

Nenagh Parish

News

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Mass Times

St Mary of the Rosary

Weekend Masses:

Liturgy of the Word with
Holy Communion | Saturday 10am
Saturday Vigil Mass | 6.15pm
Sunday 8am | 12 noon | 6pm

Weekday Masses

8am | 11am

Adoration | Weekdays 5-7pm

Confessions | Sat after Liturgy

Parish Radio: 106.2FM

St John the Baptist, Tyone

Saturday | 7.30pm

Sunday | 10.30am

This Week We Offer A Special Prayer For...

...the beginning of Summer

For more light in the day, we thank you,
For gentle mornings, we thank you,
For nighttime conversations, we thank you,
For friends and family, we thank you,
For gardens and all manner of creatures, we thank you.
Help us, Creator and lover of our souls.
Help us love this earth.

Help us dwell wholeheartedly in our lives this day.
Help us pray as we walk, work, play, rest, and create.

Amen.

Those We Remember | Sat 6 - Sun 14 May

St Mary of the Rosary

Sat 6th 6.15pm	Sr Columba Ryan (MM) & her brother Jack Ryan
Sun 7th 12noon	David Walkin (1st A) Molly Mitchell (MM) Timothy Ryan (A) Martin & Olive Corboy (As) Michael Finn (A) Johnny Mc Mahon (A) Christy Ryan (A) Philip Hynes (A) Mary Hogan & her sisters Johanna & Margaret (A) Mary Gill (A)
Sun 7th 6pm	Joseph Kinnane (A) Anne Ryan (MM) Michael & Margaret Mackey (As) & deceased members of the Ryan Family Maura Dooley (A) Noreen Lane (1st A) Tony White (1st A) Mary Harnett (1st A) & deceased family members
Mon 8th 11am	Tommy Brett (A)
Tue 9th 11am	Con O Meara (A)
Wed 10th 11am	Michael Hunt (A) Mary Kate Creagh & her husband Jimmy & deceased Family members (As) Daniel Flannery (A) Eileen Cassidy (A) & deceased members of the Barry & Cassidy Family
Thur 11th 11am	Denis & Mary Kate Maher (As) & their sons Pat & Seamus
Sat 13th 6.15pm	
Sun 14th 12noon	
Sun 14th 6pm	
Sun 7th 10.30am	St John the Baptist Lech Falkowski (A)
Sat 13th 7.30pm	Marek Siennicki (A) Jack & Brigid McIntyre (As) Charlie Bond (A)
Sun 14th 10.30am	Seanie Hogan (MM)

Sacraments of Holy Communion & Confirmation

Saturday May 6th	CBS Holy Communion @ 10am Burgess Communion @ 11am Portroe Communion @ 2pm
Friday May 12th	Gaelscoil Confirmation @ 10am St. Mary's Convent Confirmation @ 12.30
Saturday May 13th	CBS Confirmation @ 1pm Youghalarra Communion @ 10am
Tuesday May 16th	Sacrament of Reconciliation NCS @ 7pm
Thursday May 18th	Burgess & Youghalarra Confirmation @ 11am Portroe Confirmation @ 4pm
Friday 19th May	St. Mary's No 2 Confirmation St. John's @ 6pm
Saturday 20th May	St. Mary's No 2 Communion St. John's @ 12 noon
Friday May 26th	Community School Communion @ 2.30pm

Extracts from God's Vision of You

Unconditional love is what you were made for, and Who you were made by! The dignity of your human personhood is intrinsically valuable. You can't change that value, no matter how badly you blow it. (And your human frailty means you are broken by sin, so you're definitely going to blow it, probably badly.)

God knows all of this...and He's crazy about you anyway!
If we were only worth what our good performance dictates, we would all be in a lot of trouble. But if even our worst mistakes and sins are actually opportunities to deepen our trust in His divine mercy, then what do we have to fear?

If God sees ALL of you, including your brokenness, and pours out His blood and mercy for you, who are you to not be merciful with yourself?

We are not perfect. And that's okay! Extend compassion to yourself. God does. All of your mistakes or failures are not evidence of your worthlessness, but rather are opportunities to learn, grow, trust, and abandon yourself to God's great love for you. Have you ever looked at childhood pictures of someone you love? Seeing the past-version of a loved one probably fills you with delight and affection. That's how God sees you.

Sean Faulkner

His Holiness, Pope Francis, on Globalisation and Rapidly Advancing Technology

In today's world, the sense of belonging to a single human family is fading, and the dream of working together for justice and peace seems an outdated utopia. What reigns instead is a cool, comfortable and globalised indifference, born of deep disillusionment concealed behind a deceptive illusion: thinking that we are all-powerful, while failing to realise that we are all in the same boat. This illusion, unmindful of the great fraternal values, leads to "a sort of cynicism. For that is the temptation we face if we go down the road of disenchantment and disappointment... Isolation and withdrawal into one's own interests are never the way to restore hope and bring about renewal. Rather, it is closeness; it is the culture of encounter. Isolation, no; closeness, yes. Culture clash, no; culture of encounter, yes".

In this world that races ahead, yet lacks a shared roadmap, we increasingly sense that "the gap between concern for one's personal well-being and the prosperity of the larger human family seems to be stretching to the point of complete division between individuals and human community... It is one thing to feel forced to live together, but something entirely different to value the richness and beauty of those seeds of common life that need to be sought out and cultivated". Technology is constantly advancing, yet "how wonderful it would be if the growth of scientific and technological innovation could come with more equality and social inclusion. How wonderful would it be, even as we discover faraway planets, to rediscover the needs of the brothers and sisters who orbit around us".

Extracts from Encyclical Letter *Fratelli Tutti* of the Holy Father Francis on Fraternity and Social Friendship (3 October 2020)

St John The Baptist Church Tyone

We want to take this opportunity to update all parishioners on the work that has been ongoing in St John the Baptist Church Tyone since 2020. The main objective in undertaking the renovation work was for St John's to become both a centre for worship as well as a community hub for use by parishioners and other groups to develop and promote both faith and wellbeing. We are happy to confirm that the work on the Chapel included.

- New altar, chair, and Ambo
- New carpeting for the Altar area and floor covering for the remainder of the Chapel area.
- Painting of the ceiling tiles,
- New lighting and sound system
- Curtain on back wall behind Altar
- Lighting behind cross on back wall
- Provision of a lockable retractable partition that will segregate the Chapel from the multipurpose area Monday to Friday and then enlarge the Chapel for weekend ceremonies.

The work in the multipurpose area has now been completed and included.

- New floor covering
- Painting of ceiling tiles,
- Provision of wheelchair accessible toilets
- Provision of Kitchenette.

Both areas are now complete and available for the intended purpose. Please contact the parish office for any further details.

We would like to sincerely thank the many people who have contributed financially to the cost of the work. Your generosity has secured the future of St John's ensuring that it will play a pivotal role in the future of the parish of Nenagh.

Our Faithful Departed

John (Jack) Looney
May He Rest In Peace. Amen.

Readers | 13-14 May 2023

6.15pm	Liam Gleeson
7.30pm	Miriam Toohey
8.00am	Van Geraghty
10.30am	Donal Mackey
12noon	Paddy Rohan
6pm	Martin O'Brien
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Weekly Collection €3,395

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**Pharmacy on Duty Slattery's
Parish Office Opening Hours**

Mon-Fri | 9am-5pm

Life Lessons

Experts built the Titanic. Amateurs built the Ark.