

## Prayer at the Ploughing 2019:

In preparation for hosting the Diocesan Stand 399 at the National Ploughing Championships Bishop Denis Nulty is inviting people all around the country to choose their favourite prayer, perhaps a prayer they learned at their mother's knee or handed down *ó ghlúin go ghlúin* in their family. People can send their prayer by email to [prayerattheploughing@kandle.ie](mailto:prayerattheploughing@kandle.ie) or post them directly to him at Bishop's House, Dublin Rd, Carlow. The closing date for entries is September 10th.

The Ploughing Championships takes place in the middle of the annual Season of Creation, which the Church marks from 1st September – 4th October. Bishop Denis is also inviting people to get creative and write their own prayer (*no more than 100 words*) about the environment. This new '*green prayer*' could relate to farming, gardening or sustainability.

A shortlist of the favourite prayers will be displayed at the **Kildare & Leighlin stand 399** when the event gets underway in Ballinrane, Fenagh, Co Carlow on **17th September**. An adjudication will decide which of the 'green prayers' wins a prize of a €100 One for All Gift Voucher.

### KILTOGHERT PARISH

#### OFFICE HOURS:

**Open:** Mon, Tues, Thurs 2pm-5pm  
Wed & Fri 10.30am-5pm

**Closed:** Sat, Sunday, Holy & Hank Holidays

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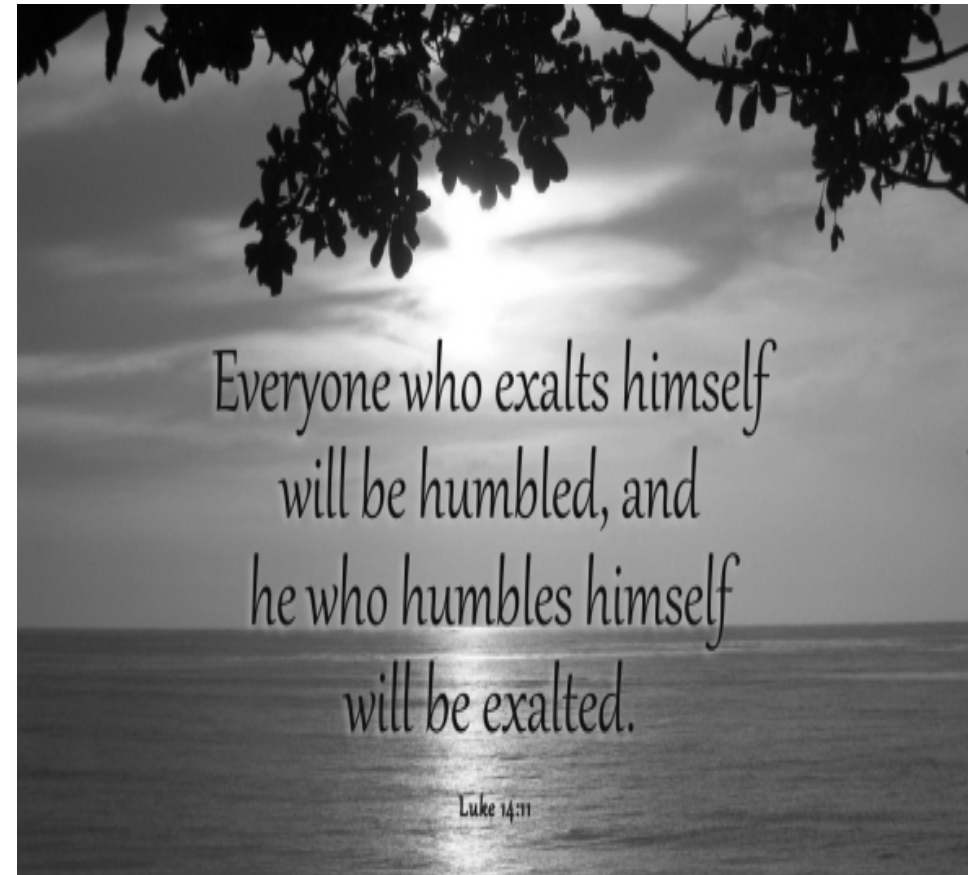
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# Kiltoghert Parish

SATURDAY 31st AUGUST & SUNDAY 1st SEPT 2019  
TWENTY SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



