



BAPTISM

We welcome into our Christian Community through the Sacrament of Baptism:

Tyler Anthony O’Gorman, Oakley Lawn.

Niamh Elizabeth Carew, Killeagh.

Archie Kiely, Oakley Lawn.

Congratulations to their parents and families.

TRÓCAIRE BOX

Please help Angela and Madris to protect their families this Lent. They are risking their lives for the ones they love.

It is not right that all around the world, vast human potential is being snuffed out and silenced, by Poverty, Hunger, Injustice, Exploitation. It is not right that good families should fear for life’s most basic gifts. This Lent let your love conquer fear for brave women and their families around the world, by donating to help and protect them this Lent.



CONFIRMATION

As part of their preparation for Confirmation which takes place on Wednesday 6th May 2020. Confirmation classes from both schools have selected a theme for four of our weekend Masses leading up to the Confirmation date. Mass organised by the Children of Caherline School will take place on **Sunday March 15th at 10am in Caherline. The theme for this Mass is “God’s Gift of Creation.”**

Mass organised by the children of Caherconlish School will take place on: **Saturday 4th April at 6.30p.m. In Caherconlish.**

DO THIS IN MEMORY MASS

Mass: **Sunday 29th March Caherline 10am.**

CONFESSIONS / RECONCILIATION:

Thursday 5th March Caherline 7pm.

Thursday 12th March Caherconlish 7pm.

Thank you to the parishioners who have taken a name of a Communion Child from the box at the back of our Churches and have committed to praying for this child every day until Communion day.



St. Patrick’s Day. A day we remember the roots of the Christian faith in Ireland. There is no doubt that to be a Christian in Ireland today is difficult. Often it is easier to hide our faith, to avoid ridicule, arguments and debates which can wear us down. However, today we should take example and energy from St. Patrick. His story was not a walk in the park either.

Today we celebrate our Christian identity and the Gospel message that a courageous Patrick brought us, a message that we preserved and passed on; a message this is very relevant to today’s world and which continues to nourish and sustain us.

When we are struggling with being a Christian in modern Ireland, feeling excluded in a world that wants to forget God, we can take courage from the parable of the mustard seed- it grew in places where it was not wanted.

**‘I arise today, through God’s strength to pilot me,
God’s might to uphold me, God’s wisdom to guide me,
God’s eye to look before me, God’s ear to hear me,
God’s word to speak for me, God’s hand to guard me,
God’s shield to protect me.’ (St. Patrick’s Breastplate)**

MARCH FEAST DAYS & INTERNATIONAL DAY OF PRAYER

Friday March 6th: Women's International Day of Prayer. This day is a global ecumenical movement led by Christian women who welcome you to join in prayer and action for peace and justice.

Monday 16th March: Eve of St. Patrick's Day:

Mass in Caherconlish at 7.30pm.

Tuesday 17th March: St. Patrick's Day:

Mass in Caherline at 10am- Caherconlish at 11am.

La Fhéile Padraig Shona daoibhe go leir.

CAHERCONLISH-CAHERLINE PARISH ENVELOPES

Special Orange Envelope collection (1) for Diocesan Needs: Collection will be taken up on the weekend 21st/22nd March. We are asked to contribute € 10,200.00. This money goes towards Diocesan Office/Secretary organisations such as Accord/Child Protection etc.

PRESENTATION OF DIOCESAN DRAFT PASTORAL STRATEGY 2025

Thursday 26th March at 7.30pm Millennium Centre, Caherconlish.

The purpose of this Deanery gathering is to present the Diocesan Draft Pastoral Strategy to the meeting, and to receive feedback from those present, on this draft of proposals, in preparation for a launch of Diocesan pastoral initiatives for 2020-25 at Pentecost 2020.

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION ASSEMBLY, THURLES.

Guest Speaker: Fr. Pat Collins

Venue: St. Patrick's College, Thurles

Date: March 7th, 202

Time: 10.00-1.00pm

Programme:

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| 10.00 | Rosary and Talk by Fr. Pat Collins |
| 10.45-11.15 | Tea and refreshments |
| 11.15 | Adoration with talk by Fr. Pat Collins |
| 12.15 | Holy Mass Concelebrated by
Fr. Pat Collins and Fr. Daniel Woods. |
| 13.00 | Conclusion |

ALL PARISHIONERS ARE WELCOME



ANNIVERSARY MASSES FOR MARCH 2020

CAHERCONLISH

- Saturday 7th** Patrick Leonard and Mary Carmody, Caherline.
Sunday 8th Brendan Styles, Jim and Mary Hourigan, High St.
Breda Carey, Hillview Drive,
Jennifer Lunn, Pust.
- Saturday 14th** Jim Ryan, Hillview Drive,
Nellie O'Donnell, Main Street.
- Saturday 21st** Josie Hickey, Main Street.
Sunday 29th Mamie Gleeson, 100 Acres.
Sarah Mulcaire, Inch St. Lawrence,
Marion Ward, Newtown,
Kathleen Murnane, Barrack Road.
- Sunday,**
(5th April) Martin Gavin, Pust.

CAHERLINE

- Sunday 8th** Stephen Guerin, Killeagh,
Patrick and Catherine Heffernan, Clashbane.
- Sunday 15th** Danny Long, Mountminnett,
John Madden, Ballyvourneen.
- Sunday,**
(5th April) Nora and Paddy Kelly, Rockfarm.

MAY THEY REST IN PEACE

WE OFFER PRAYERS AND SYMPATHY to the family and friends of
Mrs. Violet Rainsford (nee Blackwell) High Park, who died recently.

May she rest in peace.