

PARISH NEWSLETTER 8th. December, 2024 Second Sunday of Advent

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ANNIVERSARIES - WITH LOVE WE REMEMBER

<u>Saturday</u> 7th <u>December - Ballyconnell</u> - Matt Lawlor (Ballykilduff), Margaret Lawlor (Dublin - formerly from Raheen), Mick & James Kearns (Ballynultagh), Pat & Breda Kelly (Rath), Tommy & Kathleen Dempsey (Coolkenno), Breen family (Ballyconnell), James Wilson & Anthony Wilson (Stratnakelly). <u>Sunday 8th December Clonmore 10.30</u> - Pat & Kate Byrne and their son Danny (Vermount), Kathleen & Dan Doyle (Knockatomcoyle). <u>Friday 13th. - Killinure 7.30</u>: Tom & Gerard Cahill and deceased family members, Killinure.



MASS SCHEDULE: Tuesday 10th. Mass at 9.30; Wednesday 11th. Mass at 9.30. Friday 13th. Mass in Oratory in Killinure, 7.30

<u>Collections</u>: Bingo €615. Baskets €415 Envelopes €385.

Ballyconnell Bingo: Jackpot: €600 if you check on 50 numbers. The Christmas prizes will begin this Sunday night

<u>PARISH LOTTO</u>: Wednesday 4th. Dec. - no winner - 6, 19, 24, 30. No Jackpot winner. Next Jackpot 20,000 - 20 match 3's gets €50 each. <u>Coolkenno GAA Lotto</u>: Last week's numbers: 8, 14, 15, 16. No Winner - This week's Jackpot 6,900 - Next draw 9th Dec in the Crab Lane. Luck Dip Winners - Joe Keegan, Fiona Carton; Rose Jordan; Will Rooney

<u>Clonmore Senior Citizens' Christmas Party</u> – 10th January, 2025 – Littlewood Hall – 5pm. Please phone Helen 086 3701091 – Eric 087 7767402 Catherine 087 7580101.

Yoga/Mindfulness Classes – starting 15th January, 2025 for 6 weeks – Clonmore Old School – Cost €10 per session. Contact Lorna 085 2259100.

<u>Collection in aid of Vincent de Paul</u> - Sunday 8th December,

Clonmore - all donations gratefully received.

The local conference of St Vincent de Paul appeals to the public again this year to help us to help others in need this Christmas. This year more and more people are affected by the rising cost of living, especially heating, electricity and food. By supporting our Annual Appeal, you can help a family through this winter. You can donate by using the special SVP blue envelopes at the back of the Church, in the Post Office Tullow, Tullow Credit Union and Tullow Parish Centre. These envelopes can be posted or dropped into the Parish Centre. All funds raised will be spent in this community-Tullow, Grange, Ardattin, Rathoe, Ballon, Ballyconnell and Coolkenno. Thank you for your continued support. Annual collection will be nationwide Dec 7th & 8th

<u>Christmas Concert by Candlelight</u>: in St Michaels Church Aghowle (Near Coolkenno) on Sunday 15th December @ 8pm. The proceeds of this evening will be share between parish funds and also the Clonmore Senior Citizen Christmas Party fund as it is making a comeback in early January (10th January in Littlewood Hall). Tickets for the night are available from Eric Driver 087 2776282 or Sarah Driver 085 2200559

<u>Date for Your Diary</u>: Saturday 14th. Ballyconnell Church 7.30. Enrolment ceremony for the boys and girls who will receive their confirmation next year. <u>Bishop Denis</u> will celebrate this mass.

HAVE A WONDERFUL WEEK