - 20:10

Please phone 1800 222 111 for appointment
New Donors welcome

Blood donation saves lives. By promoting the clinic, we can encourage more people to donate blood and help those in need.

The hospitals requirement for blood is now 6% higher than for the corresponding period last year.

This Week We Offer A Special Prayer For ...Holy Week

O Father, most merciful,
in the beginning you created us,
and by the passion of your only Son
you created us anew.

Work in us now, both to will and to do what pleases you.
Since we are weak and can do no good thing by ourselves,
grant us your grace and heavenly blessing,
that in whatever work we engage
we may do all to your honor and glory.

Keep us from sin
and empower us daily to do good works,
that as long as we live in the body
we may always perform service to you.

After our departure give us pardon of all our sins,
and receive us to eternal life;
through him who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit,
forever and ever. **Amen.**



'Christ Liom, Christ Romhan'
Christ with me, Christ before me.

Diocese of Killaloe



St Mary of the Rosary Church, Nenagh
Hosted by the
Odhrán Pastoral area

Chrism Mass

*Bishop Fintan invites you to
Join him for the blessing of the Oils
and with the Clergy and Lay Ministers
in their renewal of commitment
on*

Wednesday 27th March @7.30pm

St Mary of the Rosary Church

Nenagh.

Joined by the combined choirs of the Odhrán Pastoral area



Easter Schedule for the Polish Community

Polish Stations of the Cross: Droga Krzyzowa W Jezyku Polskim
29/03/24 (Good Friday) @ 1pm in St Mary of the Rosary.
Polish Mass: Niedziela Palmowa 24/03/24 in St John the Baptist.
Blessing of Food: Swiecenie Pokarmow 30/03/24 @ 10.00am in St Mary of the Rosary.

Dawn Mass Easter Sunday

will take place in Lisboney Lawn Cemetery at 6am.
For those unable to drive. A bus will be departing St Mary of the Rosary
Church Rd @ 5.45am
Please bring a camping chair if you have one as seating will be limited.

Life Lessons

Priest: Did you like my homily on 'The Milk of Human Kindness'?
Parishioner: Yes, but I wish it had been condensed!

Those We Remember | Sat 23 - Sun 31 March

St Mary of the Rosary

Sat 23rd 6.15pm Ann White (1stA)
Patricia Walker (nee Quinn) (A)
Patricia Tucker (A)
Sun 24th 8am Tess Whelan & her brother Gay
Sun 24th 12noon McLoughlin (MMs)
Joseph Coleman O Connor(1stA)
Ger Mc Carthy (1stA)
Ann Griffin (1stA)
Tommy, Johnny & Patsy Abbott (As)
John O Connor (A)
Sun 24th 6pm Jerry Pratt (A) & deceased family
members
Stephanie Hanley (A)
Tommy Mulcahy (A)
Maureen & Toddy Bolger (As)
Joseph Mc Keogh (A)
Liam Nolan(A)
Shane & Daragh Middleton (As)
Dean & Evan Morrissey (As)
Josephine Butler (A)
Michael Nagle & Mary O Brien & her
son Michael (As)
Jane Slattery (A)

St John the Baptist

Sat 23rd 7.30pm Francis Martin (MM) & his mother
Nancy & sister Ann
Kathleen Dempsey (1stA)
Ann White (1st A) & her brother
Richard & deceased family
Members
Donie Morrissey (A)
Andrew Gill (A)
Michael Finn (A)
Sun 24th 10.30am Katie Ryan (A)
Patrick & Kathleen Gleeson (As)
Sun 31st 10.30am Martin & Jenny Casey (As)

Our Faithful Departed

John Moroney (Charleston, USA & Nenagh)
Mary Theato (née RYAN)

May They Rest In Peace. Amen.

Readers | 30-31 March 2024

6.15pm Peggy Shoer
7.30pm Kevin Costello
8am Tess O'Kennedy
10.30am Deborah O'Driscoll
12noon Paddy Rohan
6pm Alice Darcy

NOTICE BOARD

Weekly Collection €4,065

Thank you as always for your ongoing generosity.
Usual Parish Office Opening Hours Mon-Fri | 9am-5pm

Important Notice | Easter Season Parish Office Opening Hours

Parish Office closed Holy Thursday 28th March and Good
Friday 29th March all day.

Note For Your Diary

Divine Mercy Sunday Nenagh | St. Mary Of The Rosary, 7th April
2pm. Confessions And Adoration | **3pm.** Divine Mercy Chaplet |
3.30pm Holy Mass
Start the Novena on Good Friday and finish on Saturday 6th April.
The Novena leaflet will be available in the Church.