

For those who have the St Paul Sunday Missal you will find this weekend's Mass on Page 123/133

Adoration: Every Thursday/Friday-2pm-6.45pm.

Confessions:6pm-6.20pm each Saturday at St Brigid's Church Or by appointment, then please contact Parish Office-090-9741092.

Minister of the Word:

Sat 21st Mar 6.30pm/Fabio O'Hare Avagliano

Sun 22nd Mar 10.30am/ Emma Burke

Sat 28th Mar 6.30pm/ Courtney Duane

Sun 29th Mar 10.30pm/ Gareth Heagney

Minister of Holy Communion:

Sat 21st Mar 6.30pm/ Lisa Keane

Sun 22nd Mar 10.30am/ Margaret Blaney

Sat 28th Mar 6.30pm/ Rosaleen O'Rourke

Sun 29th Mar 10.30am/ Jessica Noonan

"Happy St Patrick's Day" 

A Youth 2000 Day Retreat: At Knock Shrine, Co Mayo on Saturday 25th April. This provides an opportunity for young people (aged 16yrs-35yrs) to develop their relationship with God, learn more about the Catholic faith and meet other young people through a structured retreat programme. Talks, testimonies and games. Donation only. To register contact connaught@youth2000.ie.

NB: Those who wish to make a contribution directly into Parish Bank account or ongoing works to St Brigid's Church, please bank details as follows:-

BIC-BOFIE2DXXX **IBAN:** IE88BOFI90394726882574

NB: The protection of your personal data is important to us. We are happy to include your notice in our Parish Bulletin, **BUT** please ensure that you have received the consent of any persons referenced before submitting notice.

Cookery Demo Evening with Eunice Power: On Friday 27th March at 7pm in The Irish Workhouse, Portumna as part of ongoing fundraising efforts. Eunice is well known from The Today Show and author of My Irish Kitchen Table. There will be a Wine Reception, Raffle, Local Artisan Food Stalls. Tickets €35.00 from irishworkhousecentre.ie

Creative Arts Easter Camp: In Portumna Town Hall with Sabrina and Shea from Monday 6th April to Thursday 9th April. All material provided. Tel: Sabrina-087-9405221.

Taking the Past Forward: A unique, **FREE** Heritage Training Course is being made available by Galway Rural Development through the LEADER programme. This will be of interest to community heritage groups, tidy towns groups, men's sheds, women's sheds, CE Schemes and those interested in local heritage. The 5 weeks course starts on Wednesday 25th March at 10am in Kiltullagh Community Hub-H65 KC89. All welcome. To book your place-e-mail-zenahocter@gmail.com by 20th March.

Alone-Supporting Older People in Our Community: Currently seek Befriending & Visiting Volunteers in the local area. One hour a week to visit an older person can bring companionship and help reduce loneliness. Full training and support provided-visit alone.ie/volunteer. Older people who need support can call **ALONE'S** National Support Line-0818222024(8am-8pm-7 days a week).

Fr. Michael Byrnes P.P.,J.V. Tel: 090-9741092
Mobile: 087-6227468 Email: pp.portumna@clonfertdiocese.ie
St. Vincent de Paul 087-3650922.

Holy Mass Times: St. Brigid's Church

Sat 14th Mar 6.30pm (A) Michael Kelly
(A) Paddy & Una Connors
(A) Patrick & Florence Keane, Billy Hannon
& deceased family

Sun 15th Mar 10.30am (A) Brendie Finnerty, Jimmy Finnerty & deceased family
(A) Pat & Maura Scott
(A) Tommy Fitzpatrick

Mon 16th Mar 10.00am Private Intention x 3

Tues 17th Mar 10.30am (A) Ronald Hegarty & deceased family
"St Patrick Day" Private Intention + People of the Parish

Wed 18th Mar No Mass

Thurs 19th Mar 7.00pm (A) David & Mae Frawley
(A) Patrick & Mary Dolan & Tony & Mairead Nicholson
Private Intention

Fri 20th Mar 7.00pm (A) Paddy & Mary Jo Fogarty + Private Intention x 2

Sat 21st Mar 6.30pm (A) Sean O'Hare
(A) Jim & Molly Kelly
(A) Joseph Moore

Sun 22nd Mar 10.30am **(1stA)** Margaret Lohan
(A) Eamon O'Toole
(A) Georgina Hoary & Albert Larkin

Boula Mass Offering: (A) Tom Kelly & Paddy Kelly & deceased family

Mon 23rd Mar 10.00am (A) Michael & Angela Purcell & Ann Purcell + Private Intention x 2

Tues 24th Mar No Mass

Wed 25th Mar 7.00pm Private Intention x 2 + People of the Parish
Solemnity of the Annunciation of the Lord

Thurs 26th Mar 7.00pm Private Intention x 3

Fri 27th Mar 7.00pm (A) Nora Mannion + Private Intention x 2

Sat 28th Mar 6.30pm (A) Pat & Brigid Kildea + Private Intention x 2

Sun 29th Mar 10.30am (A) Mossie & Nancy Dermody

Palm Sunday (A) Jimmy & Maisie Canning + John & Kathleen Murray

Portumna Faith Community Area

Portumna Parish Newsletter

**Sunday 15th March 2026
Fourth Sunday of Lent
&
Sunday 22nd March 2026
Fifth Sunday of Lent**

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www.visitportumna.com

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