**PRIEST ON DUTY: FR. SEAMUS O'ROURKE C.C. 071-96200054**

**MASSES FOR SATURDAY 31st AUGUST & SUNDAY 1st SEPT**

**ST.MARY'S: Saturday Vigil 8pm:** Charlie Joe Fox (Anniv)

**Sunday 9am:** John, Kathleen & J.J. Flynn (Anniv)

**12noon:** JB & Kathleen Campbell (Bridge St)

Jack & Rachel Dolan (Bush Hotel)

**LEITRIM 10.15am:** Joe Mullaney (Anniv)

**GOWEL 10.15am:**

**JAMESTOWN Sat Vigil 7pm:** Tom Daly (Anniv)

**MASSES FROM MONDAY 2nd - SATURDAY 7th SEPTEMBER**

**ST.MARY'S: Monday 8pm:**

**Tuesday 10am:**

**Wednesday 10am:**

**Thursday 10am:**

**Friday 8pm:** John & Frances Gilmartin (Dublin Rd)

**Sat 10am:**

**LEITRIM Tuesday 8pm:**

**First Friday Leitrim 10am:**

**GOWEL Friday 7pm:**

**MASSES FOR SATURDAY 7th & SUNDAY 8th SEPT**

**ST. MARY'S Sat Vigil 8pm:** Martin O'Gorman (Anniv)

**Sunday 9am:** Gerry Moore (Anniv)

**Sunday 12:**

**JAMESTOWN Sat Vigil 7pm:** Bridie Reynolds (Anniv)

**LEITRIM 10.15am:** Sean O'Rourke (3rd Anniv)

**GOWEL 10.15am:** Willie & Sheila McNabola

(Luton & Annaghshelhenry)

#### **PARISH NOTICES**

**FIRST FRIDAY CALLS: 6th September:** House calls as arranged with your priest.

**CHURCH COLLECTIONS: Offertory €3,180**

**WEDDING:** Congratulations to Katrine Balogh & Christopher Forsyth who were married in St.Mary's recently.

**BAPTISM:** We welcome into the Christian family, Aoife O'Connell, who was baptised in Jamestown last weekend.

**MISSION APPEAL:** Fr.Paddy Moran wishes to express his deep gratitude to our parishioners for their generous donations last weekend. He will return to speak at masses in Jamestown and Leitrim on 7th & 8th September.

**FAREWELL AND WELCOME:** The diocesan changes made by Bishop Francis Duffy will take effect this weekend and as our parishioners know by now, they will impact on our parish. We take this opportunity to express our deep gratitude to Fr. Brendan O'Sullivan for all his great work in our parish over the past four years. We wish him every blessing and happiness in his new posting as Parish Priest of Lemanaghan. We also extend a very warm welcome to our new curate, Fr. Mark Bennett. Fr.Mark has been working in the parish of St. Mary's in Athlone for the past 17 years. We trust that he will be very happy in our parish and will be welcomed by all our parishioners.

#### **COMMUNITY NOTICES**

**ST. MARY'S CHURCH CHOIR: PARISH OF KILTOGHERT:** The Choir will re-commence singing at noon masses at St Mary's parish church, Carrick-On-Shannon, starting on Sunday 15<sup>th</sup> September. The choir generally sings every second weekend, and on other special occasions. Practices will re-commence in Carrick-on-Shannon Community School on Thursday evenings at 8.00 pm, starting on the 12<sup>th</sup> September next. New members are being recruited to fill positions in the Alto, Tenor and Bass lines. If interested, please contact Choir Secretary, Ciarán Tracey on 086-6027126, to meet with a few members, commencing the 2<sup>nd</sup> September, with a view to joining the choir.

**ENGLISH LANGUAGE ENROLMENT DAY: Monday 9th September** from 10am -1.00pm, 4.00pm-7.00pm. Location Market Yard, Ck on Shannon, Co.Leitrim. Contact Gary at 091-9621366 or 086-0455013 or garyburke@msletb.ie

**MARCH FOR THEIR LIVES:** "Precious Life", "Youth for Life" and many other Pro-Life groups, north and south of the Border, are organising a rally on Saturday 7th September at 2pm, Custom House Square, Belfast City Centre, to mobilise, motivate, organise and lobby to keep Westminster from imposing abortion on Northern Ireland. Please make a special effort to be there and support. The Dublin office of the 'Life Institute' is organising transport to the rally: Contact 01-8730465. More Information on [www.thelifeinstitute.net](http://www.thelifeinstitute.net) or [www.preciouslife.com](http://www.preciouslife.com) [ or phone NI on 048-9027848.

**KILTOGHERT CEMETERY:** The Committee is in the process of updating the names and dates missing from the notice board at the top of the cemetery. Any information on same can it be passed on to any committee member. We need the information before 1st of October '19.