

30TH AUG 2026
TEMPLEMORE, CLONMORE & KILLEA PARISH

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**THE FOLLOWING ANNIVERSARIES
OCCUR AT THIS TIME**

Sat 29th Aug: 7pm:

- † Jo Mai Dempsey, **1st Anniv** & her parents.
- † Michael & Marie Gavin, Marian Rd.
- † Peggy Keane, Patrick St.
- † Paddy Ryan, Gerard Ryan & Caoimhe Feerick-Ryan.

Sun 30th Aug: Clonmore 9am:

- † Michael O'Meara.

Templemore 10.30am:

- † Lil Birmingham, Late of Richmond, **10th Anniv.**

Sat 5th Sept: 7pm:

- † Geraghty Family.
- † Michael (Mick) Roche & Margaret (Rita) Roche, 35 Lacey Ave.
- † John & Mai McDevitt, Church Ave.
- † Betty Wixted, Marian Rd & her husband Dom.
- † Monsignor Jim Costigan, **2nd Anniv.**
- † Tommy Conroy, **Months Mind.**
- † Denis, Mary, Eamonn & Tim Meagher, Killough, The Breen Family, Killough & Joe Maher, Drogheda.
- † Ernest Cummins, Anniv, his father Bernard & brother Michael.
- † Liam Maher, **Months Mind**, Kilduff, Killea.
- † Gerry Reilly, Adamstown. **5th Anniv.**

Sun 6th Sept: Templemore 10.30am:

- † Margaret Geoghegan, **Anniv.**

***We remember those who died recently
† Marian Howe, formerly Richmond Grove.***

OFFERTORY COLLECTION – Last weekend €2,045. We thank all who support & give so generously to our parish. **If you would like to donate to the parish you can drop in to the parish office or you can now donate online @ www.templemoreparish.ie/donate. You can select the collection you wish to donate to and follow the on screen instructions.**

TEMPLEMORE SVP – will be holding their monthly church gate collection after all Parish Masses this weekend. Your continued support is much appreciated.

TEMPLEMORE PARISH FOLK GROUP – return after the summer holidays to practice on Wed Aug 26th @ 8pm in McAuley Centre. New singers and musicians are welcome to join just come along on Wed night.

PARISH LOTTO DRAW – 24th Aug 2026 – Jackpot €6,200. Numbers Drawn: 3, 16, 27, 32. **No Jackpot Winner.** 3 Lucky Dip Winners: Bridie Martin, John Fitzpatrick, Bridget Kinnane. Next week's jackpot €6,050. Lotto available online. For details contact parish office. Congratulations to our winners & thank you for your support.

SAVE THE DATE – Folk Group Christmas Charity Concert this year will take place on Dec 13th and special guest will be Simon Casey

PARISH FUNERAL TEAM – for Aug is Anne Kiely & Marian Keely. thanks to all members of the parish funeral team for their ministry and service.

SONGS OF HOPE & INSPIRATION – Come along and enjoy a musical evening with Des Willoughby, Louise Morrissey, Marc Roberts & Clodagh Lawlor – Cathedral of the Assumption, Friday October 2nd. Doors open 7.00 p.m. Concert starts 8.00 p.m. Ticket Donation: €35 – now available from Parish Office (0504 -22229); Bookworm (0504 22257) & Holycross Abbey Shop (0504-43124). All proceeds to the Cathedral Reroofing Fund.

BIG FUNDRAISER – In memory of Joe Johnston & Declan Barry. In aid of Oesophageal Cancer Fund & North Tipperary Hospice. Sunday 6th September. Vintage & Tractor Run 11am (Registration from 9.30am at the farm.), Traditional threshing with our newly restored Ransome threshing mill. From 2pm - Dog Show, Auction, Wheel of Fortune, Children's activities, Food & Drink, Craft traders, Music all day (Ceol agus Craic). For more info – contact Jessie Griffin 086 639 2267. Graigue Farm – Eircode E41 K095.

***To make a difference in someone's life you
don't have to be brilliant, rich, beautiful,
or perfect. You just have to care.***
– Mandy Hale

ZEN DRAGONS – Kids Yoga, ages 5-11. Starts Tues 15th Sept, 5-6pm, McAuley Centre. 4 weeks €40 or PAYG €12 per class. Contact Kim: Phone - 085 1393444, Email - tipperary.wellness@gmail.com.



BACK TO SCHOOL – Good wishes and blessings for the school year to all teachers, staff and pupils who are returning to school and to all involved in the enterprise of education in our parish.

Back to School Prayer

Dear Lord, As our students begin a new school year, I pray that you will keep them in your care. Send your

Spirit to open their minds to all that is true and beautiful and good Help them to see the gifts and talents you have given them and to use them well.

Help them to grow in knowledge and wisdom. Help them to be kind to others and lead others to be kind to them. Give their teachers patience and understanding and help them teach what is just and true. Send your angels to guide and guard our children and to keep them from all harm. Open their young hearts to your presence and enfold them in your peace and protection. Hold them in the palm of your hand and bring them home safely at day's end.

Amen.



What is rare is wonderful to see – the hydrangea in Killea has all the colours and blossom, white, pink & blue and has survived the heat wave.

CONGRATULATIONS – to our parishioner Catherine Maher, Dromard/Dean Maxwell on her 102nd birthday this past week, our prayers and good wishes to Catherine.



KILLAVINOGUE GRAVEYARD – is not in the public eye as you pass – hidden away but a beautiful, maintained burial ground, stonework paths and flowers. Appreciation to the volunteer spirit of those who keep it so well from the Clonmore Community.



SEASON OF CREATION – Sept 1st to Oct 4th. This year's theme – "Living Water" inspired by Ezekiel 49:9,12, a biblical vision of hope and ecological renewal. The prophets image of living water flowing from God's sanctuary reveals God's healing presence, bringing new life to rivers, land , biodiversity and communities, calling us to renewed care for the whole Earth community. Our recent heatwave and extended dry spell brings home to us how precious is the gift of water, to use it as one of God's precious gifts to humanity and for the beauty of His creation.