

Nenagh Parish News

20 September 2026

St Mary of the Rosary
1896-2026

St John the Baptist
1970-2026

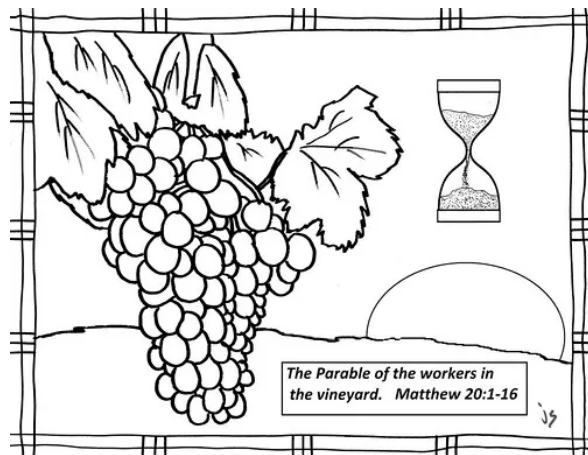
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Ten Years of Episcopal Leadership

On Friday next 25th September, we join the Diocese of Killaloe in wishing Bishop Fintan Monahan a very happy 10th anniversary of his episcopal ministry.

Bishop Fintan was ordained Bishop of Killaloe in the Cathedral of SS Peter & Paul Ennis on Sunday 25th September 2016.

We give thanks for ten years of dedicated service, steadfast faith and compassionate leadership, and we pray that the Lord will continue to bless Bishop Fintan as he shepherds the people of Killaloe Diocese with grace and wisdom.

May St Flannan's and St Senan continue to bless and guide him in his ministry.

Nenagh Active Retirement Club Coffee Morning

Nenagh Active Retirement Club is hosting a Coffee Morning on Thursday 24 September in Nenagh Library from 10am to 12.30pm, *in aid of Milford Hospice*. Free Parking in church grounds of St. Mary's until 1.00pm, by kind permission of Fr. Pat, and free parking around the library until 1.00pm, by kind permission of North Tipperary County Council. So please come along and enjoy a "Cuppa" and a chat, and help us raise much needed funds for our Hospice. Cakes or buns will be very much appreciated. Please spread the word. Thank you

Killaloe Diocese Adult Faith Formation Team

New for 2026: Invites you to an autumn gathering:

"Let's have an honest conversation about Synodality: Why do we need it & how we move forward?"

A dialogue among clergy and laity on how we can journey together as Church.

Two-part series guided by:

Fr Michael Conway: 26 September | *Fr Eamon Fitzgibbon:* 24 October

Time: 10am-1pm (+ coffee & tea) **Where:** Parish Centre, Ennis Cathedral

Mass Times

St Mary of the Rosary
Weekend Masses:

Saturday 10am | Liturgy of the Word with Holy Communion
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

Odhrán Pastoral Area

Mass Times

Friday

Portroe 7.30pm
Killeen 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
Curreeny 10.00am
Silvermines 11.00am

New Springtime Community

Empowering the Laity for Mission (10-week course)
Led by Fr. Pat Collins C.M.

Wed 14th Oct: Confronting Evil with the Power of the Gospel

Wed 21st Oct: Focusing on Meaning and Belonging

Wed 28th Oct: Evangelisation Of and By the Family

Wed 4th Nov: Person-to-Person Evangelisation

Wed 11th Nov: Parish Renewal and Evangelisation

Join us on Zoom each Wednesday for 10 weeks from 7pm to 9pm, starting Wed 9th Sept.

Register and pay: www.newspringtime.ie

Alzheimer Society of Ireland Family Support Group

The North Tipperary branch of the ASI will hold its next Family Support Group meeting in Nenagh Library on Wed 30th September. Mary Ashe, Dementia Advisor for the North Tipperary area, will attend.

The Support Group provides an opportunity to meet others in a similar situation, to share stories and experiences, and to access information and practical advice in a relaxed, understanding and supportive environment.

All are welcome – please come along for a cuppa and a chat.

Date: Wednesday 30th September

Venue: Nenagh Library

Time: 11:00 – 12:30

Contact: Jennifer Woods

Ph: 086-8096039

Email: jwoods@alzheimer.ie

Memory Café

The North Tipperary Branch of the ASI would like to invite people living with dementia/cognitive impairment, and their carers, to our Memory Café in the Silver Arch Family Resource Centre on Silver St., Nenagh.

Our aim is to provide a warm, welcoming venue for people to meet for a chat, refreshments, music & crafts.

Our ASI Home Care Co-ordinator for North Tipperary, Jennifer Woods, will be there to welcome everyone.

The Café is held on the first Thurs of every month.

Next Café: Thurs 1st October

Venue: Silver Arch Family Resource Centre, 52 Silver St., Nenagh.

