

For those who have the St Paul Sunday Missal you will find this week-end's Mass on Page 131/137

Adoration: Every Thursday/Friday-2pm-6.45pm.

Confessions: 6pm-6.20pm each Saturday at St Brigid's Church Or by appointment, then please contact Parish Office-090-9741092.

Minister of the Word:

Sat 25th Mar 6.30pm/ Shiofra Ward O'Meara

Sun 26th Mar 10.30am/ Adrian Hoare

Sat 1st Apr 6.30pm/ Ita Hynes

Sun 2nd Apr 10.30pm/ Izzy Tuohy

Minister of Holy Communion:

Sat 25th Mar 6.30pm/ Rosaleen O'Rourke

Sun 26th Mar 10.30am/ Margaret Blaney

Sat 1st Apr 6.30pm/ Noreen Hayes

Sun 2nd Apr 10.30pm/ Siobháin Smith Tuohy

All Ministers of Holy Communion & Ministers of the Word:

Please note that the given names will be printed on the newsletter twice monthly. Could I ask you to take note of when you are ministering and should you be unable to serve please contact the Parish Office.

NB: Those who wish to make a contribution, to works on gutters and down pipes on St Brigid's Church (due to commence in early Spring 2023), (not the Old St Brigid's Church) can do so in the usual way or if desired through Parish Bank A/C. Please note bank details as follows:-

BIC: BOFIE2DXX **IBAN:** IE88 BOFI 90394726882574

All Masses available on webcam at www.churchservices.tv/portumna and via Radio link 102.8fm.

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"Happy Mothers Day" to all mothers in our parish.

Are you experiencing difficulties and need a helping hand?

Please contact St Vincent de Paul, Portumna on our Confidential Phone Line 087-3650922

AL Homecare: For those that require care in their own home AL Homecare is here to help or advise. For information Tel: 087-7440729 or 087-9916791.

Chiropody Clinic: On Birr/Portumna Road. For appointment Tel Geraldine-086-3532672.

Portumna Bowls Club: Every Thursday morning from 11am-1pm in Portumna Town Hall. All welcome. For details Tel: Marie Sullivan-085-8402497.

Galway Rural Development: Leader Meeting in Loughrea on Mon. 20th March in the Lough Rea Hotel at 7.30pm. GRD would like to hear the ideas of citizens on the priorities for the new programme. Consultations are **FREE** and all Welcome.

NB: The protection of your personal data is important to us. We are happy to include your notice in our Parish Bulletin, **BUT** please ensure that you have received the consent of any persons referenced before submitting notice.

To view the parish newsletter online: www.clonfertdiocese.ie or www.visitportumna.com

Parish Office open Monday-Friday from 10am-3pm.(Lunch 1pm-2pm)

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St. Vincent de Paul 087-3650922.

Holy Mass Times: St. Brigid's Church

Sat 18th Mar 6.30pm (A) Michael Kelly
(A) Georgina Hoary

Sun 19th Mar 10.30am (A) Joseph Moore
Private Intention

Boula Mass Offering (A) Anne Donohue

Mon 20th Mar 10.00am Private Intention x 2

Tues 21st Mar 10.00am (A) Michael & Angela Purcell
People of the Parish

Wed 22nd Mar No Mass

Thurs 23rd Mar 7.00pm Private Intention x 2

Fri 24th Mar 7.00pm (A) Nora Mannion
(A) John, Josie, Leo & Annie O'Meara

Sat 25th Mar 6.30pm (A) Jim & Molly Kelly
(A) Eamon O'Toole

Boula Mass Offering (A) Tom Kelly, Paddy Kelly & deceased family

Sun 26th Mar 10.30am (A) Sean O'Hare
(A) Jimmy & Maisie Canning

Mon 27th Mar 10.00am (A) Albert, Sadie & Gerardine Mannion & Anne Patterson
Private Intention

Tues 28th Mar 10.00am (A) Michael McCrudden
People of the Parish

Wed 29th Mar No Mass

Thurs 30th Mar 7.00pm Private Intention x 2

Fri 31st Mar 7.00pm (A) Vincent Dillon
(A) Martin Foley

Sat Vigil of Palm Sunday 1st Apr.

6.30pm (A) Seamus Carty & deceased family
(A) Keith Hayes & Alphonsus & Catherine Hayes

Palm Sun. of the Passion of the Lord 2nd Apr

10.30am (A) John, Sabina & Michael Connors & deceased family
Private Intention

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**Sunday 19th March 2023
Fourth Sunday of Lent
&
Sunday 26th March 2023
Fifth Sunday of Lent**