PARISHES OF TYNAGH & KILLEEN – ABBEY & DUNIRY
Portumna Faith Community Area

SATURDAY 31st OCTOBER/SUNDAY 1st NOVEMBER 2026

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ST LAWRENCES CHURCH TYNAGH & SACRED HEART CHURCH KILLEEN

Parish Website: tynaghkilleen.com **Facebook:** Tynagh & Killeen Parish.
Eircode: Tynagh Church H62 H580. Killeen Church H53 NW63.
Defibs: Tynagh NS H62AW74 – Tynagh Hall H62EH70 – Killeen NS H53DP84

MASS TIMES AND INTENTIONS

Sat 31st Oct **Killeen 8 pm**	Personal Intention	**Sun 1st Nov** **Tynagh 11 am**	(i) Breege Watson, Newcastle & Cappacur (Months Mind) (ii) Padraic Conroy, Milltown & Lissinard, (Months Mind)	
Mon 2nd Nov **Killeen 9.30 am** **Tynagh 8 pm**	 Holy Souls Holy Souls	**Tues 3rd Nov** **Killeen 9.30 am**	Holy Souls	
Wed 4th Nov **Tynagh 8 pm**	John & Tess Briscoe & deceased members of Briscoe family Derryfrench.		**Thurs 5th Nov** **Killeen 9.30 am**	Holy Souls
Fri 6th Nov ***Abbey 1 pm*** **Tynagh 8 pm**	 *Wedding Abbey Church* Pat Robinson Pallas Annivesary		**Sat 7th Nov** **Killeen 8 pm**	Holy Souls
Sun 8th Nov **Tynagh 11 am**	(i) Jeanne & Edwin Williams, Barnaculla, Anniversaries. (ii) Moira Harney, Loughrea and late of Tynagh, Anniversary.			

Where possible Masses are livestreamed on parish Facebook page

Ministers of The Word:	Sat 7th Nov Killeen – Colette Burke	Sun 8th Nov Tynagh – Tom Shiel
Ministers of The Eucharist:	Sat 7th Nov Killeen – Colette Burke	Sun 8th Nov Tynagh – Noelene Lillis
Tellers for Sunday 8th Nov:	Cepta Ryan and Clodagh Ryan	
Tynagh Flowers for November:	Ann Havil and Olivia Havil.	

CHURCH OF THE HOLY FAMILY DUNIRY & CHURCH OF THE ASSUMPTION ABBEY

Eircode: Abbey Church H62CR62. Duniry Church H62FT54
Defibs: Holohan's Shop H62H588 - Abbey NS H62FY64/Duniry Church H62FT54 – Duniry Pitch H62EW62

MASS TIMES AND INTENTIONS

Sat 31st Oct **Abbey 7 pm**	Mass for People of the Parish		
Sun 1st Nov **Duniry 10 am**	**(i)** Kevin Robinson (Anniversary). **(ii)** James Collins (9th Anniversary). **(iii)** Ann and Angela Kilcar (Anniversaries). **(iv)** John, Margaret and Dermot Kilcar (Anniversaries). **(v)** Michael and Mary Madden (Anniversaries).		
Mon 2nd Nov **Abbey 10 am** **Duniry 8 pm**	Mass for All Souls Day	**Tues 3rd Nov** **Duniry 8 pm**	Mass in Parochial House
Wed 4th Nov **Duniry 9.45 am**	Mass in Parochial House ***Note earlier time***	**Fri 6th Nov** **Abbey 1 pm** **Abbey 7 pm**	 Wedding in Abbey Church Private Intention.
Sat 7th Nov **Abbey 7 pm**	(i) Paddy Behan, Cork RIP (ii) Larry Donnelly, Anniversary.		
Sun 8th Nov **Duniry 10 am**	(i) Tom Hanrahan (Months Mind) (ii) Fr. Anthony McHugo (Anniversary).		

Duniry Readers	Sun 1st Nov	Niamh Broderick	Sun 8th Nov	Martin Van Thonder
Eucharistic Ministers:	Sun 1st Nov	Derek Clarke	Sun 8th Nov	Eleanor Farrell

Where possible Masses are transmitted Live on Abbey-Duniry Parish Facebook page
Masses are relayed on radio at 106.5 and where possible are streamed live on Abbey Church Webcam

All Saints Day: Sunday 1st November is the Feast of All Saints. Mass in Killeen Saturday at 8 pm and in Tynagh Sunday at 11 am. Mass in Abbey Saturday at 7 pm and in Duniry Sunday at 10 am.

