For those who have the St Paul Sunday Missal you will find this week-end's **Mass on Page 226/230**

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 13th April 6.30pm/ Sarah Lily Morrissey

Sun 14th April 10.30am/ Adrian Hoare

Sat 20th April 6.30pm/ Shiofra Ward O'Meara

Sun 21st April 10.30am/ Claire Martin

Minister of Holy Communion:

Sat 13th April 6.30pm/ Rosaleen O'Rourke

Sun14th April 10.30am/ Margaret Blaney

Sat 20th April 6.30pm/ Noreen Hayes

Sun 21st April 10.30am/ Majella Lewis

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 directly into Parish Bank account or ongoing works to St Brigid's Church, please bank details as follows;-

BIC-BOFIIE2DXXX IBAN: IE88BOFI90394726882574

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

Webcam can be accessed at www.churchservices.tv/portumna.

Are you experiencing difficulties and need a helping hand? Please contact St Vincent de Paul, Portumna on our Confidential Phone Line 087-3650922

Preparation for Sacrament of Confirmation:

The candidates for Confirmation and their families will be joining Bishop Michael for a service of Prayer and Reflection in Preparation for Confirmation in St Brigid's Church, Portumna on Thursday 11th April at 7.30pm. Please keep in your prayers all who are preparing to receive the Sacrament of Confirmation.

Portumna Group and Friends Lourdes Pilgrimage: Departure Date will be 20th June 2024 for 5nts. Further details from Dr K Duddy-Tel: 087-2891580.

Portumna Players Drama Group: Present "It's the Real McCoy, by Tommy Marren on Thurs 11th,Fri 12th, Sun 14th, Fri 19th April at 8.30pm sharp in Portumna Town Hall. Tickets- €10.00 on the door.

Community Employment Scheme Vacancy: For a maintenance Caretaker based in Portumna/Boula/Gortanumera Church Grounds. Duties to includegrass cutting, hedge cutting, painting and general upkeep. Eligible candidates must be in receipt of jobseekers payment for 12mths or more or illness benefit related payment for 6 + mths. Work schedule is week on/off basis. Enquiries to Parish Office or Scheme Office-Tel:090-9745671/086-3954259.

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: <u>www.clonfertdiocese.ie</u> or <u>www.visitportumna.com</u>

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

Fr. Michael Byrnes P.P., J.V. Tel: 090-9741092

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St. Vincent de Paul 087-3650922.

Holy Mass Times: St. Brigid's Church

Sat 6th April 6.30pm (A) Tommy Moran

(A) Donal Fitzpatrick

Sun 7th April 10.30am (A) John Ryan

(A) Richard Fagan

Mon 8th April 10.00am Private Intention x 2 Tues 9th April 10.00am People of the Parish

Private Intention

Wed 10th April No Mass

Thurs 11th April 10.00am Private Intention x 2 **Friday 12th April 10.00am** Private Intention x 2 Sat 13th April 6.30pm (A) Anna Moore

(A) Paddy Hickey

Gortanumera Mass Offering:

(A) Keith Hayes, Alphonsus & Catherine Hayes & Esther Hayes

Sun 14th April 10.30am (A) Mossie Dermody

(A) James & Lucy Martin

Mon 15th April 10.00am Private Intention x 2 Tues 16th April 10.00am People of the Parish

Private Intention

No Mass

Wed 17th April

Thurs 18th April 7.00pm (A) Mary Duddy

Private Intention

Fri 19th April 7.00pm Private Intention x 2 Sat 20th April 6.30pm **(M.M.)** Albert Larkin

(A) Helen Blake

(A) Martin Foley

Sun 21st April 10.30am (A) Michael Mannion & Phil Hackett

(A) Pat & Eileen Concannon & Sr Mary Loreto O'Dowd

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Sunday 7th April 2024
Second Sunday of Easter
&
Sunday 14th April 2024
Third Sunday of Easter