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St Mary of the Rosary 1896-2025

St John the Baptist 1970-2025

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First Sunday of Advent

Through the four Sundays of Advent our Old

Testament readings come from the prophet Isaiah.

Centuries before the birth of Jesus, in a divided

Israel, he had a vision of a Messiah whose

authority and judgement would bring light,

healing and peace to the world. We are all

invited to walk in that light.

Triduum Mass Intentions

Christmas Triduum Mass Intentions, an ideal way

to link with our loved ones this Christmas is to send

them a Parish Christmas card and include them in

our Christmas Triduum of Masses. Cards are

available in the Parish Office and shop at St Mary

of the Rosary. Proceeds go to Nenagh Lions Club

Appeal & Áras Mhuire Daycare Centre, Nenagh

Winter Warmer

Dance & Music From Around The World

Saturday 13 December - 2-4pm

Dance Limerick (St John's Church)

30 November 2025

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

Mass Times

St Mary of the Rosary

Weekend Masses:

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

Odhrán Pastoral Area Mass Times

Friday

Portroe 7.30pm Curreeny 7.30pm

Saturday

Youghalarra 6.30pm Puckane 7.30pm Templederry 7.00pm

(and Wednesdays at 7.00pm) Silvermines 8.00pm

Sunday

Carrig 10.00am Portroe 10.00am Ballywilliam 11.15am Killeen 10.00am Silvermines 11.00am

Fr Pat Gilbert

Fr Rexon Chullickal

Fr Lorcán Kenny

Fr Jofin Jose

St. Vincent de Paul Nenagh Christmas Appeal 2025

Wavs to donate:

- Blue Envelopes: Available in the church
- Vincents Shop, Mitchell St. (receipt given)
- Web: svp.ie/Nenagh-Appeal-25

Thank you for your donations which will go a long way to helping people in need in the area over Christmas.



Nenagh Community Training Centre



CHISTMAS MARKET

11 December 2025

Delicious Treats - Crafts - Hot Drinks - Santa's Grotto - Wheel of Fortune Prizes 3:30-6pm | St. John's Place E45 E248 | Admission Free

ORMOND OCTAVES

Christmas Concert

St Mary of the Rosary Church, Nenagh Friday 5 December, 8pm

Guest Soloist Dylan Rooney All proceeds to The A-Team Youth Clubs for the Autistic Community Tickets €20

Parish Newsletter - December Deadlines

All notices and Anniversaries for this newsletter for Sunday 21 and 28 December and 4 January 2026 must be submitted to the Parish Office by 12 noon on Tuesday 16 December 2025.

This deadline is essential in order to facilitate pre-production ahead of the Christmas and New Year period. We are unable to facilitate exceptions to the deadline. Thank you for your cooperation.

Medjugorje Afternoon Prayer

Watch & Take Part | Family Friendly | Áras Mhuire Day Care Centre on Monday 1st December at 4pm. All Welcome! ISL Interpretation

Parish Christmas Draw 2025

Tickets are available in the Parish Office and Parish Shop €2 each, 3 for €5

1st Prize Hamper value €300

2nd Prize Voucher €200

3rd Prize Voucher €100

Proceeds in aid of Church Renovation Funds

This Week We Offer A Special Prayer For ...the First Sunday of Advent



Dear Jesus,

you are the hope in our messy world. This Advent, help us slow down, listen to your voice, and focus on what's really important. We place our hope in you as we prepare our hearts to celebrate your birth on Christmas.



Feast Days for the Week Ahead

30th St Odhran

2nd St Ronan of Kilronan

St Francis Xavier

4th St John Damascene

6th St Nicholas

St Nicholas is patron of Russia, sailors' pawnbrokers and children.

St. Cronan's Association Christmas Fair

Wednesday 3 December

St. Cronan's Association is delighted to welcome you to our annual Christmas Fair on Wednesday, 3 December, from 11.00am to 4.00pm at St. Cronan's, Roscrea (E53 WY98).

Enjoy an afternoon filled with:

- A beautiful selection of handmade crafts
- Delicious festive treats
- Christmas music and carol singing
- Fun activities for children
- A warm festive atmosphere for all ages

Visit Santa in Our New Christmas Grotto!

This year, we are introducing a magical Santa's Grotto, where children can meet Santa between 2pm & 4pm. A small fee will apply. Come along, enjoy the festive spirit, and support a wonderful

community event. Everyone is welcome!

Living Links Meeting on the first Tuesday of every month in the Nenagh Pastoral Centre at 7:30pm

Ormond Historical Society

The society's next talk will be "History in Stone: Irish High Crosses" by Dr. Rachel Moss of TCD. The talk will be on Monday 8 th December at 8.00pm in the Abbey Court Hotel.

Grow

Grow Mental Health- Friendly Community based groups for anyone experiencing mental health issues through 12 Step Program of connection, hope, identity by empowering people to nurture their positive wellbeing by supporting personal growth through education, peer support and self-teaching. Templemore Meeting- Templemore Library. Monday @11am (Bar Bank Holiday Monday). Contact Celia 086-1526966/www.grow.ie

Our Faithful Departed

John Cecil Gleeson William (Billy) Power Annie Thomas

May They Rest In Peace. Amen.



How to Donate to Your Parish

To contribute to the weekly Parish Collection., just scan the code on the left. Your contribution is very important to the effective running of Your Parish and we could not be more greatful. Thank you so very much!

Anniversaries | Sat 29 - Sun 7 December

Sat 29th 6.15pm Paul Ryan (MM)

Patsy Leo (1st A)

Frank & Adele Cunniffe

Liam McGrath Sun 30th 12 noon

Paddy Ryan Martin Cawley, his wife Bridget

& their son John Kevin McLoughlin

Shane MacGowan Michael Herriott

Bea Hynes Sun 30th 6pm Mary O'Sullivan

Mon 1st 11am

Deceased members of the Fagan & O'Meara families

Peadar McNamara Maureen Egan & her daughter

Maura Smith

Thurs 4th 11am Pauline Knight Fri 5th 11am Tom & Elizabeth Hackett

Liam Troy

Diarmuid Ryan Sat 6th 6.15pm PJ O'Connor

Johnny Starr Sean Quinn

Sun 7th 12 noon **Christopher Toohey**

> Tom White & his parents Thomas & Kathleen Seamus Malone

Liam Spain & his wife Sheila Gerry Shallow, parents John &

Julia, brother Sean & sister Mary Pauline Knight

Sun 7th 6pm Oliver Murray Kevin McDermott

Jimmy Whelan Michael Madden

St. John The Baptist

Sun 30th 10.30am Alison Murphy

Marian & Pat Maher Brendan Martin & his brother **Sat 6th 7.30pm**

Austin

Maire Bean Úi Dhomhnaill

Margaret Ryan Sun 7th 10.30am P.J. Howard (MM)

Mary & Tom Keane John & Nancy Seymour

Readers | 6-7 December 2025

Doley Quigley 6.15pm 7.30pm Kevin Costello Geraldine Armitage 8am 10.30am Margaret Teehan Mary Slattery 12noon Martin O'Brien

PARISH OFFICE NOTICE BOARD

Weekly Collection €3,545. Thank you for your generosity. Office Opening Hours Mon-Fri | 9am-5pm (4pm on

Fridays)