Contact: Jennifer Woods, Home Care Co-ordinator.

Ph: 086-8096039

Email: jwoods@alzheimer.ie

This Week We Offer A Special Prayer ...to help me to stop worrying

Heavenly Father,
help me through all of my days.
Teach me not to worry.
Remind me to not be anxious.
As it says in Philippians 'Do not be anxious about anything, but in everything by prayer and supplication with thanksgiving let your requests be made known to God.'
I am making my requests known to you right now.
I need help.
I need you.
I thank you.
Amen.

Feast Days for the Week Ahead

21st St Matthew
23rd St Pio of Pietrelcina (Padre Pio)
26th St Cosmas
St Damian
27th St Vincent de Paul

The Hotels of Killaloe/Ballina

Join us on Wednesday 23 September for a fascinating look back at the many hotels and hostelries that once served Killaloe and Ballina. Discover the stories of their owners, their rise and fall, and some of their illustrious guests.

A free evening of local history, memories and stories – with a possible stroll to see some of the historic buildings as they are today (weather permitting)!

The event will take place in St. Flannan's Cathedral, Killaloe at 7:30pm. Our talks are free, and everyone is very welcome.

Vacancy: Executive Director, Accord CLG

Accord CLG is the national agency of the Catholic Church in Ireland, providing marriage preparation, relationship counselling and relationship education services across 25 counties. We are currently recruiting for the position of Executive Director.

For further information and applications contact Forvis Mazars execrecruit@mazars.ie +353 (1) 4494400.

St Faustina Weekend

A St Faustina Weekend will take place in St Mary's Church, Convoy Co Donegal F93FX66 on 3 and 4 October. It will consist of prayer and reflection on Divine Mercy Devotions. Led by Fr Eamonn Kelly, the weekend will invite all to come to know the Person of Divine Mercy. You are invited to come to all or part of the weekend.

Abide Women's Conference

Abide Women's Conference, November 20-22, the Great Northern Hotel Bundoran, Co. Donegal. Speakers include: Sarah Swafford, Fr Barry Braum, Fr Mark Wharton, Kimberlee WooLing, Danielle Noonan, Nashville Dominicans & more, Mass will be celebrated by Bishop Fintan Gavin, from Cork & Ross Diocese. We would love to welcome you this weekend. For more details please visit Abide in His Love at eventbrite.ie Registration link: <https://abideinhislove.eventbrite.com>

Encounter School of Ministry

Encounter School of Ministry (ESM) Clonfert Campus at Emmanuel House, Clonfert invites you to attend our 'Come and See' nights on Monday 7th, 14th and 28th September from 6pm. ESM offers a welcoming opportunity to deepen your faith, grow in confidence in prayer, and learn to live out the Gospel in everyday life. Come and discover how the Holy Spirit can equip you to bring Christ's love and hope to those around you.

For more information email clonfert@encounterschool.org

Life Lessons

A man went to a priest and asked about having a funeral for his dog. The priest said "I'm sorry son, but we can only have funerals for people." The man said " Oh, that's too bad. I was going to pay you €1,000." The priest said "Why didn't you tell me your dog was Catholic?"

Anniversaries | Sat 19 - Sun 27 September

St Mary of the Rosary

Sat 19th 11am Funeral Mass of Denis Finnan (Burial of Ashes)
Sat 19th 6.15pm John Murphy
Annie John
Ger Gleeson
Padraig Scahill, Arthur & Una McCarthy & their son Seamus Declan Tooher
Sun 20th 12 noon Michael Starr (1st A)
Nancy Costello
Peg & Jimmy Gleeson
Joe & Juliana O'Halloran & Joan Ryan
John & Cora McLoughlin
Paddy & Molly Ayres
Martin Ryan
The Mason family
David Morrissey
Hughie & Breda Cahalan & their son Patrick
Maeve Creamer
Teresa Ryan (MM)
Dolores Egan
Ciaran Mc Loughlin
Gerry McNamara
Peter Greene
Mary & Frank Mangan
The Hudner & Leader Families
Jack & Anne Griffin

St John the Baptist
Sat 19th 7.30pm Jimmy Murphy (MM) & also Tim Maloney
Luke Murtagh
Sun 20th 10.30am May & Joby Reynolds
Frank Brohan
Eamonn, Maura, Sean & Kathleen Gaynor
Sat 26th 7.30pm Tony Geaney & deceased family members

Our Faithful Departed

Denis Finnan
Sam Curtin
Sr Rita Murray

May They Rest In Peace. Amen.

Readers | 26-27 September 2026

6.15pm Joan McCarthy
7.30pm Ann Marie McCann
8am Pat Meagher
10.30am Deborah O'Driscoll
12noon Eilish Carter
6pm Delsy Pauly

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