All Souls Day Masses: Monday 2nd November is All Souls Day. Mass in Killeen Monday at 9.30 am and in Tynagh Monday at 8 pm, Mass in Abbey Monday at 10 am and Duniry Monday at 8 pm.

Eucharistic Adoration: Every Monday 5-7 pm in Abbey Church. During November we remember all those in our community who died in the past year. A special candle in their memory will remain lighting during Adoration also remembering those whose names are on the lists of the dead, All Souls, and those who have no one to pray for them.

Tynagh & Killeen First Friday Calls – will now take place on Friday 13th November beginning at 10 am.

November House Calls: Fr Brendan will do his house calls in Duniry on Thursday 5th November and in Abbey on Friday 6th November 2026 beginning around 11 am.

Holy Souls Envelopes: Place a list of your deceased relatives on the sheet which is in your collection box and place it with your contribution into the envelope marked 'All Souls'. Ten Masses are offered between Tynagh and Killeen and ten Masses are offered between Abbey and Duniry for your deceased loved ones. Please consider attending Mass during November and praying for all the faithful departed.

Rosary: each evening at 8 pm in Abbey Church (except Saturdays) and relayed on radio 106.5. Rosary and the Divine Mercy Chaplet recited before all Masses in Abbey. **Eucharistic Adoration** - every Monday from 5 - 7 pm in Abbey Church.

The Children's Rosary will take place in Abbey Church Sunday 8th November 8-8.30pm, supported by the Abbey Rosary group. All welcome, with their parents/guardians, for this time of prayer and song led by local children.

Stations of the Cross: Outdoor veneration of the Stations of the Cross will take place on Monday Nov 2nd - Feast of the Holy Souls - at 4 pm. in St. Feichin's Cemetery, Lackan, Abbey. The Rosary will also be prayed there.

DIOCESAN NOTICES

Mass for Deceased Bishops and Priests Clonfert Diocese: on Tues 3rd Nov at 11 am in Loughrea Cathedral.

Beginning Sunday 8th November 7-9pm; in Ballinasloe Family centre: a six-week journey with the Gospel of John - a shared reading and pondering of John's Gospel. Places are limited; message John 087 9068032.

Anam Cara Galway, monthly Parent Support Evening on Wednesday 4th November at 7.30pm in the Maldron Hotel. This event is free - find out more call 01 4045378 or email info@anamcara.ie.

PARISH NOTICES

Tidy Towns: Huge congratulations to ACDA, the local CE scheme and to everyone in the community who got involved in 2026 National Tidy Towns competition. Abbey scored 1st place with the highest marks in Co. Galway winning a Gold Medal Award for the second year. We look forward to community involvement and continued support in 2027 – Ní neart go cur le chéile!

Killeen N.S would like to sincerely thank all those who supported its recent Bake Sale. A superb €1368 was raised on the day and with donations. The generosity of the community is greatly appreciated by all in the school.

Annual November Service of Remembrance - on Tuesday 17th Nov at 7 pm in Woodford Church.

Tynagh/Abbey-Duniry GAA Club - Lotto numbers drawn on October 26th were 4,7,12,29 No jackpot winner and 3 match 3's. Jackpot is now €9,400 and draw will take place on Mon. 2nd November.

Davitts 50/50 –Next draw on Monday 2nd November. Tickets available in local shops/pubs or online.

Portumna Social Services Day Care Centre warmly invite older people in our Parish and surrounding areas to come along, meet new friends and become part of our community. Upcoming events include exercise classes, a talk on brain health and Christmas celebrations. Please contact us on 09097 41740 for more information.

Alone - is looking for friendly local volunteers to offer older people companionship, a friendly chat and a cup of tea. Full training & ongoing support provided. Visit www.alone.ie, email volunteer@alone.ie or call 0818 222 024.

Introduction to Pottery – Ceramics Course at Shragh Community Centre (H62 H318) Sat 7th Nov (11am-4pm) and Sat 21st Nov (12pm – 2pm). Cost €90. More info or to register Mary 087 6152668 or Eibhlín 086 8071422.

Tynagh Bingo: Bingo this Sunday 1st November – Jackpot €3000.

Quote – Wisdom has two parts: (1) Knowing what to say. (2) Not saying it….!!